



COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & BUILDING
Courtesy Notice

WEEKLY REPORT OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW ("Courtesy Notice")

The purpose of the environmental review process is to provide information about the environmental effects of the actions and decisions made by the County, so that these considerations become a part of the decision-making process. The following is a summary of the most recent determinations made by the County's Environmental Coordinator; these weekly Courtesy Notices can be viewed online at slocounty.ca.gov/CourtesyNotice. The purpose of this listing is to notify the public of pending actions, which may affect the environment of San Luis Obispo County. You are invited to participate in this process by reviewing and providing comments on the recommendations of the Environmental Coordinator. Your comments should be addressed to the Environmental Coordinator (address at end of document). For more information about the environmental review process, please visit: slocounty.ca.gov/EnvironmentalReview

For the week of September 21, 2025 - September 28, 2025 (*click each individual project title to view the documents on our [CSS Portal](#)*)

1. MND - Mitigated Negative Declaration

The 2025 Fisheries Restoration Grant Program's Mitigated Negative Declaration Project
SCH Number: [2025091295](#)

This project uses grant funds approved by the California Legislature to initiate activities that are designed to restore salmon and steelhead habitat in coastal and Central Valley streams and watersheds. The 2025 Fisheries Restoration Grant Program's Mitigated Negative Declaration Project activities occur in watersheds that have been subjected to significant levels of logging, road building, mining, grazing, and other activities that have reduced the quality and quantity of stream habitat available for native anadromous fish. Restoration activities include fish passage improvement at stream crossings, instream barrier modification for fish passage, instream habitat restoration, riparian restoration, upslope watershed restoration, cooperative rearing, and water conservation measures. The techniques used for these restoration activities have proven successful for many years on many river systems streams and are detailed within this MND.

Additional project information can be found at:
<https://ceqanet.lci.ca.gov/2025091295>

2. MND - Mitigated Negative Declaration

San Benito U.S. Route 101 Pavement Rehabilitation
SCH Number: [2025091293](#)

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to rehabilitate 30.290 lane miles of existing pavement, improve 28 culverts at 12 locations, upgrade traffic safety systems, improve Traffic Management Systems, and improve wildlife connectivity along a 7.55-mile section of U.S. Route 101 from just southwest of the San Juan Road overcrossing (Monterey-San Benito County line) to a point just northeast of the Betabel and Y Road overcrossing (San Benito-Santa Clara County line). Improvements would be made using various construction methods, including cold planing, asphalt overlay, dig outs, cut and cover, and pipe jacking. Within the project limits, the project would replace three beam barrier and non-standard metal beam guardrail and end treatments, replace concrete barriers, cold plane bridge structure approaches and on-/off-ramps, install one traffic census station and repair two additional traffic



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census station loops (sensors embedded in the pavement), restripe existing traffic stripe and pavements markings where necessary, upgrade rumble strip, and construct shoulder backing. One wildlife undercrossing would be constructed by improving two existing culvert locations, with directional fencing and escape ramps ("jump outs") installed as well.

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