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**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration/
Environmental Assessment and Section 4(f) Evaluation**

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to make intersection, roadway, pedestrian, and bicycle improvements along State Route 49 and State Route 4 in the City of Angels Camp in Calaveras County. Caltrans proposes to modify the intersection of State Route 49 and State Route 4 with either a roundabout or signalized intersection. The project would also improve the intersection of State Route 49 and Francis Street with either a roundabout or signalized intersection.

Enclosed with this letter are electronic copies of the Draft Initial Study Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment and Section 4(f) Evaluation (Draft Environmental Document), Notice of Completion and Environmental Document Transmittal, and Summary Form. The draft environmental document will be publicly circulated from January 25, 2023 to February 24, 2023. An In-Person Public Meeting will be held on February 8, 2023, from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm at the Bret Harte High School Multipurpose Room, located at 323 S. Main Street, Angels Camp, CA 95221.

The Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment and Section 4(f) Evaluation is available in the following ways: The Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment and Section 4(f) Evaluation is posted online and available for viewing or download on the Caltrans District 10 website: <https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-10/district-10-current-projects/10-1H010>.

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A printed copy or a compact disk (CD) of the document and maps for the Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment and Section 4(f) Evaluation, and other project information are available by request.

To request a printed copy or CD, please contact Jonathan Coley at (209) 479-4083 or by e-mail at Jonathan.Coley@dot.ca.gov

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Jonathan Coley,
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Attachments:

1. Draft Environmental Document
2. Notice of Completion and Environmental Document Transmittal
3. Summary Forms for Electronic Document Submittal