NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

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1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

[X] Shasta County Clerk/Registrar of Voters
1643 Market Street
Redding, CA 96001

FROM:

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A copy of the environmental document and the record of the project approval may be examined at the Planning Division, 1855 Placer Street, Suite 103, Redding, CA 96001.

Subject: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

PROJECT TITLE: **Use Permit 24-0009**

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NO.: 2025090229

APPLICANT: RPCA Solar 14, LLC
44 Montgomery Street
Suite 3150
San Francisco CA 95104

Date Approved: 01/22/2026

Original Sent to Clerk: 01/23/26

Date Fees Paid: 01/22/26

PROJECT LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION: RPCA Solar 14, LLC has requested approval of Use Permit 24-0009 to construct, operate, and maintain an unmanned approximately 25-acre private solar energy production facility that would generate up to 3 megawatts (MW) of alternating current (3.9 MW direct current) energy. The project will interconnect to Pacific Gas and Electric Company's (PG&E) existing electrical distribution system located adjacent to the site. The project will utilize approximately 8,721 solar modules and 40 string inverters. The solar modules will be mounted to a steel racking system which will be anchored to the ground using driven steel piers. The overall height of the array will be no more than 15 feet above ground surface. Other site improvements consist of ground-mounted electrical equipment, an underground medium voltage utility line, pole mounted infrastructure to facilitate interconnection, a chain link security fence around the site equipment, and an improved driveway access to Wilson Hill Road. The project site is located at the southeast corner of the intersection of Battle Creek Bottom Road and Wilson Hill Road approximately 5 miles south of the intersection of State Highway 44 and Wilson Hill Road, Manton, CA. Assessor's Parcel Number: 703-250-020.

This is to advise that the County of Shasta, as [X] lead agency/[ ] responsible agency, has approved the project described above and has made the following determinations regarding the project:

1. The project in its approved form [ ] will, [X] will not, have a significant effect on the environment.
2. [ ] An Environmental Impact Report was prepared and certified for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. [X] A Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
4. [ ] A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
5. [ ] Readoption of a Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration. Fees which have been previously paid to the Department of Fish and Game are not required. A document posting fee required by the County Clerk's office still applies.
6. [X] Mitigation measures were made a condition of the approval of the project.
7. [ ] Findings were made pursuant to Section 15091 of the State CEQA guidelines.
8. A statement of overriding considerations [ ] was, [X] was not, adopted for this project.

DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING:

Sean Ewing, Director
Shasta County Department of Resource Management

REFERENCE: California Administrative Code, Title 14,
Division 6, Chapter 3, Sections 15075, 15094, 15373