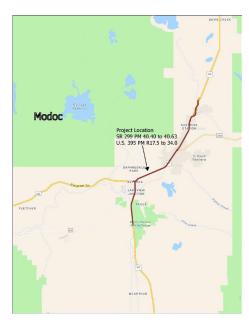
PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Intent to Adopt a Negative Declaration and Notice of a Proposed Section 4(f) *De Minimis*Determination for the Alturas Capital Preventative Maintenance (CAPM) project.

WHAT IS BEING PLANNED

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to rehabilitate the pavement and repair or replace several drainage culverts on State Route 299 (SR 299) from post mile (PM) 40.40 to 40.63 and on US Route 395 (U.S. 395) from PM R17.5 to 34.0 in Modoc County. The purpose of the project is to extend the pavement life, improve ride quality, minimize worker exposure, and reduce extraordinary maintenance. The project is needed because pavement within the project limits is deteriorating to the extent that routine maintenance is no longer enough to maintain reasonable ride quality. Several culverts are in poor condition and may cause damage to the roadway if not repaired or replaced.



WHAT IS AVAILABLE

Caltrans has prepared a draft Initial Study (IS) with a proposed Negative Declaration (ND) and a proposed Section

4(f) *De Minimis* Determination (Appendix E of IS). The document is available for review beginning 12/21/2023 at the following locations:

- https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-3/d3-programs/d3- environmental/d3-environmental-docs
- Modoc County Library, 212 W. 3rd Street, Alturas
- Caltrans District 2 Office at 1657 Riverside Drive, Redding, (weekdays 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.)

OPEN HOUSE

Caltrans hosted an Open House on Tuesday, November 7th, between 4:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the Alturas City Council Chambers in Alturas.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please submit written comments to Julie McFall at Caltrans, North Region Environmental- District 2, 1657 Riverside Drive, Redding, CA 96001. All comments must be received by **01/21/2024**. For more information about this project, please contact Javed Iqbal, Project Manager, at (530) 945-1932.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS

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