

MAR 29 2023

Notice of Determination

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To:

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Office of Planning and Research

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Public Agency: Sutter Extension Water District

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Yuba City, CA 95993

Contact: Lynn Phillips

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County Clerk

County of: Sutter

Address: 433 2nd Street

Yuba City, CA 95991

Lead Agency (if different from above):

Address: _____

Contact: _____

Phone: _____

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2023020631

Project Title: Sutter Extension Water District 2023 Water Transfer Program

Project Applicant: Sutter Extension Water District

Project Location (include county): Sutter

Project Description: SEWD proposes to sell up to 15,220 acre-feet (AF) of water to the Metropolitan Water District

of Southern California (MWD), or other South of Delta purchasers, including one or more Central Valley Project contractors, or a buyer diverting the transfer water from within or upstream of the Delta (collectively, "Buyers") during the 2023 irrigation season. SEWD proposes to make water available by idling cropland (i.e., non-irrigation of farmland by voluntary participants) and through groundwater substitution. Purchase of the water would lessen potential water supply shortages that the Buyers may occur as a result of dry hydrologic conditions and regulatory restrictions on the pumping in the Delta. Under the proposed project, water made available within the boundaries of SEWD could then be retained and stored in Lake Oroville by the Department of Water Resources for delivery.

This is to advise that the Sutter Extension Water District has approved the above
(Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on March 29, 2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
(date)
described project.

1. The project [will will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [were were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [was was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [was was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [were were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

Sutter Extension Water District, 4525 Franklin Road, Yuba City, CA 95993

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: General Manager

Date: March 19, 2023 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

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