

## Notice of Determination

To:  Office of Planning and Research  
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IMS: A-08

From: Department of Fish and Wildlife,  
**WILDLIFE CONSERVATION BOARD**  
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County Clerk ( County of):

**Lead Agency:**  
City of Newman  
**Contact:** Kathryn Reyes  
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*SUBJECT: Filing Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.*

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2021030323

**Project Title:** Newman Community Conservation Area Master Plan

**Project Location:** The project area is located on the border of the City of Newman in Stanislaus and Merced counties, SE of Canal School Road and Inyo Avenue.

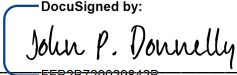
**Project Description:** The Wildlife Conservation Board will assist with funding a component of the projects listed in the Newman Community Conservation Area Master Plan project. Specifically, this project will fund the quantification of greenhouse gas dynamics of restored wetland, native bunchgrass, and rangeland habitat in the project area. WCB Project ID 2021002.

This is to advise that the Wildlife Conservation Board has approved the above  
 Lead Agency or  Responsible agency

described project on August 26, 2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the above  
(Date)  
described project.

1. The project [ will  will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2.  An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.  
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation Measures [ were  were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [ was  was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [ was  was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [ were  were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the Mitigated Negative Declaration is available to the General Public at:  
City of Newman, P.O. Box 787, Newman, CA 95360

Signature 

Title: Executive Director

John P. Donnelly, Executive Director  
8/27/2021

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_