

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2008072088

Project Title: San Francisco Garter Snake Recovery Action Plan, SFO West of Bayshore Property (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SMO-65963-R3)

Project Location (San Mateo County): The project sites are located at the San Francisco International Airport, West of Bayshore (WOB) Property, and routine maintenance activities will occur in Cupid Row sediment trap, Cupid Row Canal, San Felipe Canal, and South Lomita Canal, in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement (EPIMS-SMO-65963-R3), pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1602, the project Applicant, San Francisco International Airport, as represented by Audrey Park.

The Project involves conducting sediment and vegetation removal activities and implementation of a herbicide application pilot project to preserve flood conveyance capacity in existing canals on the West of Bayshore property, as well as to protect and improve habitat for SFGS and CRLF by reestablishing and maintaining open water and aquatic habitat conditions.

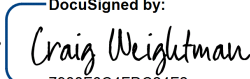
This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the project described above on 7/31/2026 and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW's permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.

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2. CDFW considered the **Mitigated Negative Declaration** prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures **were** made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
4. A Mitigation Reporting or Monitoring Plan **was** adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW's record of project approval as a Responsible Agency is available at CDFW's regional office.

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Date: 7/31/2026

Date Received for filing at LCI: