

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT (FONSI) NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA)

Pursuant to USDOT Order 5610.1C, Paragraph 5.b

Date: 9/18/24

To: State Clearinghouse

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Project Description: Caltrans proposes to replace the existing concrete Limekiln Creek Bridge and construct two viaducts in Monterey County on State Route 1 near Lucia. Within the limits of the proposed project, State Route 1 is a two-lane undivided highway with two 10- to 12-foot lanes and 0- to 4-foot non-standard shoulders. The existing bridge consists of eight piers and two abutments and is approximately 580 feet long and experiencing deterioration.

The Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR)/Environmental Assessment (EA) prepared for the project was circulated for public review between December 22, 2023, and February 5, 2024. Due to the remote location of the project, a virtual public meeting was held January 17, 2024. All comments received during the public review period have been considered. A Notice of Determination with the State Clearinghouse was published on September 6, 2024.

This is to advise you that a finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) has been made for this project by the California Department of Transportation as assigned by the Federal Highway Administration pursuant to 23 USC 327. A copy of the FONSI and the attached Environmental Assessment can be obtained from the State Clearinghouse website, the California Department of Transportation office located at the above address, and online at the Project website: https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-5/district-5-current-projects/05-1f510

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