



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

California Environmental Quality Act Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21008 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: California Regional Water Quality Control Board
Central Valley Region, Redding Office
364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205
Redding, CA 96002

Date: 28 October 2025

State Clearinghouse Number:
2025040478

Project Title:
Commercial Center Safe Routes to School and Green Stormwater Infrastructure Project
(WDID 5A45CR00679)

Project Location - Specific:
The project coordinates are as follows: Latitude: 40.681725° and Longitude: -122.350822°

Project Location - County:
Shasta County

Name of Applicant:
William Bond
City of Shasta Lake, Public Works
4477 Main Street
Shasta Lake, CA 96019

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:
The project will generate a seamless network of complete streets creating safe routes to Grand Oaks School and connections to improved open space areas, trails, residential neighborhoods, shopping, employment centers, government facilities, Tribal owned land, recreation areas, and other local destinations. These projects will serve the needs of all transportation users including pedestrians, bicyclists, people with disabilities, transit riders, and motorists.

The roadway portion of the project will have complete streets components to promote multi-modal transportation. The project also includes an approximately 2-acre open space on the northwest portion of the project site, adjacent to Moody Creek. This area has been set aside to provide amenities such as walking trails, native landscaping including shade trees, green sustainable stormwater infrastructure including bio retention, bio-swales, pedestrian lighting, seating, picnic benches, shade structure, drinking fountains, waste receptacles and bike racks.

Permanent impacts will occur to a stormwater ditch and stormwater swale as a result of drainage improvements which include the extension of storm drain pipe, installation of new storm drain inlets, and installation of rock lined ditches.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project:

This is to advise that the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board, as a Responsible Agency, has approved the above-described project on 24 October 2025 and has made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

1. The Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board considered the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration as prepared by the City of Shasta Lake.
2. The Project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted for this project.
6. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration is available to the general public at: [SCH Number 2025040478](https://ceqanet.lci.ca.gov/Project/2025040478) (<https://ceqanet.lci.ca.gov/Project/2025040478>).

The record of project approval is available to the general public at: [Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board's Adopted Orders Web page](https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/401_wq_certs/) (https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_decisions/adopted_orders/401_wq_certs/).

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