

## Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal

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<b>SCH #</b>
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**Project Title:** Camp Far West Hydroelectric Relicensing Project

Lead Agency: South Sutter Water District Contact Person: Brad Arnold  
 Mailing Address: 2464 Pacific Avenue Phone: 530-656-2242  
 City: Trowbridge Zip: 95659 County: Sutter

**Project Location:** County: Placer, Nevada, and Yuba City/Nearest Community: Wheatland  
 Cross Streets: Camp Far West Road and McCourtney Road Zip Code: Multiple

Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 39 ° 2 ' 58.8 " N / -121 ° 18 ' 54.0 " W Total Acres: 2,863.7

Assessor's Parcel No.: Multiple Section: Multiple Twp.: Multiple Range: Multiple Base: NA

Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: None Waterways: Bear River, Rock Creek, Little Wolf Creek

Airports: None Railways: None Schools: None

**Document Type:**

CEQA:  NOP  Draft EIR NEPA:  NOI Other:  Joint Document  
 Early Cons  Supplement/Subsequent EIR  EA  Final Document  
 Neg Dec (Prior SCH No.)  Draft EIS  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Local Action Type:**

General Plan Update  Specific Plan  Rezone  Annexation  
 General Plan Amendment  Master Plan  Prezone  Redevelopment  
 General Plan Element  Planned Unit Development  Use Permit  Coastal Permit  
 Community Plan  Site Plan  Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)  Other: FERC License

**Development Type:**

Residential: Units \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_  Transportation: Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Office: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_  Mining: Mineral \_\_\_\_\_  
 Commercial: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_  Power: Type Dam MW 6.8  
 Industrial: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_  Waste Treatment: Type \_\_\_\_\_ MGD \_\_\_\_\_  
 Educational: \_\_\_\_\_  Hazardous Waste: Type \_\_\_\_\_  
 Recreational: \_\_\_\_\_  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Water Facilities: Type \_\_\_\_\_ MGD \_\_\_\_\_

**Project Issues Discussed in Document:**

Aesthetic/Visual  Fiscal  Recreation/Parks  Vegetation  
 Agricultural Land  Flood Plain/Flooding  Schools/Universities  Water Quality  
 Air Quality  Forest Land/Fire Hazard  Septic Systems  Water Supply/Groundwater  
 Archeological/Historical  Geologic/Seismic  Sewer Capacity  Wetland/Riparian  
 Biological Resources  Minerals  Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading  Growth Inducement  
 Coastal Zone  Noise  Solid Waste  Land Use  
 Drainage/Absorption  Population/Housing Balance  Toxic/Hazardous  Cumulative Effects  
 Economic/Jobs  Public Services/Facilities  Traffic/Circulation  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:**

Present land use: Dam. Zoning: Agriculture and Resort in Placer Co, Agriculture in Nevada Co, and Agriculture and Resource Preservation and Recreation in Yuba Co. General Plan designation: Agriculture/Timberland in Placer Co, Rural in Nevada Co, Natural Resources in Yuba Co

**Project Description:** (please use a separate page if necessary)

The South Sutter Water District owns and operates the Camp Far West Hydroelectric Project. SSWD is seeking a new license from FERC with a term of 50 years to continue operating the Camp Far West Hydroelectric Project. As part of the proposed approval of the new FERC license, SSWD is proposing five project components: Modify the FERC Project boundary; Implement a new flow regime; Implement environmental measures; Increase the height of the Camp Far West Spillway by 5 feet to raise the maximum reservoir elevation of the Camp Far West Reservoir; and Rehabilitate, replace, and relocate recreation features.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> California Highway Patrol                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Pesticide Regulation, Department of                 |
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**Local Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead agency)**

Starting Date October 29, 2021 Ending Date November 29, 2021

**Lead Agency (Complete if applicable):**

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Signature of Lead Agency Representative: *Brad Arnold* Date: 10/20/21

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