## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION /

## **NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY**

The City of Angels is the Lead Agency for and intends to consider adoption of a mitigated negative declaration pursuant to Section 21092 and 21092.3 of the Public Resources Code and Section 15072 the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) for the following project:

Project Title: Angels Creek Trail and Transit Hub Facility Project

**Project Location:** The Project is located in southwestern Calaveras County, near the southeastern limits of the City of Angels generally along Angels Creek from Kurt Drive, along Finnegan Lane and to Greenhorn Creek (see below). USGS Angels Camp 7.5' quadrangle - a portion of Section 34, Township 3N, Range 13E, MDB&M. A detailed map can be reviewed wherever the environmental documents are available (See below).

**Project Description:** The City of Angels Camp (City) proposes to construct a new Class I bicycle and pedestrian path adjacent to Angels Creek, starting at Kurt Drive and ending at Main Street (StateRoute [SR] 49), and a Class III bicycle facility along Finnegan Lane between Main Street (SR 49) south to Angel Oaks/Greenhorn Creek Road and a park and ride facility near Booster Way and Vallecito Road (Project). The purpose of the Project is to create a more livable community by improving pedestrian and bicyclist safety and interconnectivity within the City. When complete, the Project would provide a safe route for alternative modes of transportation between the Greenhorn Creek subdivision, Stelte Park subdivision, and historic downtown Angels Camp. The Project would provide direct access to key destinations, be a critical component of an overall low-stress bicycling network within the City, support development, and address the needs of some of the City's oldest neighborhoods.

**Mitigated Negative Declaration - Availability:** A copy of the environmental documents (Mitigated Negative Declaration, Initial Study), and supporting documents are available for review at/on the:

- City's website at www.angelscamp.gov,
- City of Angels City Hall (200 Monte Verda, Suite B, Angels Camp, CA 95222), and
- Calaveras County Public Library Angels Camp Branch 358 N. Main Street

Comments on the proposed draft Mitigated Negative Declaration should be submitted during the <u>PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD STARTING MAY 4, 2023, AND ENDING JUNE 5, 2023</u>. Comments on the Initial Study and proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration should be sent by e-mail to the address below or by United States Postal Service:

By e-mail: CRedd@Dewberry.com
PLEASE INCLUDE IN SUBJECT LINE: Angels Creek Trail
Dewberry Engineers - Christa Redd, Associate, Senior Environmental Scientist

## By hand or United States Postal Service:

City of Angels – City Hall Attention: Planning – Angels Creek Trail 200 Monte Verde Street, Suite #B P.O. Box 667 Angels Camp, CA 95222

**Phone:** (209) 736-1346

No sites enumerated pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 regarding hazardous materials have been identified on site.

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