

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 1995062022

Project Title: Clinton Keith Road Extension Project, Segment 4 (Phase 3) (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-RIV-16059-R6)

Project Location (include county): The Clinton Keith Road Extension, Segment 4 project (Project) is located at Clinton Keith Road between Leon Road and State Route 79 in the City of Murrieta and unincorporated Riverside County, State of California; crossing French Creek at Latitude 33.59620, Longitude -117.12700. Assessor's Parcel Number: 963-060-069

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-RIV-16059-R6, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant Riverside County, as represented by Mary Zambon.

The Phase 3, Clinton Keith Road Extension Project proposes to allow development a Road extension consisting of grading, realignment of a road, and two structures including a Contech Bebo Arch and a single-span 200x124-foot bridge over French Valley Creek. The project proposes to permanently impact 2.05 acres and temporarily impact 0.47 acres of CDFW stream resources. Mitigation includes purchase of 1.71 acres of streambed and riparian habitat rehabilitation credits and rehabilitation and re-establishment of 4.15 acres of streambed and riparian habitat.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on November 17, 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.

The 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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Signature

Date:

Scott Wilson, Environmental Program Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____