

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

TO: Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation
 State Clearinghouse
 P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

FROM: Central Valley Flood Protection Board (Board)
 3310 El Camino Avenue, Suite 170
 Sacramento, CA 95821
 Jennifer Calles, (916) 837-3683
 Jennifer.Calles@cvflood.ca.gov

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

State Clearinghouse Number (SCH No.): 2022020408

Project Title: Permit No. 19862 – Power Line Relocations for Mariposa Bridge Replacement

Project Applicant: PG&E

Lead Agency/Address: CA Department of Transportation, 1976 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Stockton, CA 95250

Lead Agency Contact Person: Scott Guidi, Branch Chief, 209-479-1839, Scott.Guidi@dot.ca.gov

Project Location/City/County: The power line relocations begin approximately 450 feet south of Mariposa creek and proceed northward along Highway 59 to a point approximately 750 feet north of the creek, in Merced County (37.23389, -120.48793).

Project Description: Approval of Permit No. 19862, under California Code of Regulations, Title 23, Article 3, Section 6, for work within an adopted plan of flood control: To relocate approximately 2,100 feet of 70 kV power line aerial crossing over Mariposa Creek on Highway 59. The project also includes relocation of two PG&E poles more than 100 feet from top of the bank.

This is to advise that the Board, as the **Responsible Agency**, approved the above-described project on 7/27/2025 and made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

1. The project [will / will not] have a significant effect on the environment (This determination is limited to effects within the Board’s permitting jurisdiction as a responsible agency).
2. [An Environmental Impact Report (EIR) / A Mitigated Negative Declaration] was prepared by the lead agency for the original project.
3. Additional mitigation measures [were / were not] made a condition of the Board’s approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan [was / was not] adopted by the Board for this project
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations [was / was not] adopted by the Board for this project.
6. Findings [were / were not] made by the Board pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

Responsible Agency Statement: The Mitigated Negative Declaration, prepared by the lead agency for the project, is available to the general public at the lead agency’s office listed above. The Board’s administrative record related to the encroachment permit is available for public review at the Board’s office.

Chris Lief

7/27/2025

Signature Chris Lief, Executive Officer Date

Date Received for filing at Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation:

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
 Reference: Sections 21100-21174, Public Resources Code.