

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

## TRANSPORTATION DIVISION

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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

NOTICE is hereby given that the County of El Dorado, State of California intends to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the project described below.

TITLE: Newtown Road at South Fork Weber Creek Bridge Replacement Project CIP # 77122

**LOCATION:** The Newtown Road Bridge is located approximately 2 air miles north of the community of Pleasant Valley in unincorporated El Dorado County. Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APN) in and immediately adjacent to the Project area include: APNs 077-431-61 (County Road ROW), 077-431-57, 077-431-14, 077-431-18, 077-431-17, 077-431-62, 077-431-15.

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION:** The El Dorado County Department of Transportation intends to replace the existing Newtown Road Bridge (25C0033) over South Fork Weber Creek. The new bridge and widened approach roadways would improve roadway safety and be consistent with American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) guidelines. Replacement of the functionally obsolete structure is necessary due to deficient hydraulics (bridge does not provide the adequate freeboard to pass the Q50 design flood or Q100 base flood) and substandard approach roadways and geometrics.

Newtown Road will be closed at the Project site during construction. Through traffic between the areas of Placerville and Pleasant Valley will be detoured to Fort Jim Road. The Fort Jim Road route is 0.6 miles longer than the Newtown Road route, resulting in minimal delays to through traffic. A more detailed description can be found within Section 3.5.3 (Staging and Traffic Control) of the environmental document at the website below.

**REVIEW:** The review period for the Mitigated Negative Declaration begins on **June 27, 2018** and ends on **July 27, 2018**. The Mitigated Negative Declaration may be reviewed at County Transportation offices: 2850 Fairlane Court, Placerville, CA. The document is also available on the Transportation website at the following location: <a href="http://www.edcgov.us/Government/DOT/CEQA.aspx">http://www.edcgov.us/Government/DOT/CEQA.aspx</a>. Comments during the review period regarding the Mitigated

Negative Declaration should be directed to:

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Comments may also be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:donna.keeler@edcgov.us">donna.keeler@edcgov.us</a>. Failure to comment in writing will not preclude your right to comment at any public hearing for the proposed project. The Board of Supervisors is anticipated to consider the Mitigated Negative Declaration in summer 2018. The Board's agenda may be downloaded at <a href="http://www.edcgov.us">http://www.edcgov.us</a> prior to the meeting.

Signed: Deel	Date: June 22, 2018
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