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**Project Title:** Shaver West Fuel Break Unit 2 Notice of Emergency Timber Operations No. 4-19EM-00215-FRE (Streambed Alteration Agreement No.1600-2019-0194-R4).

**Project Location (include county):** The Project is located south of the community of Shaver Lake, west of the community of Ockenden, north of Highway 168 and east of Solitude Lane, on an unnamed tributary to Musick Falls Creek, Fresno County, California; northwest 1/4 section of Section 2, Township 10 South, Range 24 East, USGS 7.5 Minute Quad Shaver Lake, MDB&M; Crossing #1: Latitude 37.09194, Longitude -119.33060; Crossing #2: Latitude 37.09197, Longitude -119.33048.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed (Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0194-R4, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the Highway 168 Fire Safe Council represented by Ryan Stewart.

The Project includes activities related to water diversion, installation and removal of two temporary crossings, installation of a temporary tractor road, and channel/road stabilization.

Public Agency Approving Project: <u>CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE</u>

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Highway 168 Fire Safe Council, Ryan Stewart

**Exempt Status:** 

☐ Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The Project activities include water diversion, installation and removal of two temporary crossings, installation of a temporary tractor road, and channel/road stabilization. The Project will not have signification environmental impacts if it is completed under the protective features of Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0194-R4.

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