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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Wojcik Wetland Overflow and Stream Crossings Remediation Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-HUM-16790-R1)

Project Location (include county): The project is located within the Little Van Duzen River watershed, approximately 9 ½ miles east of the town of Bridgeville, County of Humboldt, State of California; Assessor's Parcel Number 210-250-029.

Project Description: The project is limited to three encroachments. The first encroachment consists of remediation activities at the overflow of a wetland feeding a stream. Work for this encroachment includes excavation, removal of old culverts and other embedded infrastructure and obstructions, construction of a rock-lined drainage swale, and construction of an appropriately designed vented ford crossing. The second encroachment shall upgrade an existing stream crossing by rock armoring the outlet. The third encroachment involves the decommissioning of a Humboldt-crossing and restoring the stream channel to its natural condition. Work for this encroachment includes excavation of the existing fill prism and recontouring the channel and side slopes.

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

Date:

Cheri Sanville, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____