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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Land Management Plan for By-Day Creek Ecological Reserve

Lead Agency: California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 6

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Project Location: Five miles northwest of the community of Bridgeport, County of Mono, State of California

City *County*

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

CDFW has prepared a Land Management Plan (LMP) for the By-Day Creek Ecological Reserve. The LMP establishes management goals and tasks that will ensure the long-term conservation of wildlife (invertebrates, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals), special-status plants and plant communities, and their habitats on the BDCER. The LMP also describes appropriate public uses of the BDCER and provides environmental analysis of land management tasks and public uses.

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

Adoption of the LMP for the By-Day Creek Ecological Reserve is not anticipated to result in any significant or potentially significant effects on the environment. The LMP was developed with the primary purpose of managing the property to achieve CDFW's mission to protect and enhance wildlife values. Implementation of the LMP would maintain the Ecological Reserve in a natural state and allow only compatible uses to occur. With the exception of minor operations, maintenance activities, and stewardship activities, any physical changes that are not currently approved will require further CEQA review according to CEQA Guidelines Section 15168, in light of the information contained in this document, to determine if additional CEQA documentation is necessary. The type of additional CEQA review completed would be determined based on CEQA Guidelines Sections 15162-15164.

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

None known.

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

None.