

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2008092012

Project Title: Lovelady Ranch Mine (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. COL-50569-R2)

Project Location: The project is located at Little Stony Creek, tributary to Stony Creek and the Sacramento River, in the County of Colusa, State of California; and includes the reach of the stream bounded by Latitude 39.297628° North and Longitude 122.534591° West at the upstream end and by Latitude 39.300959° North and Longitude 122.524772° West at the downstream end.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number COL-50569-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Lovelady Ranch, LLC as represented by Kevin McCosker.

The project consists of placement of temporary stream crossings for equipment access, and commercial extraction of up to twenty-five thousand (25,000) cubic yards of alluvial sand and gravel (mixed aggregate materials) from the streambed of Little Stony Creek annually.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above Streambed Alteration Agreement on the date signed below 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. CDFW considered the Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.

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- 6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The final environmental impact report prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of execution of the above Streambed Alteration Agreement as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Signature: _____ Date: 4/15/2025

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