

Notice of Determination**To:**

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2017071016

Project Title: Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement for 7901 Old Careaga Ranch Road-Canyon Produce, LLC Cannabis Cultivation Project (EPIMS-SBA-08893-R5).

Project Location (include county): The project is located at 7901 Old Careaga Ranch Road, Los Alamos, Santa Barbara County, California, 93440; Assessor Parcel Numbers 101-080-082, 101-080-084, and 101-080-086.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-SBA-08893-R5, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Canyon Produce, LLC represented by Jonathan Swope.

The project includes the proposed cultivation of cannabis and development/operation of related support activities on a 591-acre property that spans three separate parcels. The areas proposed for development and cultivation are located on two parcels (Assessor's Parcel Numbers [APNs] 101-080-082 is 154.39-acres and 101-080-086 is 290.09-acres that are separated by a middle parcel (APN 101-080-084 is 147.5 acres). Additionally, the project will include a one-time sediment and debris removal on the eastern and western portion of the basins located on the southern parcel and a rehabilitated aquatic breeding pond for on-site western spadefoot toad populations.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above-described project on 2/4/2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will / 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 environmental impact report 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 / was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were / were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.
If CEQA findings were done, check yes

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 project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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2/4/2021

Date:

Erinn Wilson-Olgin, Environmental Program Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____