

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2021040664

Project Title: Calaboose Creek Undergrounding Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SHA-25863-R1)

Project Location (Shasta): The project is located at Calaboose Creek, a Class I stream exhibiting both anadromous and resident reaches, along two discontinuous segments of the channel on the east side of Oregon Street in downtown Redding; Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APN) 071-390-019-000.

Project Site 1 is located at approximately 40.583179N, -122.394156W, at the segment of channel between Yuba Street and Butte Street.

Project Site 2 is located at approximately 40.584800N, -122.394839W, at the segment of channel between Tehama Street and Shasta Street.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS-SHA-25863-R1, pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1602, the project Applicant, City of Redding, as represented by Amber Kelley.

The projects are limited to the undergrounding of two discontinuous segments of Calaboose Creek for the purpose of installing a sidewalk to improve pedestrian access and safety on the eastside of Oregon Street. The completion of the project will encompass earthwork, culvert extension, drainage modification, vegetation removal, utility relocation, paving, sign installation, and striping. A total of approximately 460-linear-feet of 4-foot by 8-foot, and 5-foot by 10-foot, box culvert will be installed within the two open channel segments of Calaboose Creek along Oregon Street,

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between existing undergrounded box culverts. The new sidewalk, curb, and gutter will be constructed over the subsurface box culvert.

The project will impact a total of 0.111 acre (460 linear feet) of stream, including 0.023 acre (107 linear feet) of temporary impact to a concrete-lined segment of channel and 0.088 acre (353 linear feet) of permanent impact to a segment of channel with natural substrate. In addition, the project will permanently impact 0.032 acre of fresh emergent wetland. Six trees with a diameter at breast height (DBH) of 6- to 12-inches, and approximately twelve trees with a DBH of 6-inches or less, including one valley oak, will be removed over the course of project activities.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the project described above on March 26, 2026 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** 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: DocuSigned by:
Adam McKannay
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Adam McKannay, Inland Habitat Conservation Manager

Date Received for filing at LCI: