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**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION
(Public Resources Code section 21108)**

File Ref: A3065
SCH#: 2005072046
Item: 25

Title: American River Watershed Common Features, Water Resources Development Act of 2016 Project, American River Contract 2 Project

Applicant: Central Valley Flood Protection Board

Location: Sovereign land in the American River, adjacent to the right bank of the American River from River Mile (RM) 7.45 to 7.65 at the Howe Avenue Bridge, near Sacramento, Sacramento County

Description: The Project includes the construction and use of erosion protection including launchable rock toe protection, rock tiebacks, planting benches, and soil-filled rock slope protection along the American River at Site 2-2. The State Lands Commission action is an approval of a 20-year General Lease – Public Agency Use through December 16, 2044.

This is to advise that the California State Lands Commission, as Lead Agency Responsible Agency, approved the above-described project on December 17, 2024, and made the following determinations regarding the project.

- 1) The project will will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2) An Environmental Impact Report (EIR) was prepared 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 or was not adopted for this project.
- 5) A Statement of Overriding Considerations was was not adopted for the project.
- 6) Findings were were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

The lead agency for the project, the Central Valley Flood Protection Board (CVFPB), certified an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program (MMRP) on June 9, 2016. On September 24, 2021, the CVFPB certified a Supplemental EIR and MMRP. The California State Lands Commission has considered the EIRs as certified for this project and has adopted an independent Mitigation Monitoring Program incorporating CVFPB's documents. The EIR, Supplemental EIR, and the record of project approval may be examined at the above shown California State Lands Commission Sacramento office address.

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