# Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: 2026010191

Project Title: Trinity County General Plan Update

Lead Agency: County of Trinity

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Project Location: Unincorporated county *City* Trinity County *County*

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

Trinity County is updating its General Plan, the State-mandated document that guides how and where the county will grow over the next 25 years. The Plan covers topics such as land use, transportation, housing, conservation, open space, and public safety. It will shape Trinity County's future and define County priorities for years to come. The objectives of the General Plan Update include: (1) Express the community's vision for Trinity County's future; (2) Provide a balance between growth and conservation that meets community needs and protects Trinity County's quality of life; (3) Inform residents, developers, and decision makers of the ground rules that guide development; (4) Ensure that development occurs in an efficient, orderly manner that minimizes costs to taxpayers; and (5) Engage in a comprehensive and inclusive outreach process.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

- **Air Quality:** Mitigation Measure (MM) AQ-2a requires construction health risk assessments, and MM AQ-2b requires the implementation of diesel engine exhaust control measures and the use of alternative fuels during project construction; however, impacts would remain significant and unavoidable.
- **Air Quality:** MM AQ-3 requires the preparation of Odor Control Plans, which would reduce nuisance odor impacts to a less than significant.
- **Biological Resources:** MM BIO-1 requires a qualified biologist to conduct a Biological Resource Assessment, which would reduce and minimize impacts upon all special-status plants, wildlife species, jurisdictional waters, and sensitive habitats to less than significant.
- **Cultural Resources and Geology and Soils:** MM CUL-2 requires a cultural and paleontological resource assessment to be conducted by a qualified professional if deemed necessary for the proposed project, which would reduce potential impacts on cultural and paleontological resources to less than significant.
- **Greenhouse Gas Emissions:** MM GHG-1 requires project consistency with the CARB 2022 Scoping Plan; however, impacts would remain significant and unavoidable.
- **Noise:** MM NOI-1a requires project-specific construction noise studies, and MM NOI-1b requires the implementation of construction noise reduction measures, which would reduce noise-related construction impacts to a ss than significant.
- **Noise:** MM NOI-2 requires construction vibration analyses and control plans, which would reduce vibration-related construction impacts to less than significant.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

The County is aware of public concerns related to cannabis cultivation, wildfire severity, and the expansion of uses allowed by right which might reduce the potential for conservation of natural resources and open space.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

- California Department of Fish and Wildlife