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SCH #

**Project Title:** Bellota Weir Modification ProjectLead Agency: Stockton East Water DistrictContact Person: Justin M. Hopkins, General ManagerMailing Address: 6767 East Main StreetPhone: (209) 948-0537City: StocktonZip: 95215County: San Joaquin**Project Location:** County: San Joaquin City/Nearest Community: Linden, CA.Cross Streets: State Route 26, East Shelton Road, Nescalon-Bellota RoadZip Code: 95215Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 38 ° 052310 ' " N / -121. ° 011504 ' " W Total Acres: 15.5Assessor's Parcel No.: See Attached SheetSection: 5Twp.: 02NRange: 09EBase: Linden, CAWithin 2 Miles: State Hwy #: 26Waterways: Calaveras River, Duck Creek

Airports: \_\_\_\_\_

Railways: \_\_\_\_\_

Schools: \_\_\_\_\_

**Document Type:**CEQA:  NOP Early Cons Neg Dec Mit Neg Dec Draft EIR Supplement/Subsequent EIR

(Prior SCH No.) \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

NEPA:  NOI EA Draft EIS FONSIOther:  Joint Document Final Document Other: \_\_\_\_\_**Local Action Type:** General Plan Update General Plan Amendment General Plan Element Community Plan Specific Plan Master Plan Planned Unit Development Site Plan Rezone Prezone Use Permit Land Division (Subdivision, etc.) Annexation Redevelopment Coastal Permit Other: Project Approval**Development Type:** Residential: Units \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Office: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_ Commercial: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres \_\_\_\_\_ Employees \_\_\_\_\_ Industrial: Sq.ft. \_\_\_\_\_ Acres 15.5 Employees \_\_\_\_\_ Educational: \_\_\_\_\_ Recreational: \_\_\_\_\_ Water Facilities: Type Raw water diversion MGD varies Transportation: Type \_\_\_\_\_ Mining: Mineral \_\_\_\_\_ Power: Type \_\_\_\_\_ MW \_\_\_\_\_ Waste Treatment: Type \_\_\_\_\_ MGD \_\_\_\_\_ Hazardous Waste: Type \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_**Project Issues Discussed in Document:** Aesthetic/Visual Agricultural Land Air Quality Archeological/Historical Biological Resources Coastal Zone Drainage/Absorption Economic/Jobs Fiscal Flood Plain/Flooding Forest Land/Fire Hazard Geologic/Seismic Minerals Noise Population/Housing Balance Public Services/Facilities Recreation/Parks Schools/Universities Septic Systems Sewer Capacity Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading Solid Waste Toxic/Hazardous Traffic/Circulation Vegetation Water Quality Water Supply/Groundwater Wetland/Riparian Growth Inducement Land Use Cumulative Effects Other: \_\_\_\_\_**Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:**Zoning: General Agriculture 40 acres minimum (AG40), GP Designation: Open Space/Resource Conservation (OS/RC)Project Description: *(please use a separate page if necessary)*

The Bellota Weir Modification Project (Project or proposed Project), a continuation of the Calaveras River Anadromous Fish Protection Project and requirement of the Calaveras River Habitat Conservation Plan (CHCP), is a proposal by the Stockton East Water District (SEWD) to design, permit and install a modern fish screen and related improvements at SEWD's Bellota Intake Structure. Project components include construction of a new screened diversion intake and associated conveyance improvements, construction of "fishways" comprised of a roughened channel and fish ladder to improve upstream anadromous fish migration from Mormon Slough, and construction of a fish exclusion structure on the Old Calaveras River to prevent entrainment of juvenile salmonids. The Project has been developed collaboratively with other interested agencies, including, California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) to define a final course of action to eliminate known fish passage impediments while improving Bellota Intake Structure operational flexibility. The Project plans continue to be refined in consultation with resource agencies.

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### Local Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead agency)

Starting Date September 16, 2022 Ending Date October 17, 2022

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Signature of Lead Agency Representative:  Date: 9-15-22

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