

## Notice of Determination

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***SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.***

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2025060510

Project Title: Culvert Rehabilitation and Fish Passage

Project Applicant: CA Dept of Transportation

Project Location (include county): Del Norte, U.S. Highway 101 from PM M0.0 to 46.5

Project Description:

Caltrans proposes to rehabilitate 19 drainage systems and remediate fish passage at two of those locations on U.S. Highway 101 between Post Miles M0.0 and 46.5 in Del Norte County. The purpose of this project is to (1) rehabilitate existing drainage systems to a state of good condition and (2) to remediate barriers to fish passage.

This is to advise that the California Department of Transportation ( Lead Agency or  Responsible Agency) has approved the above described project on 03/23/2026 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 [ were  were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [ 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.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the Negative Declaration, is available to the general public at: Caltrans District 1 Office, 1656 Union Street, Eureka, CA; Del Norte County Libraries at 190 Price Mall in Crescent City and 241 First Street in Smith River; and online at [tinyurl.com/dn101culverts](https://tinyurl.com/dn101culverts)

Signature (Public Agency): Rachel Conway Title: Environmental Coordinator

Date: 03/26/2026 Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.