

## Notice of Determination

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

**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2025030160

**Project Title:** Ruddy Creek Pump Station (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. BUT-57235-R2)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is located at Ruddy Creek, in the County of Butte, State of California; Latitude 39.497910, Longitude -121.598866 (WGS 84 datum, decimal degrees); Assessor's Parcel Number 030-221-043.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number BUT-57235-R2, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Sewerage Commission – Oroville Region as represented by Mikah Salsi.

The project is limited to activities associated with the construction of a new pump station and discharge line which will connect to an existing manhole (MH-W001) on State Route 162. Open trenching of Ruddy Creek will be required in order to install a 10-inch sanitary sewer force main discharge line approximately 6.5 feet under the bed of the creek. Once the discharge line is placed, the trench will be backfilled, and gravel will be placed over the crossing.

No in-stream work will be required for the installation of the above-mentioned activities. Construction activity will occur while the existing drainage is dry.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, executed the above 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 MND prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).

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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.
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 MND 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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