

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2019049146

Project Title: Hirschdale Road Bridge (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. NEV-15528-R2)

Project Location (include county): The project is located at the Truckee River, in the County of Nevada, State of California; Latitude 39.36765, Longitude -120.075911; Assessor's Parcel Number [APN] 048-100-010-000.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number NEV-15528-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Nevada County Public Works Department.

The project is limited to the removal of the existing bridge along the Truckee River, including foundations, and the construction of a new bridge within the same general footprint. Access will be maintained during most of construction via a temporary 40-foot-wide trestle installed across the Truckee River upstream of the existing bridge for use by the public as well as the contractor. The temporary trestle will be supported on a combination of temporary driven piles or precast concrete blocks, some of which may be located within the normal river water level.

The new bridge will be a 2-span, cast-in-place, concrete box girder. The new bridge will be 276 feet long and 26 feet wide. The bridge will provide 16 feet between barrier and curb with a 6-foot-wide sidewalk and up to a 2-foot-wide barrier on each side. New abutments will be reconstructed approximately 15 feet farther away from the river on each side. A 10x40-foot concrete staircase will be incorporated into the rock slope protection installed on the southeast side of the bridge, adjacent to the abutment.

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

1. The project 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 mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration 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.

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- 5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
- 6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration 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: 1ABC45303752499... Date: 10/5/2022
Tanya Sheya, Environmental Program Manager