

Notice of Determination**- 1 -****To:**

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**Lead Agency**

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015122036

Project Title: Ackerman Creek Bridge (No. 10C-0065) Replacement Project; Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-MEN-15986-R1C

Project Location (include county): The project is located on North State Street approximately 0.2 miles north of Orr Springs Road and east of US Highway 101 in the City of Ukiah in Mendocino County, State of California; Latitude 39.17927° North, Longitude 123.20995° West.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-MEN-15986-R1C, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Howard Dashiell, representing Mendocino County Department of Transportation (MDOT).

MDOT proposes to replace the Ackerman Creek Bridge with a new single-span bridge which will accommodate two 11-foot lanes, a 12-foot-wide center turning lane, 6-foot shoulders and 8-foot pedestrian walkways on either side. The scope of the work includes replacing the bridge, removing historic check dam and fish ladder from stream bed, and constructing a new roughened channel stream bed design. The scope of work includes replacing the bridge, and bridge approaches, placement of retaining walls, replacement of railings, utility relocation, and repaving the roadway. The Project would require three temporary stream channel crossings that cross the work area, as well as construction trestles, and a temporary gravel pad.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above-described project on October 27, 2021, and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will / 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 / 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 / was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were / were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The final environmental impact report 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 by:

Signature Michael van Hattem **Date:** 10/27/2021

Michael van Hattem, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____