

Notice of Determination

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2024051181

Project Title: EA 03-0J400 El Dorado County- Placerville U.S. 50 CAPM (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. ELD-57806-R2)

Project Location: El Dorado County, California, along U.S. Highway 50 between post mile 19.6 to 24.8.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number ELD-57806-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), as represented by Najed Dakak.

The project is limited to the rehabilitation or replacement of 12 culverts. Eight (8) corrugated steel pipe culverts will be replaced with reinforced concrete pipe culverts. Rehabilitation activities on the remaining four culverts will include invert paving or cementitious lining. Other activities associated with culvert rehabilitation and/or replacement include the installation of inlet and outlet end treatments (flared end sections or rock slope protection) and installation or replacement of drainage inlets and concrete headwalls. Riparian vegetation will be removed at the inlet and/or outlet at several locations. This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above-described Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement on the date signed below 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 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.

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5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The 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 execution of the above Streambed Alteration Agreement as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Signature: _____ Date: 6/11/2025

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