

# Notice of Determination

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

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2014062001

**Project Title:** State Route 1/9 Intersection Improvements Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0334-R3)

**Project Location:** The project is located at Arroyo de San Pedro Regaldo, a tributary to the San Lorenzo River, in the County of Santa Cruz, State of California; Latitude 36.984722, Longitude -122.02944 or Section 12, Township 11S, Range 2W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Santa Cruz; Assessor's Parcel Number 008-172-08 and Caltrans Right of Way.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0334-R3, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, the City of Santa Cruz.

The City of Santa Cruz proposes to widen the State Route 1/9 intersection by adding additional turn lanes, bicycle lanes, and shoulders to reduce traffic. The proposed project will extend a culvert approximately 15 feet over Arroyo de San Pedro Regaldo at the northeast corner of the State Route 1/9 intersection.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on 06/12/2020 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  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures  were /  were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan  was /  was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The  mitigated negative declaration /  negative declaration 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 Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: June 18, 2020

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