

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resource Code.

State Clearinghouse Number: 2019012052
Project Title: Lake Shastina Fuels Reduction
Project Location: Siskiyou County

Project Description: The Humboldt County Public Works Department is providing funding to Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District for the Siskiyou Juniper Treatment and Landscape Restoration Project to implement treatments on up to 600 acres of State Responsibility Area (SRA) lands in Lake Shastina, Weed, CA, Siskiyou County. The Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District has prepared a Project-Specific Analysis (PSA) and addendum for the project as a later activity covered by the California Vegetation Treatment Project (CalVTP) Program Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Lake Shastina Fuels Reduction Project. The proposed treatment types (i.e. Fuels Reduction) and treatment activities (i.e. mechanical thinning) are consistent with those evaluated in the CalVTP Program EIR and, pursuant to PRC PRC § 4483, have been designed to avoid type conversion in areas where chaparral and/or coastal sage scrub plant communities may be present. Maintenance treatments would involve the same vegetation treatment types and activities used in the initial treatments. The purpose of these treatments is to promote forest and watershed health, reduce fuel load, and demonstrate efficacy of climate beneficial prescriptions.

This is to advise that Humboldt County Public Works Department (Lead Agency Responsible Agency) has approved the above-described project on [3/13/2026] and has made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

1. The project will have a significant effect on the environment.
2. A Program Environmental Impact Report (CalVTP Program EIR) was previously prepared (SCH# 2019012052) pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. A Project Specific Analysis (PSA) [and Addendum] was prepared for the Siskiyou Juniper Treatment and Landscape Restoration Project. This analysis determined the project is within the scope of the CalVTP Program EIR and consistent with CEQA Guidelines Section 15168(c)(2).
4. The CalVTP Program EIR sufficiently analyzes and addresses potential environmental impacts from the project, and the project will not trigger any of the criteria requiring additional CEQA review pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15162. The project will not result in new significant impacts or a substantial increase in the severity of the significant environmental impacts identified in the CalVTP Program EIR.
5. Mitigation measures and standard project requirements from the CalVTP Program EIR were made a condition of the approval of the project; no new project specific mitigation measures are required.
6. The implementation of applicable CalVTP Program EIR mitigation measures and standard project requirements will be monitored and reported pursuant to the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program that was adopted for this project.

Dated Received for filing at OPR:

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21087, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

7. The previous statement of overriding considerations in the CalVTP Program EIR was reaffirmed and adopted for this project by Shasta Valley RCD (lead agency).
8. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of State CEQA Guidelines Section 15091.

This is to certify that the Lake Shastina Fuels Reduction Project PSA and Addendum and record of project approval for the CalVTP Program EIR are available to the public on the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection webpage with the environmental documentation associated with individual approved CalVTP projects: <https://bof.fire.ca.gov/projects-and-programs/calvtp-homepage-and-storymap/>.

Signature: 
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Date: __March 19, 2026__