

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2020110165

Project Title: Clover Creek Bridge (14C-0015) Replacement at 1st Street (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. LAK-32856-R2)

Project Location: The project is located at Clover Creek, in the County of Lake, State of California; Latitude 39.164400, Longitude -122.909100 (WGS 84 datum, decimal degrees) Clover Creek Bridge (14C-0015), 400 Block of 1st Street, Upper Lake, CA, 95485; Assessor's Parcel Number 027-195-090-000.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number LAK-32856-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Lake County Public Works as represented by John Everett.

The project is limited to the replacement of an existing single span reinforced concrete haunched T-girder (Bridge No. 14C-0015) over Clover Creek. The existing 39-foot-long bridge will be replaced with a three 12' X 8' cell cast-in-place reinforced concrete box culvert. Road work will include reconstructing the approaches along First Street conforming at the intersection with Washington Street to the west, and approximately 200' past the bridge to the east. The approach road width will be constructed to current County standards, 12-foot-wide lanes, a 3-foot-wide shoulder in the westbound direction, and an 8-foot-wide shoulder to maintain parking in the eastbound direction. The approach roadways will have 5-foot-wide sidewalks. The project may involve permanent modification or alteration of the streambed by adding rock slope protection, minor regrading, and the placement of a concrete bottom box culvert. The bottom of the box will be buried with a natural stream bed backfill. The flowline of the creek through the project limits will be restored to the current grades.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above-described Streambed Alteration Agreement 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 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.
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.

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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 execution of the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Signature: _____ Date: 3/25/2024

Tanya Sheya, Environmental Program Manager