

Bridge Street Widening - CEQA Adoption April 6, 2021



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Background



- City proposes to widen Bridge Street between Gray Avenue and Cooper Avenue.
- City has been awarded \$2.8 million in Local Partnership Program funding for the project through the California Transportation Commission (CTC).
- CTC requires the City to submit the adopted environmental document as evidence that the City has complied with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

<u>Analysis</u>



- Yuba City is the lead agency for CEQA compliance.
- City contracted with Provost & Pritchard in May 2018 to prepare an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND).
- IS/MND was filed with the State Clearinghouse on December 7, 2018 and circulated for public review through January 7, 2019.

<u>Analysis</u>



- Comments received from the Feather River Air Quality
 Management District and the Central Valley Regional Water
 Quality Control Board.
- California Native American Tribes were consulted per Assembly Bill 52.
- Mitigation measures addressing all comments and concerns are incorporated into the project and final IS/MND.
- Project will not result in any significant impacts to the environment through the inclusion of appropriate avoidance, minimization, and mitigation measures included in the IS/MND.

Alternatives



 Do not adopt the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and direct staff to provide further CEQA analysis.

Recommendations



 Adopt a Resolution adopting the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Bridge Street Widening Project.



Questions