



**FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT (FONSI)
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA)**

Pursuant to USDOT Order 5610.1C, Paragraph 5.b

Date: May 5, 2022

To: State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: California Department of Transportation

District 2
1657 Riverside Drive
Redding, CA 96001

State Clearinghouse Number: 2022020532

Project Description: The California Department of Transportation, using state and federal funding, proposes to reconfigure the existing intersection of State Route 99 and South Avenue in Tehama County by replacing the existing minor leg stop-controlled only intersection with a roundabout; the limits of work on State Route 99 are from post mile 4.2 to 4.8. Other proposed improvements include extension of the box culvert that conveys Hoag Slough under State Route 99; installation of a new 45-foot-tall steel truss tower and relocating the existing closed-circuit television from the existing pole to the new tower; and installation of new flashing beacons, road signs, electroliers, storm drains, and biofiltration strips/bioswales. The project would also require the acquisition of new right of way. The purpose of the project is to reduce the frequency and severity of collisions. The project is needed because between January 1, 2012 and December 31, 2017, there were a total of 17 collisions: 11 involved injuries, and 6 were property damage only.

This is to advise you that a finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) has been made for this project by the California Department of Transportation as assigned by the Federal Highway Administration pursuant to 23 USC 327. A copy of the FONSI and the attached Environmental Assessment can be obtained from the California Department of Transportation office located at the above address.