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### **SHASTA VALLEY** RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District 215 Executive Court Ste A Yreka, CA 96097

# NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

FILED Siskiyou County

Project Title: East Fork Scott River Forest Health Implementation Project Project Location: East of Callahan

OCT 16 2025

Lead Agency: Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District

LAURA BYNUM, CLERK BY: ENDORSED-D. BROOKS

County: Siskiyou

Date: October 16, 2025

Deputy Clerk

#### Project Description: ..

The Scott River Watershed Council has been awarded a forest health grant by the North Coast Resource Partnership (NCRP) to manage and improve forest health. The grant will be used to implement up to 348 acres of hazardous fuels treatments to improve forest health; create climate resilience and reduce the risk of wildfire in the East Fork of the Scott River watershed, an area of Scott Valley that lies on the outskirts of the community of Callahan, a Community at Risk in far northern California's Siskiyou County.

The Project will employ four distinct treatment techniques—chipping, mastication, hand piling, and pile burning—to customize treatments according to the specific needs of each location. As a result, 186 acres of ridgeline shaded fuel breaks will be implemented,124 acres (1:3 miles) of shaded fuel breaks along highway 3, and an additional 38 acres will be treated with pile burning. In the 186 acres of ridgeline shaded fuel break, treatments will be a combination of hand piling and burning, thinning, chipping and mastication. The proposed treatments will mitigate competition among trees, enhancing their resistance to pests, diseases, and drought. By thinning dense stands, we will create a more diverse forest structure that supports a wider variety of species, thereby boosting biodiversity. Additionally, thinning around oak trees encroached by conifers will improve habitat quality and food sources for wildlife. Methods of treatment will include chipping, pruning, pile burning, and mechanical and hand treating overly dense conifer stands and brush.

Invasive plant removal will occur on the project area along roads where *Isatis tinctoria*, commonly known as Dyer's Woad, has been identified to ensure that it does not spread to treatment areas. Effective removal of Dyer's Woad and other invasive plants is essential to ensure that the restoration goals of the project are met. This ensures that any new infestations are promptly addressed, which helps maintain the integrity of the restoration work and supports long-term ecological health.



## **SHASTA VALLEY** RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT

#### **PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD**

The Initial Study/Negative Declaration is being circulated for public review and comment for a period of 30 days, beginning October 16, 2025 and ending November 14 2025. Your views and comments on the Initial Study-Negative Declaration are welcomed. Written comments should be submitted no later than November 12, 2025 to the following addresses:

Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District 215 Executive Court, Ste A Yreka, CA 96097 BBW & Associates P.O.Box 702 Arcata, CA 95518

**Document Availability:** Copies of the Initial Study/Negative Declaration may be reviewed during normal business hours at the above address or on the State Clearing House website.

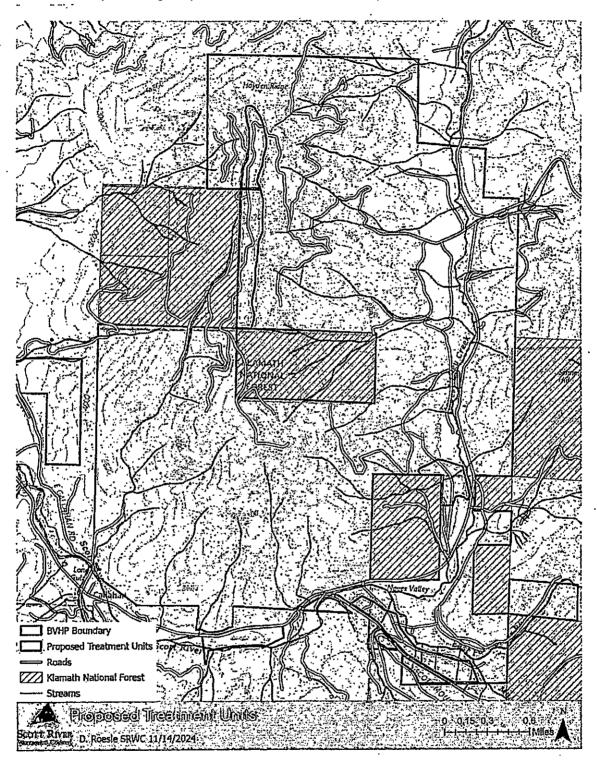
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Rod Dowse:

District Manager

**Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District** 

### Map showing the treatment area boundaries



#### CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL FEE FORM

on 10/16/25, Shasta Valley RCD (Name)	_ filed an application				
for development with the SISKI YOU COUNTY (Name of City)	. Before the application				
is accepted as complete for processing, fees in the following amount(s) must be deposited with					
the County Clerk.					
Clerk Processing Fee	\$50.00				
Negative Declaration	\$2,968.75*				
EIR	\$4,123.50				
Categorically Exempt	\$0.00				
Statutorily Exempt	\$0.00				
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No project shall be operative, vested or final until the required fee is paid. Public Resources Code §21089 (b)					
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* If it is determined by Siskiyou County that the fee required for a Negative Declaration does not apply to your project a refund will be granted.  2025 Fee.Form					

Laura Bynum

Siskiyou County Clerk/Registrar of Voters 311 4th St., Rm. 201 Yreka, CA 96097

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