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Agency File No: IS 7321	LOCAL AGENCY PROPOSED MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION		County Clerk File No: E-
Responsible Agency (Name): Fresno County	Address (Street and P.O. Box): 2220 Tulare St. Sixth Floor	City: Fresno	Zip Code: 93721
Agency Contact Person (Name and Title): Danielle Crider, Planner	Area Code: 559	Telephone Number: 600-9669	Extension: N/A
Applicant (Name): County of Fresno	Project Title: Reedley Main Canal Bridge Replacement (Recirculated)		
Project Description: The subject application proposes to replace an existing two-lane, concrete-slab bridge with a two-lane box culvert bridge. The proposed bridge is fifty-seven feet long and fifty-five feet wide with two twelve-foot travel lanes and two four-foot wide shoulders. It will replace a twenty-nine-foot-long and nineteen-foot-wide bridge with nine-foot travel lanes, and no shoulders. 285 feet of the existing road north of the bridge and 158 feet south of the bridge will be improved and taper widened, and up to 10 feet of additional right-of-way may be acquired on either side of the project area. Overhead utilities will be relocated, and additional utility facilities such as guy wires, anchors, and poles may be installed in or near the project area. A coffer dam will be built for construction purposes, channel work will occur, and four orange trees and ruderal vegetation in the existing right-of-way will be removed. The project site is located on Englehart Avenue, approximately 0.3 miles north of the intersection of Englehart Avenue and American Avenue in Fresno County. (SUP. DIST. 4).			
Justification for Negative Declaration: Based upon the Initial Study prepared, staff has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment. It has been determined that there would be no impacts to land use and planning, mineral resources, population and housing, public services, and recreation. Potential impacts related to aesthetics, agricultural and forestry resources, air quality, geology and soils, greenhouse gas emissions, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality noise, transportation and traffic, and utilities and service systems have been determined to be less than significant. Potential impacts relating to biological resources and cultural resources have been determined to be less than significant with compliance with the mitigation measures.			
FINDING: The proposed project will not have a significant impact on the environment.			
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Date:	Type or Print Signature: David Randall Senior Planner	Submitted by (Signature):	

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