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

State Clearinghouse Number (SCH No.): 2019059080

Project Title: Permit No. 19516: Escalon-Bellota Road Bridge over Littlejohns Creek Bridge Replacement

Project Applicant: San Joaquin County

Lead Agency/Address: San Joaquin County, 1810 E. Hazelton Ave, Stockton, CA 95205

Lead Agency Contact Person: Michael Chung, (209) 468-3586

Project Location/City/County: The project is located 0.3 miles south of the State Route 4 and Escalon Bellota Road intersection in the town of Farmington, at Latitude 37.925415 North, and Longitude 121.000158 West, within section 20, Township 1 North, Range 9 East, MDB&M, San Joaquin County.

Project Description: To remove the existing Escalon-Bellota Road Bridge (Br. No. 29C-038) and construct a new bridge over Littlejohns Creek. The bridge replacement project includes construction of new roadway approaches, installation of new guardrail system, construction of new bridge drainage system, installation of rock slope protection along the creek banks at the bridge abutments, construction of a temporary detour bridge east of the existing bridge, installation of a temporary creek diversion system/cofferdams upstream and downstream of the work area, installation of falsework to construct bridge deck, removing 13 trees and restoring riparian habitat, excavation of approximately 245 cubic yards of soil and 400 cubic yards of reinforced concrete from the creek channel. The new bridge will be approximately 135-foot long and 35-foot wide.

This is to advise that the Central Valley Flood Protection Board, as the **Responsible Agency**, approved the above described project on January 28, 2022 and made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

1. The project [will / will not] have a significant effect on the environment (This determination is limited to effects within CVFPB's permitting jurisdiction as a responsible agency).
2. [An Environmental Impact Report / A Mitigated Negative Declaration] was prepared by the lead agency for the original project.
3. Additional mitigation measures [were / were not] made a condition of CVFPB's approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan [was / was not] adopted by CVFPB for this project
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations [was / was not] adopted by CVFPB for this project.
6. Findings [were / were not] made by CVFPB pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

Responsible Agency Statement: This Mitigated Negative Declaration, prepared by the lead agency for the project, is available to the general public at the lead agency's office listed above. CVFPB's administrative record related to the encroachment permit is available for public review at CVFPB's office.

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY:

January 28, 2022

Signature

Leslie M. Gallagher, Executive Officer

Date

Date Received for filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21100-21174, Public Resources Code.