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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Pacific Tunnel Rehabilitation Project

Lead Agency: El Dorado Irrigation District

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Project Location: Pollock Pines; El Dorado County
City *County*

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

The Pacific Tunnel Rehabilitation Project (Project) consists of a complete replacement of the upstream and downstream portals and replacement of the existing timber invert and timber sidewalls within the existing canal tunnel using air-placed concrete. The Pacific Tunnel is part of the El Dorado Irrigation District's (EID, District) El Dorado Hydroelectric Project (FERC Project No. 184) and conveys water between two open sections of the El Dorado Canal. Road improvements would be necessary to provide construction access. These improvements would include minor surface grading to address rutting and/or potholing within the existing footprint of Park Creek Road and the portion of the Canal Access Road between Park Creek Road and Tunnel Access Road. To allow for construction access, approximately 1,200 feet of Tunnel Access Road between Canal Access Road and the tunnel site would require re-alignment and grading to provide an even slope with a 12-foot wide cross-section and a compacted subgrade.

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

Air Quality: best managemen practices to ensure compliance with EDAQMD Rule 223-1 for control of fugitive dust
Biological Resources: provisions to avoid potential impacts to special status plants, spotted owls and other nesting birds, and roosting bats
Cultural Resources: provisions for the accidental discovery of archaeological resources or human remains
Geology and Soils: provisions to avoid impacts regarding runoff, erosions, and sedimentation
Hazards and Hazardous Materials: provisions to avoid impacts from construction equipment leaks and spills, and avoid risks regarding accidental wildfire ignition
Noise: restriction of construction hours
Tribal Cultural Resources: provisions for the accidental discovery of potential Tribal Cultural Resources

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

No known areas of controversy

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

• U.S. Forest Service: Consistency with existing Special Use Permit and/or Timber Sale Permit, protocol for protective measures for spotted owl
• State Water Resources Control Board, Central Valley Region: NPDES General Permit