Plumas Eureka Community Services District Plumas County, State of California Resolution No. 2020-4

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A resolution to approve the Plumas Eureka Community Services District Wastewater Influent Lift Station # 6 Emergency Repair Project and to find the project is categorically exempt from CEQA.

Whereas the Plumas Eureka Community Services District on Wednesday, August 2020, held a public hearing on the proposed Plumas Eureka Community Services District Wastewater Influent Lift Station Emergency Repair Project after properly noticing said hearing; and

Whereas the District Board of Directors did, at the August 12, 2020 Regular Board Meeting, receive reports from District staff, and the District Engineer

Whereas, the District Board held a public hearing to receive testimony from the public, and at the closing of said public hearing did deliberate and consider the same; and

Whereas the Board of Directors finds that the project is categorically exempt from environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), Section 15269(b)(c)); [Emergency Project] of the State CEQA Guidelines based on an August 6, 2020 Memo from the District's contract engineer, Lucas Tipton and an August 12 report provided by the Chief Wastewater Plant Operator, Jamar Tate, and the following findings:

- a. The sewage influent lift station located at the west end of West Ponderosa Drive is owned by the Plumas Eureka Community Services District, a public agency, is necessary to maintain sewer service essential to the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the District.
- b. During the week of July 20th, 2020, the lift station which pumps raw sewage into the treatment facility went into a state of failure. Temporary measures were taken to prevent an immediate spill.
- c. Immediate, more permanent actions are necessary to prevent an emergency that has a high probability of occurring in the immediate future.
- d. The project is on land and easements owned by the PECSD and is within the current facility.
- e. A manhole will be located beneath existing private roadway pavement within the right-of-way owned by the District.
- f. The site is completely developed and there are no cultural or biological resources known to occur on the site.
- g. The Project is not located on a hazardous site and is not visible from a designated scenic highway.
- h. Development and operation of the treatment system would not result in significant traffic, noise, air or water quality impacts, and would result in a beneficial water quality impact by avoiding the pollution of nearby waterways.

Resolved, by Plumas Eureka Community Services District Board of Directors, that the District hereby approves Wastewater Influent Lift Station # 6 Emergency Repair Project and finds the Project to be Categorically Exempt from CEQA.

Adopted by the Plumas Eureka Community Services District on this day of August, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: Stone, Bennett, Janovick, Benorins

NOES:

ABSTAIN: inick. ABSENT:

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