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SCH #: Pending

Project Title: Paradise Irrigation District Water System Recovery and Reservoir B Replacement Project

Lead Agency: Paradise Irrigation District

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Project Location: Paradise (*City*) Butte (*County*)

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The initial Reservoir B Replacement Project, approved by adoption of a CEQA MND in October 2018 (State Clearinghouse Number 2018082044), included three main project elements: Reservoir B replacement, the Zone A pump station, and the Zone A transmission main. On November 8, 2018, the Camp Fire devastated Paradise and surrounding areas. Although the damage to PID's infrastructure from the fire was widespread, only the Reservoir B element of the project would be addressed by this MND. Reservoir B will be downsized to a total volume of 3 million gallons and would include two 1.5-million gallon bolted steel tanks. Other project elements will be authorized under the appropriate Categorical Exemptions. Project recovery actions that would be authorized under a Categorical Exemption include: 1) Almond Street main replacement; 2) Service lateral replacement; 3) Meter replacement; and 4) Main replacement.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The project consists of improvements to an existing water distribution system. Impacts associated with the project would be primarily limited to the construction phase, with no significant operational impacts on the environment. All impacts resulting from project implementation can be fully mitigated at the project level. Conservation and mitigation measures are included in the project to avoid or minimize project-related impacts on environmental resources, including air quality, greenhouse gas emissions, biological resources, water quality, wildfire potential, and cultural resources.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

None identified.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- California State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water
- California Department of Fish & Wildlife (Region 2)
- California Regional Water Quality Control Board (Central Valley Region)
- California Department of Transportation (District 3)
- California Office of Emergency Services