Notice of Determination

To:
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From:
Public Agency: California Dept of Transportation (Caltrans)
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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): 2026040484

Project Title: SR-138 Culverts Repair Project

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location (include county): San Bernardino County

Project Description: The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) plans to repair or replace 39 culverts, which are structures that allow water to flow under a road or embankment, along State Route 138 (SR-138) from Post Mile (PM) 19.8 (0.34 mile west of Summit Post Office Road) to PM 36.6 (0.13 mile west of Lake Drive) in San Bernardino County, California.

This is to advise that the California Dept of Transportation (☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency) has approved the above described project on 10/26/2026 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: California Department of Transportation, 464 West 4th Street, MS 823, San Bernardino, CA, 92401-1400

Signature (Public Agency): Malisa Lieng Title: Senior Environmental Scientist
Date: 10/26/2026 Date Received for filing at OPR: ———

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.