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

## State Clearinghouse Number: 2015102005

Project Title: Morris Stream Crossings Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-0558-R1)

**Project Location:** The project is located approximately 3.5 miles south of the Town of Willow Creek; affecting one unnamed tributary to the South Fork Trinity River in the County of Humboldt, State of California; Section 20, Township 6N, Range 5E; Humboldt Base and Meridian, in the Willow Creek, Calif. 7.5-minute quadrangle, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map; Assessor's Parcel Number: 524-075-023.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2018-0558-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Jedediah Morris. The project consists of three (3) encroachment(s): One encroachment is to upgrade a ford crossing with no infrastructure to a rock armored ford crossing. Work for this encroachment will include excavation, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion. One encroachment is to rock an inboard ditch and road surface to promote bank stabilization and one encroachment is to maintain an existing 18" diameter culvert at the inlet and outlet. Work for these encroachments will include rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as in the Lead Agency / in a Responsible Agency approved the above described project 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.
- A mitigated negative declaration / mitigated negative declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
  CDFW considered the mitigated negative declaration / 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 / were not made a condition of CDFW's approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan a was / was not 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 Public Resources Code section 21081, subdivision (a).

The 🖾 mitigated negative declaration / 🗌 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 related to the Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement is available to the public for review at CDFW's regional office.

Signature

For

Date: 04.

Scott Bauer, Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_

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