

# NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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(If submitted; otherwise address to project file )

**FROM:** CA. Dept. of Water Resources  
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**SUBJECT:** Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance Public Resources Code section 21108.

**PROJECT TITLE:** Carpenter Road Floodplain Restoration Project

**LEAD AGENCY:** City of Modesto **SCH#:** 2019100230

**CONTACT PERSON:** Nathan Houx **PHONE NUMBER:** (209) 571-5526

**PROJECT LOCATION:** 37.61021, -121.02785

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The project will improve the functionality of the Tuolumne River and support riparian species through the excavation of a side channel, low floodplain, and high floodplain areas and create habitat through the restoration of native vegetation. The Project accommodates the potential for future public access features by ensuring the design does not conflict with possible trail or emergency access corridors. No trail construction is included in the current Project scope.

### FINDINGS:

This is to advise that the California Department of Water Resources Riverine Stewardship Program approved the project described above and awarded **a Grant** in the amount of \$2,137,837 on May 27, 2021.

The Department of Water Resources has made the following determinations regarding the project.

1. The project **will not** have significant effects on the environment.
2. A **Environmental Impact Report** was prepared for this project by State Water Resources Control Board.
3. Additional mitigation measures **were not** made a condition of the issuance of the funding agreement.
4. A Statement of Overriding Considerations **was not** adopted for this project.

The California Department of Water Resources is a "Responsible Agency" not a "Lead Agency for this project and the DFW fees for this project were paid on 03/10/2026.

Signature: Jim Long Date: 5/8/2026  
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DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING AND POSTING AT OPR: \_\_\_\_\_

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