Notice of Determination

To: Office of Planning and Research *For U.S. Mail:* P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

Street Address:

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2020049046

Project Title: Three Lake Bridges Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS -LAK-18880-R2)

Project Location (include county):

The three projects are located along State Routes (SR) 20, 29, and 175 in Lake County on Morrison Creek, Robinson Creek, Kelsey Creek, respectively. The project at Morrison Creek Bridge is located at LAK-20 post mile (PM) 16.81 with latitude 39.095878 and longitude -122.801446. The project at Robinson Creek Bridge is located at LAK-29 PM 50.82 with latitude 39.140620 and longitude - 122.912462. The project at Kelsey Creek Bridge is located at LAK-175 PM 19.48 with latitude 39.823987 and longitude -122.721397.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-LAK-18880-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, the California Department of Transportation.

The Project is limited to upgrading the bridge rails and shoulder widths at the Morrison Creek and Robinson Creek Bridges, and to replace the bridge at Kelsey Creek in order to support the shoulder widening and new rails. The Project will also involve channel grading, the removal of sediment and rock slope protection, installation of piers and footings, installation of a retaining wall, and the installation and replacement of a culvert adjacent to the bridge locations. The Project will bring all three bridges to current structural design standards.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above-described Streambed Alteration Agreement on the date signed below and has made the following determinations regarding the Project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

- 1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
- CDFW considered the ⊠ mitigated negative declaration / □ negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
- 3. Mitigation measures \boxtimes were / \square were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan \Box was / \boxtimes was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
- 5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
- 6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

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The \boxtimes mitigated negative declaration / \square negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of execution of the Streambed Alteration Agreement as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Date: 6/14/2021

Kelley Barker, Environmental Program Manager