

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: True North Family Farms Commercial Cannabis Cultivation (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-TRI-09343-R1)

Project Location (Trinity): The project is located at an unnamed tributary to Grub Gulch, tributary to West Weaver Creek in Trinity County and outside of the community of Weaverville; 40.72979, -122.98046; Assessor's Parcel Number 024-068-35-00. The diversion occurs within a deeded easement on APN 024-680-61-00.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement (EPIMS-TRI-09343-R1), pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1602, to the project Applicant, D'Andre Caldwell-Johnson.

The project is limited to the following projects related to commercial cannabis cultivation occurring within the premises of APN 024-068-35-00: 1) diversion of water 2) replacement of a culvert with a rocked ford, and 3) remediation of wetland habitat.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the project described above on September 15, 2023 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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Date Received for filing at OPR: _____