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Notice of Intent To Adopt an Initial Study (IS) / Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) Waddell Reclamation Plan Amendment and Use Permit Amendment Project (RP-01-00-1M and UP-19-74-1M)

Notice is Hereby Given that the Siskiyou County Planning Division invites public review and comment on an Initial Study (IS) / Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) prepared for the Waddell Reclamation Plan Amendment and Use Permit Amendment Project (RP-01-00-1M and UP-19-74-1M). **The public review period begins on May 1, 2025, and ends on June 2, 2025.** The MND and all attachments are available for review on the Siskiyou County Planning Division website: <https://www.siskiyoucounty.gov/planning/page/public-documents>.

Written comments concerning the project and the environmental documents will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on May 9, 2025, at Siskiyou County Community Development Planning Division, 806 South Main Street, Yreka, California, 96097, and via email at planning@co.siskiyou.ca.us. The documents are available for review at the Siskiyou County Community Development Department, Yreka, California, 96097, as well as posted on the Siskiyou County Planning Division website: <https://www.siskiyoucounty.gov/planning/page/public-documents>.

Project Location and Description: The Project site is located in an unincorporated part of Siskiyou County approximately 8 miles north of the community of Happy Camp along Indian Creek Road. The APNs associated with this project are 009-340-350, 009-330-230 & 009-330-240. The project is proposing to amend the existing Use Permit and Reclamation Plan to expand the quarry excavation area and allow continued mining activities at the site for an additional 30 years. The proposed project would allow for the continued removal, crushing and stockpiling of aggregate onsite. Mining operations would continue Monday through Friday with no night, weekend, or holiday operations. Hours of operation will be 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Blasting will continue to occur every two to three years, in the late winter or early spring between 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays. The operations at this site will vary based on the need of the aggregate product produced at the site. It is estimated that approximately 250 truckloads of material will be transported from the site with an average of five loads per week.

The project will be scheduled for a public hearing before the Siskiyou County Planning Commission on Wednesday, June 18, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. at the Siskiyou County Meeting Chambers, 311 Fourth Street, Yreka, California. If you challenge either the proposed project or the project's environmental document in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues raised during the public review period or in written testimony delivered to Siskiyou County Community Development Planning Division prior to the public hearing, or in oral or written testimony submitted during the public hearing. If substantial evidence has been presented demonstrating a more appropriate environmental determination than the one that has been recommended, the decision-making body may require and/or approve an alternative environmental determination pursuant to the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act.

For more information regarding the proposed project or the public hearing, please contact Bernadette Cizin at (530) 841-2151 or at bpcizin@co.siskiyou.ca.us.

Hailey Lang, Secretary
Siskiyou County Planning Commission