

Notice of Determination

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

Project Title: Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0256-R2, "Spanish Valley" Timber Harvest Plan (THP) 2-20-00161-PLU

Project Location: The projects are located within the boundaries of a THP on Spanish Creek, a Class I watercourse that drains into the North Fork of the Feather River in Plumas County, State of California, four unnamed Class II watercourses that feed Spanish Creek, and two unnamed Class II watercourses, one of which is spring-fed, which eventually go underground above Thompson Valley. The projects are located on the Meadow Valley and Quincy U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map, Township 24N, Range 8E and Range 10E, Sections 10, 15, 28 and 29, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Project Description: The projects are limited to the installation of a rocked ford at MV114, a vented rocked ford at MV115, water drafting sites at WD3, WD4, WD5, permanent culvert crossings at PF100 and MV 105 and the installation of a temporary Bridge at MV100. Further information can be found in 2-20-00161-PLU.

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 / timber harvesting plan 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 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 / timber harvesting plan 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: Jennifer Garcia *Date:* 1/29/2021
Jennifer Garcia, Environmental Program Manager