

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2018122049

Project Title: Melucci Diversion and Stream Crossing (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0528-R1)

Project Location (Trinity County): 769 Barker Valley Road, Hayfork, CA 96041. APN: 017-440-033-000.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement (1600-2019-0528-R1), pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1602, to the project Applicant, Mr. William Melucci.

The project is limited to the upgrade of a culvert on an unnamed tributary to Barker Creek and a surface water diversion on Barker Creek for domestic (year-round) and cannabis cultivation (curtailed) purposes.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the project described above on May 10, 2024, and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project **will not** have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the environmental impact report prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures **were** made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Reporting or Monitoring Plan **was** adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations **was not** adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings **were** made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The Final EIR prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as a Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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