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Subject:

Review of Portions of the Recirculated Environmental Impact Report for the River Crossing Marketplace Specific Plan, State Clearinghouse Number 2017052030, City of Redding, Shasta County

Dear Mr. Manuel:

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (Department) has reviewed the Recirculated Environmental Impact Report (REIR) for the above-referenced project (Project). The City released a Draft EIR on April 13, 2018. The City received comments "that the appendices to the Draft EIR involving Health Risk Assessment and the Traffic Impact Assessment report (TIAR) were either not included or were incomplete. The City has included this information in the recirculated Draft EIR. In addition, the City has revised the Air Quality and Greenhouse Gases sections to the Draft EIR to include additional information and reflect the most current case law." The REIR includes the following documents as part of the recirculation: Section 4.2 Air Quality, Section 4.6 Greenhouse Gases, Appendix 4.2-2 Health Risk Assessment, Appendix 4.12-1 Traffic Impact Analysis. Since sections pertaining to biological resources are not being recirculated at this time, the Department has no comment. If the Project description changes in any way or additional significant biological resource information becomes available, the Department should be notified and provided an opportunity to offer comments regarding the updated information.

We appreciate the opportunity to review this Project. If you have any questions, please contact me at (530) 225-2779, or by email at <a href="mailto:Amy.Henderson@wildlife.ca.gov">Amy.Henderson@wildlife.ca.gov</a>.

Sincerely.

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