

## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

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To: Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: California Transportation Commission  
Attn: Cherry Zamora  
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**Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 of the Public Resources Code.**

**Project Title:** Last Chance Grade Permanent Restoration Project

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| 2021110050                        | Stephen Umbertis                  | (707) 382-2889             |
| <b>State Clearinghouse Number</b> | <b>Lead Agency Contact Person</b> | <b>Area Code/Telephone</b> |

**Project Location** (include county): The project is located on United States Highway (US) 101 from post mile (PM) 12.7 to PM 16.5 in Del Norte County.

**Project Description:** On US 101 located approximately 10 miles south of Crescent City in Del Norte County, the project would provide permanent roadway restoration and realignment through a constructed tunnel bypass.

This is to advise that the California Transportation Commission has approved the above  
(☐ Lead Agency/ ☒ Responsible Agency)

described project on August 20-21, 2026, and has made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

1. The project (☒ will/ ☐ will not) have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.  
☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures (☐ X were/ ☐ were not) made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. Mitigation reporting or monitoring plan (☐ X was / ☐ was not) adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations ( ☒ was / ☐ was not) adopted for this project.
6. Findings (☒ were/ ☐ were not) made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

The above identified document with comments and responses and record of project approval is available to the General Public at: Caltrans District 1, 1656 Union Street, Eureka, CA 95501.



PAUL GOLASZEWSKI  
*Signature (Public Agency)*

08/26/2026  
*Date*

Chief Deputy Director  
California Transportation Commission  
*Title*

Date received for filing at LCI: