

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A PROPOSED MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

GLENN COUNTY ROAD 66B BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

LEAD AGENCY: Glenn County Public Works Agency
777 N. Colusa Street, Willows, CA 95988
Attn: Talia Richardson, PE

PROJECT TITLE: Glenn County Road 66B Bridge Replacement Project

PROJECT LOCATION: County Road (CR) 66B at its crossing over the Colusa Drain in Glenn County,
Latitude 39.428501, longitude -122.05000.

Princeton USGS Quadrangle, within the Larkin Child Land Grant in the vicinity of
Section 11, Township 18N, Range 2W.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The proposed project would replace the existing three-span timber structure bridge with a new 32 foot wide (two 12 foot lanes with two 4 foot unpaved shoulders) single-span, precast bridge structure. The new bridge will be on the same alignment as the existing bridge. County Road 66B at the project site will be closed during construction. This will result in an approximate 7-mile detour, but will greatly decrease overall impacts, reduce the R/W need, and will decrease the total construction time. Access to adjacent agricultural fields will remain open during the harvest season. Closing the road will also limit environmental impacts due to the ability to limit construction staging to the existing roadway area.

FINDINGS/DETERMINATION: The County has reviewed and considered the proposed project and has determined that, subject to mitigation measures identified in the Mitigated Negative Declaration, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, with substantial supporting evidence provided in the Draft Initial Study/Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration. The County hereby prepares, and proposes to approve this project and adopt, a Mitigated Negative Declaration for this project.

PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD: A 30-day public review period for the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration will commence no later than September 9, 2021 and end no earlier than November 8, 2021 for interested and concerned individuals and public agencies to submit written comments on the document. Any written comments on the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration must be received at the above address within the public review period. Copies of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration are available for review at the County Public Works Agency office (at the above address). The Draft Initial Study/Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration is also available on the Glenn County website at: <https://www.countyofglenn.net/>

PUBLIC HEARINGS: The proposed project will require approval from the Glenn County Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors' review of the proposed project is scheduled for November 2, 2021. The Board of Supervisors normally meets at the Glenn County Board of Supervisors Chambers, 525 West Sycamore Street, Suite B1, Willows, CA on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 9:00AM. The Board's review of the proposed project will appear on the November 2, 2021 meeting agenda. The Board of Supervisor's review of the proposed project will include an evaluation of the Draft Initial Study/Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration.