Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2010082001

Project Title: Alameda Creek Bridge Replacement Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-0345-R3)

Project Location (include county): The Alameda Creek Bridge (Bridge No. 33-0036) Project (Project) is located within Niles Canyon over Alameda Creek along State Route 84 (SR-84) at Post Mile 13.0 to 13.6, in Alameda County, in the State of California.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2017-0503-R3, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Transportation, District 4.

The California Department of Transportation (Permittee) proposes to replace the Alameda Creek Bridge (Bridge No. 33-0036) to meet current design standards for safety. The Project proposes replace the existing 1928 bridge with a new, two-lane structure with standard eight-foot-wide shoulders, approximately 75 feet north of the existing bridge. The Project will include a temporary access road, water diversion, CIDH pile installation area, removal of an existing concrete weir, build road to match new alignment, construct soil nail wall, construct a new viaduct structure and restore the impacted areas on-site. The Project shall take place over three construction seasons.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on June 26, 2019 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.

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.

Signature _____ *Date:* *June 26, 2019*
Craig J. Weightman, Environmental Program Manager

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Date Received for filing at OPR: _____ JUL 02 2019

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