

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2022060452

Project Title: Traffic Way Bridge Replacement Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SLO-46267-R4).

Project Location: The Project will occur where Traffic Way crosses over Arroyo Grande Creek approximately 270 feet southeast of the intersection of Traffic Way and West Branch Street in the City of Arroyo Grande, San Luis Obispo County, State of California; Assessor’s Parcel Numbers 007-481-004, 007-481-005, 007-481-006, 007-481-007, 007-481-011, 007-482-003, 007-482-006, 007-482-018, 007-482-020, 007-482-026; Latitude 35.122172° North, Longitude -120.580333° West.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-SLO-46267-R4, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the Project Applicant, City of Arroyo Grande.

The Project includes activities related to the removal of the existing Traffic Way Bridge and construction of a new cast-in-place pre-stressed concrete box girder single-span replacement bridge along the existing horizontal and vertical alignment. The existing reinforced concrete T-beam bridge is six-span and 228 feet long by 52 feet wide, and the new bridge will be approximately 198.5 feet long by 59 feet wide to accommodate three 11-foot wide traffic lanes, two five-foot wide shoulders/bike lanes, two six-foot wide sidewalks, and two two-foot wide concrete barriers with railings.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as the Responsible Agency, approved the above-described project on 1/24/2025 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 prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. 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 California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The Mitigated 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 project approval as a Responsible Agency is available at CDFW’s regional office.

Signature:  **Date:** 1/24/2025
DocuSigned by: Julie A. Vance
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 Julie A. Vance, Regional Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____