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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Matelot Pipeline and Turbidity Station Project

Lead Agency: Tuolumne Utilities District

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Project Location: Columbia, Tuolumne County
City *County*

Project Decription (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The Tuolumne Utilities District (TUD) proposes the Matelot Pipeline and Turbidity Station Project (Project), which includes constructing an 18-inch diameter raw water main up to 1,650 feet in length that would convey water from Matelot Reservoir in the north to the Columbia Water Treatment Plant in the south. The proposed pipeline would generally mn parallel to the existing open channel. Matelot Ditch and would carry a portion of the water that currently runs in the open ditch. The existing Matelot Ditch would still carry water flow, but at a reduced flow rate. The Project also includes constructing a turbidity station at the northern terminus of the Phase 2 alignment where the Columbia Ditch discharges flows to Matelot Reservoir and the existing Matelot Ditch. T

The Project is located in Tuolumne County, California, near Columbia, north of SR 49. The Project is located within the following APNs: 032-010-076, 032-010-075, 032-070-001, 032-440-009, 032-070-021, and 032-010-090. The project site is located within Sections 1, 11, and 12, Township 2 North, and Range 14 East of the U.S. Geological Survey Columbia 7.5-minute quadrangle.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The proposed Project has the potential to adversely affect: 1) Biological Resources, 2) Cultural Resources, 3) Geology and Soils, 4) Hazards and Hazardous Materials, and 5) Noise. With the implementation of mitigation measures, including specific Best Management Practices, as identified in the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program, the proposed Project would not substantially degrade the quality of the environment, reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal, eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory, or generate excessive noise

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

Not applicable.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

1. California State Parks
2. Tuolumne County
3. Tuolumne County Air Pollution Control District
4. California Department of Fish and Wildlife