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Notice of Determination

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☒ Office of Planning and Research

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Street Address: 1400 Tenth St., Rm 113, Sacramento, CA 95814

☒ County Clerk
County of: Tulare
Address: 221 S. Mooney Blvd.
Visalia, CA 93291

From: Lead Agency & Applicant
Public Agency: Lower Tule River Irrigation District
Address: 357 E. Olive Avenue
Tipton, CA 93272
Contact: Eric Limas, General Manager
Phone: 559-686-4716

Lead Agency (if different from above):
Address:
Contact:
Phone:

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 1999044004

Project Title: Tule River Basin Investigation / Tule River Spillway Enlargement Project

Project Applicant: Lower Tule River Irrigation District

Project Location (include county): Lake Success/ east of Porterville, Tulare County

Project Description:
This document was prepared as a Supplemental EIR to the 1999 FEIR/FEIS for the Project. The Project consists of constructing a 10 foot-high concrete ogee weir across the Lake Success spillway, which would raise the maximum gross pool elevation from 655.1 feet to 665.1 feet. This would add approximately 28,000 acre-feet of joint-use flood control and irrigation water storage space in the reservoir, increasing storage capacity from 82,300 to 110,300 acre-feet. The reservoir surface area would increase from 2,400 to 3,120 acres. As part of the Project, Southern CA Edison will replace/raise transmission towers over the lake and will replace/relocate some distribution lines around the lake.

This is to advise that the Lower Tule River Irrigation District (☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency) has approved the above described project on January 12, 2021 (date) and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

1. The project [☐ will ☒ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
   ☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [☐ was ☒ was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [☒ were ☐ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:
Lower Tule River Irrigation District, 357 E. Olive Avenue, Tipton, CA 93272

Signature (Public Agency): [signature] Title: General Manager

Date: January 12, 2021 Date Received for filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

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