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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A PROPOSED MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

### **GLENN COUNTY ROAD R BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PROJECT**

**LEAD AGENCY:** Glenn County Public Works Agency  
777 N. Colusa Street, Willows, CA 95988  
Attn: Talia Richardson

**PROJECT TITLE:** Glenn County Road R Bridge Replacement Project

**PROJECT LOCATION:** County Road (CR) R at its crossing over the Glenn-Colusa Irrigation District Canal in Glenn County, Latitude 39.5869, Longitude -122.1169.  
Glenn USGS Quadrangle, Township 20N, Range 2W, Sections 17 and 18.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The proposed project would replace the existing, functionally obsolete and structurally deficient, bridge on a new alignment. The proposed bridge will be a 4-span, precast, prestressed voided slab bridge with a composite deck. It will accommodate 2 travel lanes with 4-ft shoulders. The superstructure will be supported on driven steel shell piles and spreadfooting abutments. The County plans to realign the roadway approaches slightly west of the current bridge on the south side and slightly to the east of the current bridge on the north side. Approximately 800 feet of County Road R will be reconstructed: 400 feet to the south and 400 feet to the north of the new bridge. County Road R at the project site will be closed during construction. This will result in an approximate 5-mile detour, but will greatly decrease overall impacts, reduce the right of way need, and will decrease the total construction time. Access to adjacent agricultural fields will remain open during the harvest season. Closing the road will also limit environmental impacts due to the ability to limit construction staging to the existing roadway area.

**FINDINGS/DETERMINATION:** The County has reviewed and considered the proposed project and has determined that, subject to mitigation measures identified in the Mitigated Negative Declaration, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, with substantial supporting evidence provided in the Draft Initial Study/Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration. The County hereby prepares, and proposes to approve this project and adopt, a Mitigated Negative Declaration for this project.

**PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD:** A 30-day public review period for the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration will commence no later than December 24, 2022 and end no earlier than January 24, 2023 for interested and concerned individuals and public agencies to submit written comments on the document. Any written comments on the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration must be received at the above address or via email at [gcboard@countyofglenn.net](mailto:gcboard@countyofglenn.net) within the public review period. Copies of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration are available for review at the County Public Works Agency office (at the above address). The Initial Study/Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration is also available on the Glenn County website at: [https://www.countyofglenn.net/sites/default/files/Public\\_Works/2022-CEQA-IS-MND-Glenn-CR-R-Bridge.pdf](https://www.countyofglenn.net/sites/default/files/Public_Works/2022-CEQA-IS-MND-Glenn-CR-R-Bridge.pdf).

**PUBLIC HEARINGS:** The proposed project will require approval from the Glenn County Board of Supervisors. The Board of Supervisors' review of the proposed project is scheduled for January 24, 2023. The Board of Supervisors normally meets at the Glenn County Board of Supervisors Chambers, 525 West Sycamore Street, Suite B1, Willows, CA on Tuesday at 9:05AM, as scheduled. The Board's review of the proposed project will appear on the January 24, 2023 meeting agenda. The Board of Supervisor's review of the proposed project will include an evaluation of the Draft Initial Study/Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration. The meeting will be held in person and via teleconference.