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Project Title: Beale MMRP Munitions Response Site FR970 NTCRA and 7 MRS Remedial Action

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Project Location: Beale Air Force Base (near Marysville) Yuba
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Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The United States Air Force (USAF) is undertaking a non-time-critical removal action (NTCRA) to expedite the removal of munitions and explosives of concern (MEC) at the Rocket Range (FR970) site. The FR970 site spans portions of the Coyote Run Golf Course, a recently closed public golf course with unrestricted access for surface activities by recreational users and maintenance workers. The remainder of the site is in use for cattle grazing with access by cattle ranchers. While barbed wire fencing is present for cattle management, there is no fencing nor are there natural barriers to prevent on-Base personnel from accessing the site. The NTCRA is primarily focused on removing MEC to reduce the potential for on-site exposure to potential human receptors.

It is anticipated that field activities at FR970 will occur concurrently with a remedial action to remove MEC from an additional seven munitions response sites (7 MRS) located to the north, northeast, and east of FR970 (Figure 2). The land use of the 7 MRS includes undeveloped open space for seasonal cattle grazing, undeveloped land with a water tank and an access road, and recreational use. Future use is expected to be the same as the current use. The removal

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

There are potentially significant effects associated with biological resources. Mitigation measures will reduce effects to less than significant. Mitigation measures focus on monitoring, environmental awareness training, and identifiying and avoiding sensitive areas.

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

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

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