

**Notice of Determination**

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

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2021100009

**Project Title:** Georgiana Slough Salmonid Migratory Barrier Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SAC-25619-R3)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is located at the Sacramento River at the junction with Georgiana Slough near the town of Walnut Grove, County of Sacramento, State of California; project midpoint Latitude 38.14209 N; Longitude -121.31045; Assessor’s Parcel Number 156-0010-089.


**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-SAC-25619-R3, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Water Resources.

The project is limited to construction and annual installation and removal of a Bio-Acoustic Fish Fence™ (BAFF) to deter emigrating juvenile salmonids from entering Georgiana Slough and, thereafter, the central and south Delta.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as the Lead Agency, approved the above-described project on September 15, 2022, and has made the following determinations regarding the project:

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. A  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
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 prepared for the project and the record related to project approval is available to the general public for review at CDFW’s regional office listed above.

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