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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Project Title: Goheen Bank Stabilization (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SHA-59858-R1)

Project Location (Shasta): The project is located at 22393 Old 44 Drive near the community of Palo Cedro on Cow Creek, tributary to the Sacramento River. Latitude 40.56362, Longitude -122.22406; Assessor's Parcel Number 059-160-007-000.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS- EPIMS-SHA-59858-R1 pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Ann Goheen.

The project is limited to placement of rock slope protection (RSP) along 100 linear feet of the northern streambank of Cow Creek downstream of the Silver Bridge Road bridge. Recent storms have caused substantial erosion of the streambank, threatening infrastructure on private property.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:
Ann Goheen

Exempt Status:

☐ Statutory Exemption.

☒ Categorical Exemption. Type – **Class 4; California Code of Regulations, Title 14, section 15304.** Minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes.

Reasons why project is exempt: There will be no removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees as a result of this project. The project will have no significant effect on the environment.

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CDFW Contact Person: Kate Blanchard, Senior Environmental Scientist, Specialist; 530-225-2367

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