

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

The project listed below was reviewed for environmental impact by the Placer County Environmental Review Committee and was determined to have no significant effect upon the environment. A proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study & Checklist have been prepared for this project and have been filed with the County Clerk's office.

PROJECT: Watt Avenue Bridge Over Dry Creek Replacement

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Placer County Department of Public Works, in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to replace the existing two-lane Watt Avenue Bridge over Dry Creek. The existing bridge was built in 1940. It provides two lanes with no shoulder and non-crash tested barriers and is considered functionally obsolete. The proposed project would provide a new four-lane bridge designed to meet present and projected traffic volumes. The new bridge would be supported by three multi-column piers and two abutments. Each pier would be composed of reinforced concrete columns supported by Type II, Cast-in-drilled-hole (CIDH) piles.

PROJECT LOCATION: Watt Avenue between Dyer Lane and PFE Road in West Placer County CA.

PROPONENT: Placer County Public Works

The public comment period for this document closes on **May 28, 2021**. A copy of the Mitigated Negative Declaration is available for public review at the **Community Development Resource Agency** Public counter (3091 County Center Drive, Auburn, CA 95603) and at the **County Website:** <https://www.placer.ca.gov/1571/Projects>. Additional information may be obtained by contacting Placer County Public Works, Jean Hanson, Project Manager at (530) 745-7553, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Notice is Further Given of the Following Board of Supervisors Public Meeting:

After the public review period of 30 days this item will be placed on the Placer County Board of Supervisors agenda for:

Date/Time: July 6, 2021 -The meeting will commence at 9:00 a.m.; however, there is no designated time certain for the consideration of the subject application and this matter may be continued to another meeting without additional notice.

Property owners within 300 feet of the subject site were notified by mail on April 29, 2021, of the upcoming Board of Supervisors Meeting.

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