

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Collins Water Diversion Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-HUM-34121-R1C)

Project Location: The project to be completed is located within the Larabee Creek watershed, approximately 0.5 miles north of the town of Blocksburg, County of Humboldt, State of California. The project is located in Section 20, T2S, R5E, Humboldt Base and Meridian; in the Blocksburg U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle; Assessor's Parcel Number 217-271-002; latitude 40.2837 N and 123.6365 W at the point of diversion (POD).

Project Description: The project is limited to one encroachment for water diversion from a spring-fed onstream reservoir tributary to Larabee Creek. Water is diverted for domestic use and irrigation. Work for the water diversion will include use and maintenance of the water diversion infrastructure.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the project described above 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** prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures **were** made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Reporting or Monitoring Plan **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 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 a Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office:

Signature: Rebecca Garwood Date: 3/14/2024

Rebecca Garwood, Environmental Program Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____