

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

Office of Planning and Research
U.S. Mail: P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
Street Address: 1400 Tenth St., Rm 113 Sacramento, CA 95814

County Clerk
County of: Butte
Address: 155 Nelson Ave Oroville, CA 95965-3411

From:

Public Agency: Butte County Resource Conservation
Address: 150 Chuck Yeager Way, Ste. A Oroville, CA 96965

Contact: Wolfgang Rougle
Phone: (530) 721-0164

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): 2023050161

Project Title: Concow Pyrodiversity Project

Project Applicant: CAL FIRE BTU

Project Location (include county): N of community of Concow, ~ 25 mi N of Oroville, Butte County, CA.

Project Description:

The project is a 1,174-acre fuels reduction and ecological enhancement effort situated within the Flea Valley (North Fork Feather River) and Concow Creek (West Branch Feather River) watersheds on private lands, mostly owned by Sierra Pacific Industries. Project would consist of pile burning, broadcast burning, manual fuels reduction, some incidental roads maintenance, mechanical fuels reduction, and prescribed grazing. The latter two activities would be restricted to slopes less than 50%.

This is to advise that the Butte County Resource Conservation District has approved the above (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on 6/15/2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

- 1. The project 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 made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for this project.
6. Findings were 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:

150 Chuck Yeager Way, Ste. A, Oroville, CA 95965

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Chairman, Board of Directors

Date: 6/15/2023 Date Received for filing at OPR: