

**Notice of Determination**

**To:**  
Office of Planning and Research  
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**From:**  
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**SUBJECT: *Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21108***

State Clearinghouse Number: 2022060373

**Project Title:** OH\_DC\_601 (Restoration Management Permit No. RMP-2024-0009-R3)

**Project Location:** The Project is located in the Ohlone Wilderness at a blocked culvert running under Bluff Road. The Project is located in the County of Alameda, State of California; Latitude 37.5086833 and Longitude - 121.77047759.

**Project Description:** CDFW has issued this Restoration Management Permit (RMP) pursuant to section 2081(a) of the Fish and Game Code to East Bay Regional Park District. This Project will remove 72 cubic feet of sediment from a culvert running under Bluff Road, restoring the flow of water from horizontal wells into a formerly perennial pond. The Project is expected to benefit California tiger salamander (*Ambystoma californiense*), referred to as the Covered Species. The Project is estimated to take five individuals of the Covered Species in the form of catch, capture and relocation during construction of the Project. Permittee is authorized to relocate the Covered Species out of harm's way. CDFW has determined and expects that the Project will benefit, aid in the conservation of, and assist in the recovery of the Covered Species. This notice is to advise that CDFW issued the above-described RMP on the date signed below and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a responsible agency approved the above-described project on 10/17/2024 and made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

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. A mitigated negative declaration was prepared by the lead agency for the original project.
3. Additional mitigation measures were made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was 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 Public Resources Code § 21081(a).
7. Compliance with the environmental filing fee requirement at Fish and Game Code § 711.4 (check one):

Payment is submitted with this notice.

A copy of a receipt showing prior payment was submitted to CDFW.

Responsible Agency statement: The Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared by the lead agency for the Project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the lead agency. CDFW's record of issuance of the Restoration Management Permit is available at CDFW's regional office.

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*Erin Chappell*  
Signature B77E9A6211EE486...

Date: 10/17/2024

Erin Chappell, Regional Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_