

# NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF THE DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT FOR THE TISDALE WEIR REHABILITATION AND FISH PASSAGE PROJECT

## CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) prepared by the California Department of Water Resources (DWR) Division of Flood Management is available for public review.

**TITLE:** Tisdale Weir Rehabilitation and Fish Passage Project

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION:** The Tisdale Weir Rehabilitation and Fish Passage Project (Proposed Project) would integrate structural rehabilitation of Tisdale Weir with installation of fish passage facilities to reduce fish stranding at the weir and improve fish passage through the weir to the Sacramento River. The Tisdale Weir and Bypass are critical components of the Sacramento River Flood Control Project.

**LOCATION:** The project area for the Proposed Project is located on the east side of the Sacramento River, approximately 13.5 miles southwest of Yuba City in Sutter County, California. The western boundary of the project area is the Sacramento River immediately west of the existing Tisdale Weir and the parking lot for the Sutter County Tisdale Boat Launch Facility. The eastern boundary of the project area is just east of the Garmire Road Bridge, which traverses the Tisdale Bypass downstream of Tisdale Weir. The spoils storage location for the Proposed Project is north of the Tisdale Bypass, approximately 1.5 miles east of the weir.

**REVIEW:** The public review period for this DEIR begins November 20, 2020, and ends January 15, 2021. The DEIR can be reviewed at the following website:

<https://water.ca.gov/Programs/Flood-Management/Flood-Projects/Tisdale-Weir>

Paper copies of the DEIR are available for review during normal business hours at: California Department of Water Resources, Division of Flood Management, Flood Maintenance Office, 3310 El Camino Avenue, Room 140, Sacramento, CA 95821.

DWR will host a virtual public meeting for the DEIR on December 8, 2020, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. The meeting will provide information on the CEQA process and the DEIR and offer an opportunity to provide verbal comments on the DEIR. Please register in advance of the meeting at the following link. Registration will be open until the start of the meeting on December 8.

[https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_qW2ySC4RSOqEVYrckM\\_qWw](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_qW2ySC4RSOqEVYrckM_qWw)

Comments regarding the DEIR should be submitted in writing to:

California Department of Water Resources, Division of Flood Management  
Attn: Stephanie Ponce, Environmental Scientist  
3310 El Camino Avenue, Room 140  
Sacramento, CA 95821

or via email at [TisdaleWeirRehabProject@water.ca.gov](mailto:TisdaleWeirRehabProject@water.ca.gov)

If comments are provided via email, please include the project title in the subject line, attach comments in Microsoft Word format, and include the commenter's U.S. Postal Service mailing address.

**PRIVACY NOTE:** All comments received will be made available for public review in their entirety, including the names and addresses of the respondents. Individual respondents may request that their name and/or address be withheld from public disclosure. DWR will honor such requests to the extent allowable by law. If you wish us to withhold your name and/or address, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment.