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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2016112028

Project Title: DeWitt Stream Crossing Improvement Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0337-R1)

Project Location: The project to be completed is located within the Russian River watershed, approximately 9 miles south of the town of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California. The project is located in Section Section 04, T13W, R21N, Mt. Diablo Base and Meridian, in the Elledge Peak U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's parcel Numbers 047-220-37 and 047-220-38; latitude 39.020536 N and longitude -123.184264 W at the project location.

Project Description: The project is limited to one encroachment. The proposed encroachment is to conduct improvements and maintenance activities to an existing stream to meet design criteria to pass 100-year flows, sediment, and debris. Work for this encroachment will include excavation of less than one cubic yard of material at the crossing inlet for proper installation of a mitered end cap and rock armoring of the fill faces and stream at the culvert outlet as necessary to minimize erosion. All proposed work will be completed using hand tools and a pick-up truck to move materials.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as the Lead Agency / a Responsible Agency approved the above described project and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. A mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 CDFW considered the mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were / were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was / was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

The mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record related to the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature _____ Date: _____
 for Cheri Sanville, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

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