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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Torres Stream Crossing Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0600-R1)

Project Location: The project is located within the Upper North Fork Mattole River watershed, approximately two miles north of the town of Honeydew, County of Humboldt, State of California; Section 30, T2S, R1E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Bull Creek U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number 107-291-017.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0600-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Christian Torres. The project is limited to one encroachment. This project consists of upgrading an undersized culvert. Work for this encroachment will include excavation, removal of the undersized 12" diameter culvert, replacement with a minimum 24" diameter culvert, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

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

Handwritten signature of Scott Bauer in blue ink.

Date:

8/3/2020

Scott Bauer, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor
Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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