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California State Clearinghouse Representative  
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Dear Clearinghouse Representative:

### **Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the proposed bearing pad replacement for Little Potato Slough Bridge on State Route 12 in San Joaquin County**

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to replace failed elastomeric bearing pads and joint seal assemblies. Caltrans also proposes to remove a portion of structural concrete, providing access to the soffit. Installation of temporary falsework on a pile foundation will be used to temporarily support the bridge structure during replacement of the bearing pads and joint seal assemblies for Little Potato Slough Bridge (bridge number 29-0101), located west of Lodi, California, in San Joaquin County.

This notice is to inform you of the proposed project's Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration (draft environmental document) is available for public review and comment from May 18, 2020 to June 17, 2020. The document is available online at Caltrans District 10 website: <https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-10>. Due to the current COVID-19 pandemic, access to printed copies at public locations such as libraries and Caltrans offices is not possible. If you would like a printed version or a cd of this document to be sent to your personal address, please contact C. Scott Guidi at 209-990-5719 or via email at [Scott.Guidi@dot.ca.gov](mailto:Scott.Guidi@dot.ca.gov).

It is requested that you please provide comments by the deadline of June 17, 2020. Individuals who need auxiliary aids for communication, please contact C. Scott Guidi, Senior Environmental Planner for this proposed project at 209-990-5719 or through a telecommunication device for the deaf (TDD) at 800-735-2929, or 711.

Sincerely,

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