## **Notice of Determination**

To:

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2022030573

**Project Title:** Bar X Ranch (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. LAK-13721-R2)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is located at eight (8) stream crossings on unnamed tributaries to Putah Creek, in the County of Lake, State of California; Sections 25, 35, and 36, Township 11N, Range 7W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute quad map Middletown, MDB&M.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number LAK-13721-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Kiran Sidhu.

The project is limited to the upgrade and maintenance of 8 road crossings over stream channels. Culverts A, B, C, E, F, and G are existing, undersized pipe culverts that will be upgraded. Culverts D and H are new pipe culvert installations.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above-described Streambed Alteration Agreement on the date signed below and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

- 1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
- 2. CDFW considered the ☐ mitigated negative declaration / ☐ negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
- 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 negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of execution of the above Streambed Alteration Agreement as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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