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Notice of Determination

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From:

Public Agency: Yuba County Water Agency
Address: 1220 F Street
Marysville, CA 95901
Contact: Jessica Nichols
Phone: 530-789-4649

Lead Agency (if different from above):
Central Valley Region Water Board
Address: 11020 Sun Center Drive #200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
Contact: Jenna Yang
Phone: 916-464-4764

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

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2019100230

Project Title: Upper Long Bar Salmonid Habitat Restoration Project

Project Applicant: South Yuba River Citizen's League 313 Railroad Ave. Ste 101, Nevada City, CA 95959

Project Location (include county): 6130 State Highway 20, Browns Valley, CA 95918; 39.218527°, -121.363575° (530) 265-5961

Project Description:

The 82-acre Project aims to restore and enhance the Yuba River off-channel and riparian ecosystem processes that are critical for juvenile California Central Valley (CCV) steelhead (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*), California Central Valley (CV) Chinook salmon (*O. tshawytscha*), and other native fish. As a Responsible Agency, Yuba County Water Agency is approving and funding a grant agreement with the South Yuba River Citizens League (SYRCL) to support implementation of the project based on its independent review of the Lead Agency's CEQA documentation.

This is to advise that the Yuba County Water Agency has approved the above
(☐ Lead Agency or ☒ Responsible Agency)

described project on 08/20/2026 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
(date)
described project.

1. The project [☐ will ☒ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [☒ were ☐ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/cwa401/generalorders.html#yr_2022

Signature (Public Agency): Jessica Nichols Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

Date: 9/1/2026 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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

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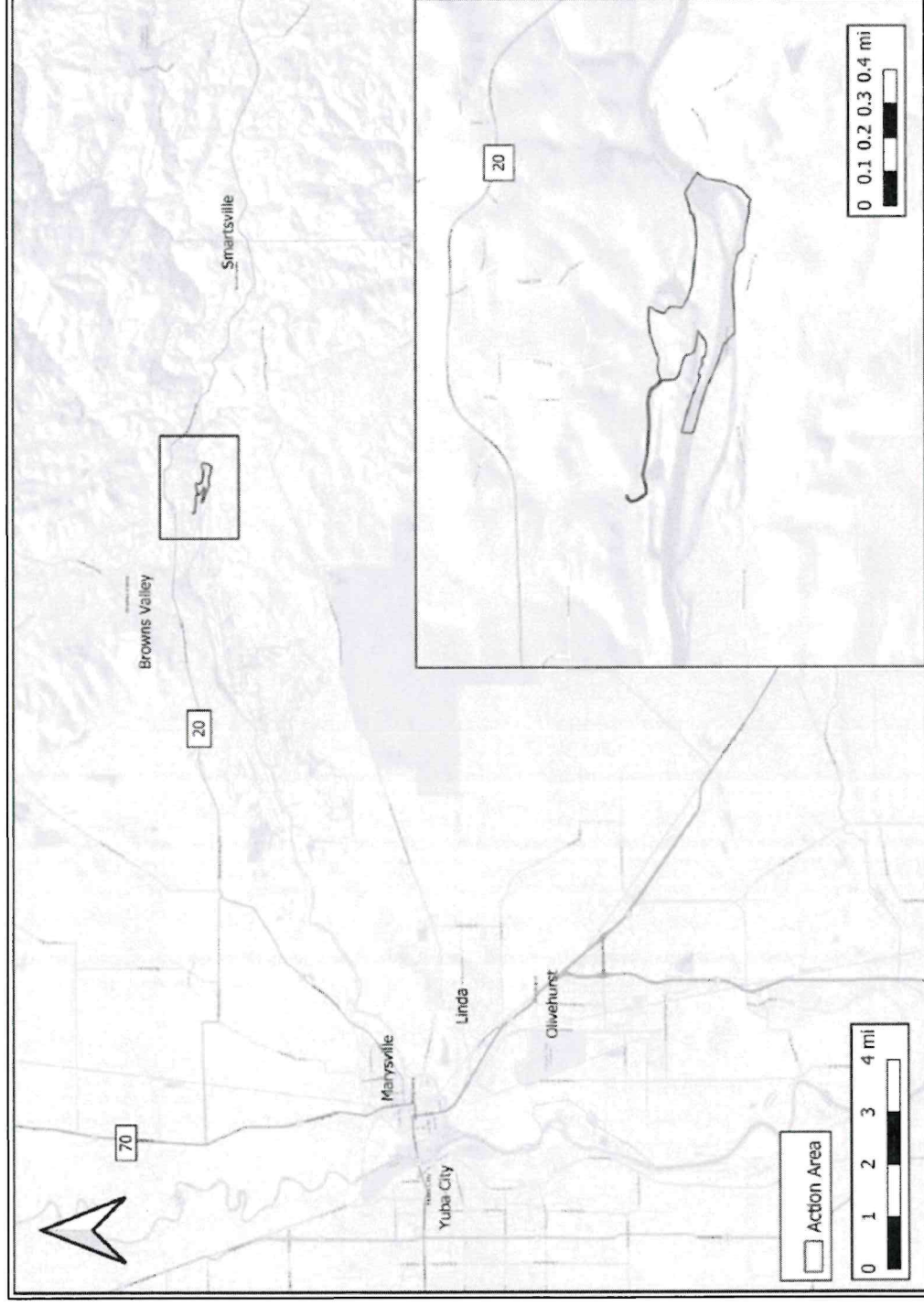


Figure 1: Upper Long Bar Salmonid Habitat Restoration Project vicinity. Source: Cramer Fish Sciences, *Upper Long Bar Juvenile Salmonid Habitat Restoration Project on the Yuba River* (2024).