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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Strauss Stream Crossings and Landslide Stabilization Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0859-R1).

Project Location: The project is located approximately 22 miles east of the Garberville; affecting unnamed tributaries to the Mattole River in the County of Humboldt, State of California; Section 25, Township 3S, Range 1E; Humboldt Base and Meridian, in the Honeydew, Calif. 7.5-minute quadrangle, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map; Assessor's Parcel Number: 108-012-010; latitude 40.1666N and longitude 124.0149 W at the parcel centroid.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0859-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Tristan Strauss. The project consists of three encroachment(s):

One encroachment is to upgrade a failing and undersized culvert. Work for this encroachment will include excavation, culvert replacement, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion. One encroachment is to rock armor the outlet of an existing 18" CMP culvert. One encroachment is to stabilize a recent landslide adjacent to a Class III watercourse. Work for this encroachment will include debris removal, excavation, compaction of fill, rock armoring, and erosion control measures as necessary to minimize erosion of the landslide feature.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as the Lead Agency / a Responsible Agency approved the above described project 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. A mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
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 Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

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 related to the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature Scott Bauer Date: 1/16/2020
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