

Notice of Determination

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To:

☒ Office of Planning and Research
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☐ County Clerk

County of: _____
 Address: _____

From:

Public Agency: Caltrans
 Address: 2015 East Shields Avenue, Suite 200

 Contact: Judith Lopez
 Phone: 559-240-5068

Lead Agency (if different from above): _____

Address: _____

 Contact: _____
 Phone: _____

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): 2026030130

Project Title: KIN 41 Drainage Restoration

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location (include county): On State Routes 33, 41, 43, 198 and 269 in Kings County.

Project Description:

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to repair and replace 49 existing drainage culverts on State Route 33, 41, 43, 198, and 269 at various locations in Kings County. Additional improvements would be made to drainage inlets, headwalls, dikes, electrical conduits, concrete structures, and dig-outs.

This is to advise that the Caltrans has approved the above
 (☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency)

described project on 4/30/2026 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
 (date)
 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-2015 E. Shields Avenue, Suite 200, Fresno CA 93726.

Signature (Public Agency): Judith Lopez Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

Date: 6/23/2026 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____