

County of Yolo

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PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

SEPTEMBER 9, 2010

FILE #2007-047: Request for an extension of a Use Permit to construct and operate a marina on an Agricultural General (A-1) zoned parcel, on the west bank of the lower Sacramento River (Attachment A). The Use Permit was approved by the Planning Commission on August 14, 2008, and the Planning Director approved a one year extension in 2009. The applicant is requesting an extension in order to obtain approvals from all applicable state and federal agencies (Attachment R)

APPLICANT: Robert Newton

PO Box 160273

Sacramento, CA 95816

OWNER: Hugh Turner

169 North Valentine Fresno, CA 93706

LOCATION: The project site is located on the west bank of the Sacramento River near the I-5 bridge at Elkhorn, east of the City of Woodland (APN: 057-210-17, -18) (Attachment B).

GENERAL PLAN: Agriculture (AG)

ZONING: Agricultural General (A-1)

FIRE SEVERITY ZONE: None

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT: 5

(Supervisor Rexroad)

FLOOD ZONE: AE (area within the 100-

year flood plain)

SOILS: Sycamore silty clay loam (Class II),

Tyndall sandy loam (Class III)

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: "General Rule" Exemption

REPORT PREPARED BY:

Jeff Anderson, Assistant Planner

REVIEWED BY:

David Morrison, Assistant Director

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

That the Planning Commission:

- 1. HOLD a public hearing and receive comments;
- 2. CONTINUE the item to the next regularly scheduled Planning Commission hearing.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

Staff has requested a continuance of the item until the next regularly scheduled Planning Commission hearing in order to evaluate concerns raised by Reclamation District 2035 ("RD 2035"). RD 2035 is in the design phase of a Fish Screen and Intake Project, which would be located just north of the marina. RD 2035 is concerned that the marina project would impact the design, construction, and operation of the Fish Screen and Intake Project. The continuance of this item will allow staff to determine whether additional environmental analysis would be required for the Elkhorn Marina Use Permit.

The applicant for the Elkhorn Marina requested a Use Permit extension in order to obtain required approvals from numerous state and federal agencies (Attachment B). No changes to the project have been proposed. Please see Attachment D for the August 14, 2008 staff report, Mitigated Negative Declaration, and all related attachments.

BACKGROUND

On August 14, 2008, the Planning Commission granted a Use Permit for the construction and operation of a 62-slip marina on the west bank of the lower Sacramento River. The project includes a harbormaster's office and elevated platform for marina services, a 36-space automobile parking area, a 21-space boat parking area, five boat storage buildings, and a caretaker's office. The marina facilities will consist of two floating dock sections that will be accessed by an elevated landing and two bridges and stairway structures. The marina is to be used for year-round berthing of recreational boats. No boat launching or refueling facilities were proposed as part of the project.

STAFF ANALYSIS

As regulated under Section 8-2.2806(b) of the Yolo County Code, a Use Permit will expire after one year if the project has not commenced or otherwise vested in improvements. The Conditions of Approval for this project stated that after one year the Planning Director may grant a one year extension. The Planning Director granted an extension in August of 2009, based on the fact that the applicant was not able to obtain all required approvals. On August 6, 2010, prior to the expiration of the one year extension, the applicant requested an "open-ended" extension to allow sufficient time to complete the requirements provided in the Conditions of Approval.

On September 1st, shortly before the drafting of this staff report, RD 2035 submitted a letter to staff explaining their opposition to the extension of the Elkhorn Marina Use Permit (Attachment C). RD 2035 is in the design phase for a new Fish Screen and Intake project and anticipates construction of the project in 2012. RD 2035 is also in negotiations with the cities of Davis and Woodland to partner in this joint-use intake facility. If negotiations for a joint-use intake facility are not successful, the Woodland-Davis Clean Water Agency would have to build a stand-alone intake facility.

The primary concerns listed by RD 2035 regarding the proposed marina extension include:

- Conflicts regarding the design for County Road 117, which needs to be improved to allow water pipelines to go under the road, while providing access to both the marina and the intake facility.
- Increased vandalism and trespassing to the future water intake facility by marina users.
- Increased recreational use of the Sacramento River, which may interfere with the operation
 of the intake facility.

- Inadequate utilities to accommodate electrical power and phone service for both the intake facility and the marina.
- Potential for the marina to trigger requirements for 200-year flood protection.

The request for an extension of time for a Use Permit is a discretionary action on the part of the County, as it can either be approved or denied. Discretionary actions are subject to review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). As such, although environmental review was performed two years ago on the original Use Permit, the County is required to review the potential impacts of the marina given current laws and conditions in order to consider the extension.

Given the timing of RD 2035 letter, staff has not able to fully analyze the issues and therefore, is not in a position to make a recommendation regarding the extension of the Elkhorn Marina Use Permit at this time.

SUMMARY OF AGENCY COMMENTS

Date	Agency	Comment	Response
August 20, 2010	Yolo County Economic Development Division	Supportive of extension request for several reasons: (1) the marina will add new property tax and sales tax; (2) it will add a recreational facility valuable to local residents, boaters, fishermen, and tourists; and (3) it is commercial development that is compatible with the General Plan and will capitalize on the existing natural amenities and riverfront.	Comment noted.
August 23, 2010	California Department of Fish and Game (CDFG)	The project applicant shall obtain all permits from CDFG, pursuant to Fish and Game Code 1600 et sec.	Comment noted. Applicant has been advised of this comment.

APPEALS

Any person who is dissatisfied with the decisions of this Planning Commission may appeal to the Board of Supervisors by filing with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors within **fifteen (15) days** from the date of the action. A written notice of appeal specifying the grounds for appeal and an appeal fee immediately payable to the Clerk of the Board must be submitted at the time of filing. The Board of Supervisors may sustain, modify, or overrule this decision.

ATTACHMENTS

A: Location Map

B: Applicant letter requesting extension

C: RD 2035 letter

D: August 14, 2008 Planning Commission staff report and attachments

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LOCATION MAP

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NEWTON ASSOCIATES

CONSULTING ENGINEERS

P.O. BOX 160273 SACRAMENTO, CA. 95816 916-483-9860 916-205-1214 cell July 23, 2010

To: Yolo County Planning Commission

Sirs:

When the Yolo County Planning Commission approved the project "Elkhorn Marina", the project had been submitted to the Corps of Engineers since 2005. A favorable decision was expected within a few months. Shortly after your approval we were informed that National Marine Fisheries approval would be required. This entailed a Biological Assessment Study of the Sacramento River on the effects that the project would have on the possibility of Green Sturgeon in the River. This was accomplished on May, 2009 and approval was forwarded to the Corps. The Corps now informs us that the State Reclamation Board requires further information and the technical arm of the Corp of Engineers needs to review the construction aspects of the project. Other reviews include the State Fish and Game Department and State Lands Commission. There is Possibility that other approvals will be required.

Mr. Turner, owner and developer of this proposed project is mystified by these delays. It is his intent to develop this project if at all possible. This development will not only provide needed dockage for boaters but will be a boon to Yolo County and provide sort of a Key Tenant for the area.

This is a request for an extension of your approval, but we need the extension to be extended until the Corps of Engineers either approves or disapproves the project. As mentioned above, years have gone by and no assurance has been given by the Corps. They apparently have higher priorities such as 100 levee improvements along the Sacramento River so a positive schedule to you is impossible, thereby the need for an open end extension.

Robert Newton, RE



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August 31, 2010

Jeff Anderson Assistant Planner Yolo County Planning and Public Works Department 292 West Beamer Street Woodland, CA 95695-8156 RECEIVED

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Yolo County Planning & Public Works

RE: ZF #2007-049 – Elkhorn Marina

Dear Mr. Anderson: Jeff

On behalf of Reclamation District 2035 ("RD 2035"), the underlying property owners in RD 2035 and as the lead agency for the RD 2035 Fish Screen Project ("Fish Screen Project"), we respectfully request that the Yolo County Planning Commission deny the request for an unrestricted extension to the existing use permit to construct and operate a 62-slip marina.

The new 62-slip marina ("Marina Project") would be located on the west bank of the lower Sacramento River, just north of the Interstate-5 bridge and immediately adjacent to and south of RD 2035's existing and future intake diversion facilities.

Given the close proximity and potential impact of the Marina Project on the Fish Screen Project, which will likely include and benefit the cities of Woodland and Davis, we also request that the existing use permit be revoked or, at a minimum, re-opened to allow the Marina Project to more closely plan for and coordinate its design and construction activity with the Fish Screen Project.

RD 2035 was formed in 1919 to provide flood protection, drainage, and irrigation water to lands in eastern Yolo County. Almost 22,000 acres of farmland can receive their water supply from RD 2035 on lands west of the Sacramento River and east of Woodland and Davis, California. Water-from RD 2035 is also used in the fall and winter months for controlled flooding for groundwater recharge, agricultural purposes, and to maintain habitat for waterfowl.

For nearly 90 years, RD 2035 has diverted water from the Sacramento River through a diversion intake that was constructed in 1920. This diversion is one of the largest remaining unscreened intakes on the Sacramento River north of the Sacramento / San Joaquin Delta, with a capacity of 400 cubic feet per second ("cfs"). Currently, the intake has no safeguards to prevent the entrainment of migrating fish, several species of which are listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act.

A new diversion structure, with protective fish screens is required to prevent entrainment of the fish. The new diversion facility would meet the current criteria for fish screen design as defined by NOAA Fisheries and the California Department of Fish and Game and will improve the protection of juvenile Chinook Salmon, Steelhead Trout, and Green Sturgeon, among other migrating fish species. RD 2035 began planning this project in 2000. Project funding was

initially obtained from CALFED (Ecosystem Restoration Program) for environmental documentation and design. Local funding by RD 2035, the Water Resources Association of Yolo County, and Woodland Davis Clean Water Agency ("WDCWA"), as well as State funding through CALFED and Federal funding through the Anadromous Fish Screen Restoration Program ("AFSP") have been the source of funding in recent years.

Initial studies examined a number of methods for accomplishing the project goals. Design of the project was completed in 2005, but at that time funding for construction was unavailable.

In 2009, the United States Bureau of Reclamation and the California Natural Resources Agency both recognized the RD 2035 diversion as one of three remaining priority fish screen projects on the Sacramento River and are providing grant funding for the completion of design and permitting activities.

For the past year, RD 2035 has been engaged in negotiations with the cities of Davis and Woodland to modify its diversion quantity to 320 cfs to allow the other 80 cfs to be utilized by the Woodland-Davis Clean Water Agency (WDCWA), maintaining the existing 400 cfs capacity of this intake diversion structure.

A combined diversion facility for both RD 2035 and WDCWA are recommended for implementation in the 2007 Yolo County Integrated Water Management Plan and was identified as the preferred intake alternative in the 2007 Davis Woodland Water Supply Project ("DWWSP") Final Environmental Impact Report. The proposed dual purpose intake would provide environmental and water quality benefits, improve water supply reliability in the region, and is consistent with the ecosystem restoration goals of the CALFED Bay-Delta Program.

Importantly, a combined or joint-use facility will also allow the cities of Davis and Woodland to avoid significant cost and potential regulatory delay associated with building a stand-alone intake facility.

With the likely involvement from WDCWA, the project goals have been revised and the design is again being updated. RD 2035 has recently completed its 30% design phase of the new Fish Screen Project and will begin 100% design and permitting phase in October of 2010. Construction is anticipated to begin in 2012.

As RD2035 moves into the final phase of design for this project, RD 2035 and its project partners have real and growing concerns regarding the potential impacts of the Marina Project on the Fish Screen Project which need to be addressed. While this is far from being a comprehensive list, several of the potential conflicts are outlined below:

- RD2035 will be needing two driveways entrances off of County Road 117 for maintenance and operation of the fish screen/intake. The marina will then also need a driveway entrance (all in the distance of about 200 feet along the curve).
- RD2035 does not want its access design being dictated by the marina driveway.
 Significant site planning efforts have been done to re-design County Road 117 to

accommodate the over levee design required by the United States Army Corps of Engineers ("USACE").

- Impacts during construction of the fish screen might need to be re-evaluated (assuming that the marina is built first).
- With a large marina immediately adjacent to the intake (on same side of river), might
 have boaters trying to use the intake facilities (like temporary mooring off the log boom).
 Also potential for increased vandalism.
- With increased public usage of the waterway, this would increase the potential for boater interaction with the intake.
- Electrical power & phone coordination. (The power for RD2035 will need to be upgraded/revised to accommodate the intake needs.)
- If the marina constitutes "urban development" it could push the USACE into requiring 200 year flood protection criteria.

Again, given the close proximity and potential impact of the Marina Project on the Fish Screen Project, which will likely include and benefit the cities of Woodland and Davis, we respectfully request that the existing use permit be revoked or, at a minimum, re-opened to allow the Marina Project to more closely plan for and coordinate its design and construction activity with the Fish Screen Project.

Sincerely,

/Regina J. Cherovsky

Chairperson

Attachments

CC: Tovey Giezentanner, President Conaway Preservation Group
Helen Thomson, Chair, Yolo County Board of Supervisors
Dr. Bill Marble, Woodland Councilmember; WDCWA Board Chair
Stephen Souza, Davis Councilmember; WDCWA Board Vice-Chair
Don Saylor, Davis Councilmember; WDCWA Director
Martie Dote, Woodland Councilmember; WDCWA Director
Dr. Eric Mische, WDCWA General Manager
Greg Meyer, Public Works Director, City of Woodland
Bob Clarke, Public Works Director, City of Davis
Dick Shanahan, Woodland Davis Clean Water Agency

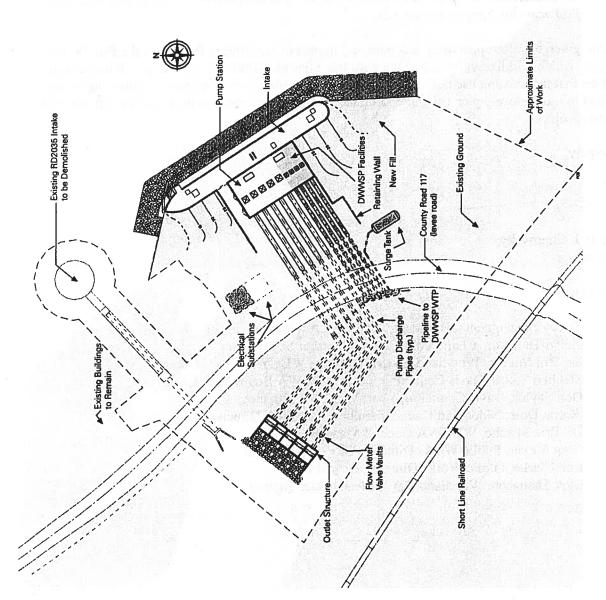


Figure 1 – RD 2035 Fish Screen Project Site Plan Showing RD 2035 and DWWSP Project Elements

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LEGEND	DWWSP Project Elements RD 2035 Intake & Pump Station New Fill Existing Ground Existing Intake to be Demolished
=3Y4	DWWSP RD 2035 New Fill Existing

The RD 2035 Fish Screen Project may be configured with only the facilities required by RD 2035 or as a combined project with DWWSP facilities included.

Key facilities required for the RD 2035-alone configuration would include the following:

- cleaning system, and sediment control system. 400 ofs capacity fish screen intake structure including fish screens, flow baffles, screen
- and instrumentation equipment, concrete sump structure extending down to the same elevation as the fish screens (approximately 43.5 feet deep), masonry block building, and a 2-fan 400 cfs capacity pump station with 5 - 80 cfs constant speed pumps, associated electrical ventilation system.
- Individual pump discharge pipes, with above and below ground portions, routed from each pump to convey water to the canal. One flowmeter provided for each pipe.
- required to transform power to supply the 4 kV An electrical substation would also be pumps and other electrical equipment.
- Concrete outlet structure located in an earth-filled and grated portion of the canal to provide energy dissipation and introduce the pumped water into the canal.
- Slightly raising and regrading of County Road 117 (levee road) would be required.
- Demolition of existing RD 2035 intake facility would be completed as a part of the project after the new facility is fully operational.

- To incorporate DWWSP project elements and construct a combined facility, the following modifications would be required to the RD 2035-alone project configuration:
- concrete sump structure and the masonry block building would need to be enlarged to accommodate DWWSP's 4 26.67 cfs VFD instrumentation room would be required to cool the DWWSP pump VFDs. Additional fill electrical equipment would also be required The pump station, including both the deer Two 12.5 ton air conditioning units and an capacity. Additional instrumentation and driven pumps providing 80 cfs reliable expanded isolated electrical and and grading would be required.
- Individual pump discharge pipes, with above and below ground portions, routed transmission pipeline would be provided. One flowmeter provided for each pipe. from each pump to a 60-inch diameter
- An additional electrical substation would be required to transform power to supply the 480 V pumps and associated electrical equipment.
- A surge tank would be required to manage potential pressure waves in the transmission pipeline.



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PLANNING COMMISSION STAFF REPORT

August 14, 2008

ZF#2007-049 and **2007-050**: Use permit for a re-established marina and an associated road abandonment in the Agricultural General (A-1) zone. (**Attachment A**).

APPLICANT: Robert Newton

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Sacramento, CA

OWNER: Hugh Turner

169 North Valentine

Fresno, CA

LOCATION: The property is located on the Sacramento River near the I-5 bridge at Elkhorn, east of the City of Woodland (APN:

057-210-18 and -17)

GENERAL PLAN: Agricultural

ZONING: Agricultural General (A-1)

SOILS: Sycamore silty clay loam (Class II)

Tyndall sandy loam (Class III)

FLOOD ZONE: A (area within the 100-year

flood plan) B (area within the 500-

year flood plan)

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Mitigated Negative Declaration

REPORT PREPARED BY:

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Craig Baracco, Associate Planner

REVIEWED BY:

David Morrison, Assistant Director

RECOMMENDED ACTIONS

That the Planning Commission:

- 1. HOLD a public hearing and receive comments;
- 2. ADOPT the Mitigated Negative Declaration as the appropriate level of environmental review in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and Guidelines (Attachment C);
- 3. ADOPT the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment D);
- ADOPT the Findings (Attachment E); and
- 5. APPROVE a Use Permit subject to the Conditions of Approval (Attachment F)

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDED ACTIONS:

This project will provide a valuable recreation facility to the residents of the region. It will increase

ATTACHMENT D

AGENDA ITEM 7.1

use and appreciation of the natural resources of Yolo County, particularly the Sacramento River. This project will provide both jobs and increased economic activities in a manner compatible with the rural nature of the surrounding area.

BACKGROUND

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project (ZF#2007-049) proposes removal of two existing dock sections and replacing them with a new 62-slip marina on the west bank of the lower Sacramento River, just north of the Interstate 5 freeway bridge in Yolo County. The marina will be used for year-round berthing of recreational boats. No boat launching facilities or refueling facilities are proposed. A harbormaster's office and elevated platform for marina services, and a 36-space parking area, will be constructed on the landward side of the levee (APN 057-210-17). A boat parking area with 21 ten-foot by forty-foot spaces, five boat storage buildings 6,000 square feet in size, and a caretaker's office (2,900 square feet) will be constructed on the west side of County Road 117 (APN: 057-210-18).

The marina facilities consist of two floating dock sections that will be accessed by an elevated landing and two bridge and stairway structures. The dock section farthest from shore will be located approximately 170 feet from shore and measure 490-feet long by 46-feet wide. The dock section closest to shore will be located approximately 70 feet from shore and measure 710 feet long and 50 feet wide. The docks will be constructed of galvanized metal with encased flotation. A sheet pile debris barrier will extend 80 feet from shore at the upstream (north) end of the marina. The total water surface area covered by the dock structures and berthed vessels will be approximately 1.6 acres.

A total of 210 16-inch diameter steel piles will be driven to support the docks and access structures. A total of 150 piles will be driven into the bed of the Sacramento River using a bargemounted pile driver. The remaining 60 piles will be driven out of the water on shore.

There is an existing domestic water well and septic system on parcel APN 057-210-17, which served a previously demolished home. These existing systems may have to be upgraded or supplemented through the construction of a new well or septic system under permit from Yolo County Environmental Health to serve the caretaker's office.

The marina's hours of operation will be from 7:00 am to 10:00 pm. The marina will have three full-time employees. The project is expected to generate 216 vehicle trips per day at full capacity, based on projections, and will require up to three truck deliveries per day. Security will be provided with a fenced perimeter and gate.

A request to abandon a section of public right-of-way thirty feet in width and 1400 feet in length that runs along the sorthern border of APN 057-210-18, is also included with this project (ZF# 2007-050). The applicant is asserting that this section of right-of-way should have been merged when Caltrans reconveyed the property back to Yolo County. (Attachment H)

Surrounding Land Uses and Setting

The Sacramento River lies to the east of the project site. An existing marina, which includes boat launch and refueling facilities, is currently in operation on the eastern shore of the river in Sacramento County directly east of the project site. All parcels surrounding the project are zoned A-1 (General Agriculture) and designated Agriculture in the Yolo County General Plan. A residence is located approximately 400 feet north of the project location. No other development

exists on adjacent parcels. A rail line lies adjacent to the project site. The I-5 bridge over the Sacramento River is directly south of the project. County Road 117 divides the two parcels upon which the project is located, and County Road 22 bounds the project to the west.

STAFF ANALYSIS

The following issues were examined in the course of reviewing this project through the environmental and development review process.

Biology: According to a biological study prepared for the applicant (*Biological and Essential Fish Habitat Assessment for the Elkhorn Marina Project*, Jones & Stokes, November 2007), the California Natural Diversity Data Base identifies five "special status species" that may be found in the vicinity of the project site. They are the Central Valley Steelhead, North American green sturgeon and three varieties of Chinook salmon. The study proposed severval mitigation measures To minimize the impact of marina construction and operations on these species and their habitat, mitigation measures are incorporated into staff's recommended Conditions of Approval.

An additional reconnaissance level assessment of upland biological resources (July 2008) was conducted on May 30, 2008. This assessment concluded that two species, valley elderberry longhorn beetle and Swainson's hawk have a high potential to occur onsite. An elderberry shrub that was identified along the border of parcel APN 057-210-18 represents potential habitat for the longhorn beetle. Swainson's hawks were recorded nesting in APN 057-210-17 in 2007. In order to protect the potential habitat of these two species, mitigation measures have been incorporated as part of the revised Mitigated Negative Declaration. These measures will ensure that both the elderberry bush and any raptor nests will be protected during project construction.

Water Quality/Flooding: A majority of the site is located in the 100-year floodplain. As a condition of approval, the applicant shall be required to either raise all proposed buildings out of the 100-year flood hazard area by elevating the pads of the buildings so that the finished flood elevations would be one foot above the base flood elevation, or to construct the buildings to dry-proofing standards as required by the California Building Code and Federal Emergency Management Agency standards.

To ensure water quality, the applicant is required to obtain a General Construction Activity Stormwater Permit (SWPPP), and a National Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. The permits are required to control both construction and operational activities that may adversely affect water quality. The project will be required to utilize Best Management Practices (BMPs) to prevent pollution from leaving the property through stormwater runoff and entering the Sacramento River.

Traffic/Parking/Safety: Long-term changes to local traffic circulation resulting from the proposed project would be additional employee and customer trip generation. According to traffic studies found in *Trip Generation* Institute of Transportation Engineers, 1991 a marina can be expected to generate an average of 3.48 vehicle trips per day per berth. With 62 slips planned, the project could generate approximately 216 vehicle trips per day. This increase would add approximately 22 morning and evening peak hour trips to the region's transportation network. County Roads 117 and 22 currently serve very limited development in the rural area and have very low existing traffic levels. This increase would not significantly affect volume to capacity ratios, and road improvements will not be required.

Traffic safety is an issue with the project. Driveways from the boat storage area and marina will be connected to County Road 117. A rail line cuts between the two parcels upon which the project is

located, and a railroad crossing is located on CR 117 between the two driveways. The presence of multiple connections, and crossings of CR 117 in a limited stretch of roadway is a design feature that could create a potentially significant impact, unless mitigated. Therefore, the applicant is required to install signage to warn the traveling public. Required signs shall include Slow Traffic Ahead, Cross Traffic Ahead and Do not Block Railroad.

The project would be required to meet standard parking requirements established in the Yolo County Zoning Code. On-site parking adequate to serve both employees and customers of the project is included in the project site plan. Parking facilities for vehicles towing boats will also be provided. Therefore, approval of the project would ensure adequate parking supply.

Aesthetics: The Sacramento River is a well-known scenic area, and the project site is highly visible to members of the traveling public along Interstate 5. To prevent significant degradation of the visual character of the site and its surroundings, the project will be required to submit a detailed landscaping and irrigation plan for the project site, keep the site free of graffiti, trash, and visual clutter, and keep all boats docked at the marina in good working order and repair.

AGENCY COMMENTS:

A "Request for Comments" was circulated for the proposed project from August 14, 2007 to August 28, 2007. This project was reviewed by the County Development Review Committee on January 9, 2008 and May 15, 2008.

An Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and circulated from May 9, 2008, to June 9, 2008. The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration was recirculated with additional biological information July 15, 2008 to August 14, 2008. Comments received during both review periods were incorporated into the project where feasible. A summary of comments is provided below:

AGENCY	COMMENTS	RESPONSE	
Yolo County Environmental Health	Septic and water systems shall be constructed under permit from YCEH. Project may be subject to the requirements of a Hazardous Materials Business plan.	Included in Conditions of Approval.	
Yolo County Public Works	The applicant is required to obtain an encroachment permit and to pave the driveway approaches. Additional safety signage is required.	Included in Conditions of Approval.	
Yolo County Building Division	Property is largely in the 100 year floodplain and is required to either elevate or flood proof all buildings.	Included in Conditions of Approval.	

California State Lands Commission	The applicant shall secure an amended lease agreement with the California State Lands Commission to reflect the increased size of the marina.	Included in Conditions of Approval.
Yolo County Parks and Resources Department	The applicant shall take measures to ensure individual boat owners maintain boat launch permits	Included in Conditions of Approval.

APPEALS

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ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment A - Site Plan

Attachment B - Elevation

Attachment C - Initial Study/Negative Declaration

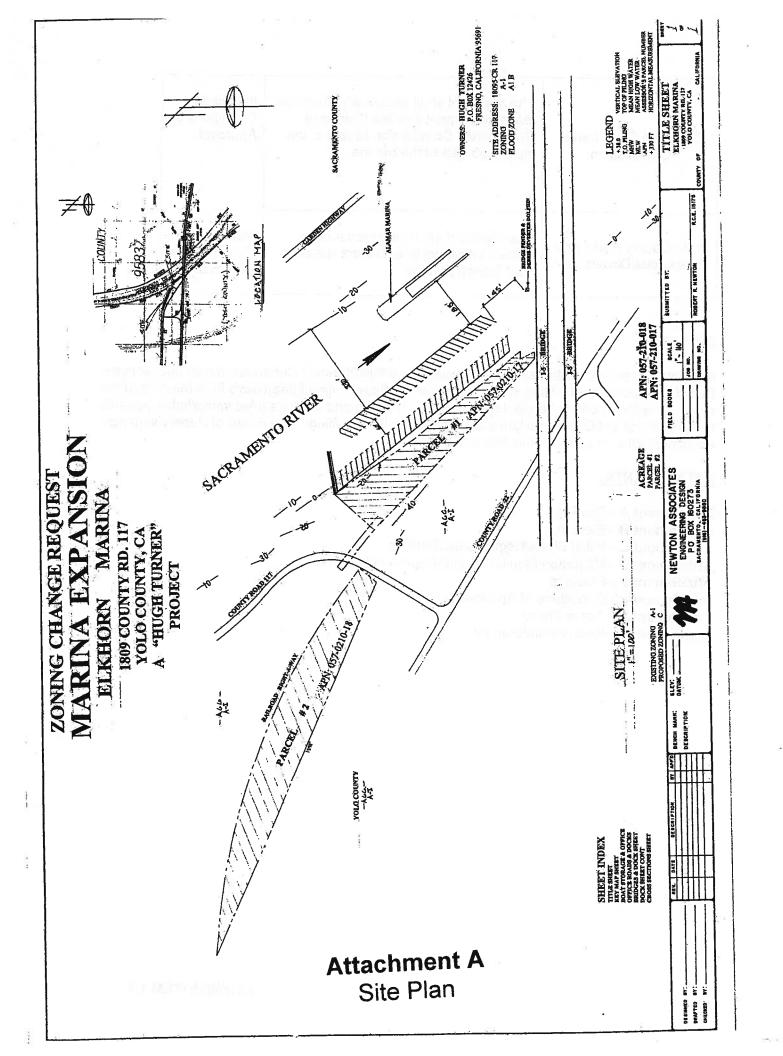
Attachment D - Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program

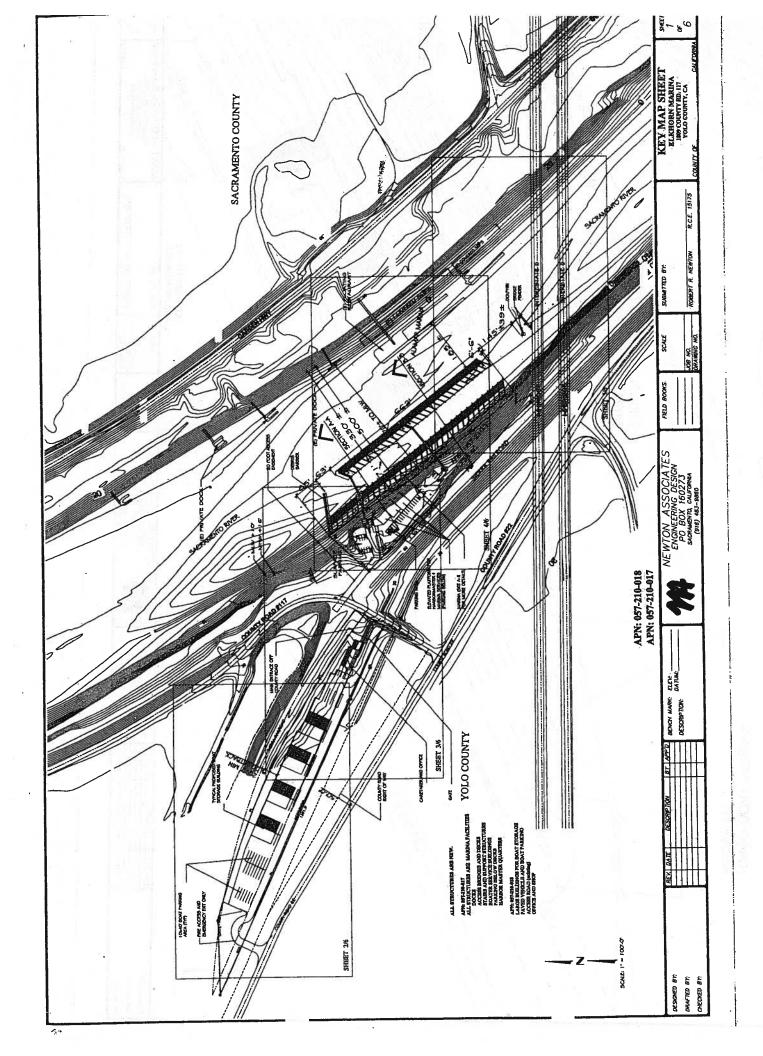
Attachment E - Findings

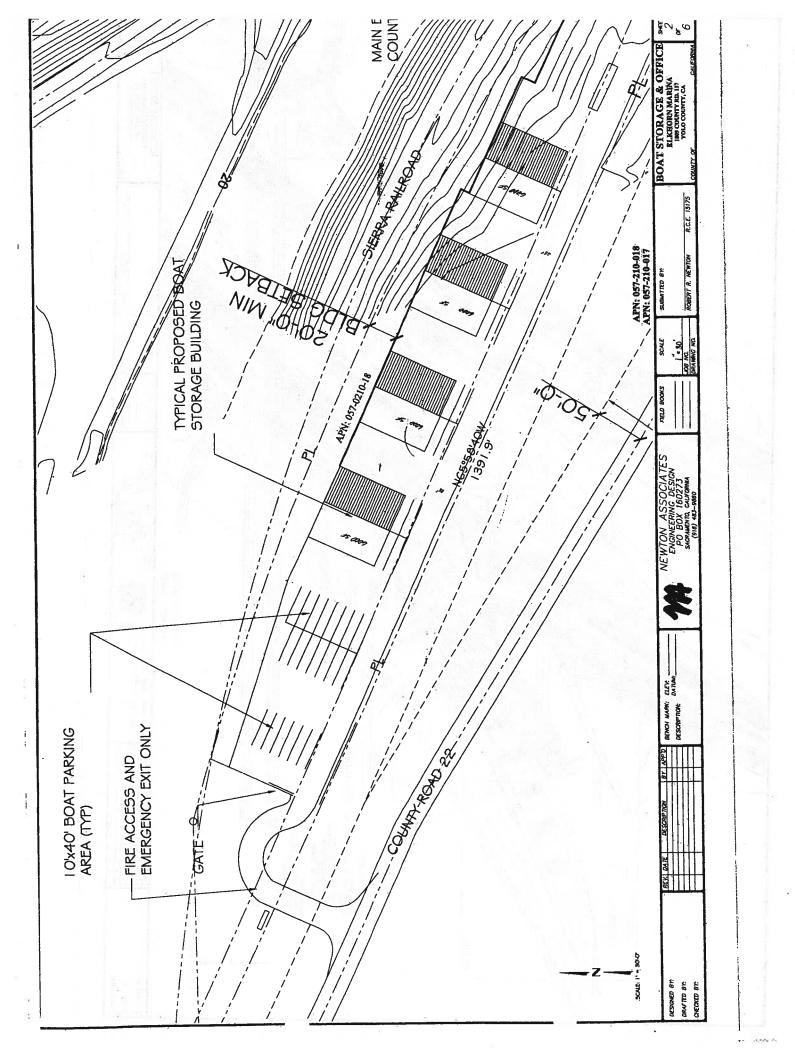
Attachment F - Conditions of Approval

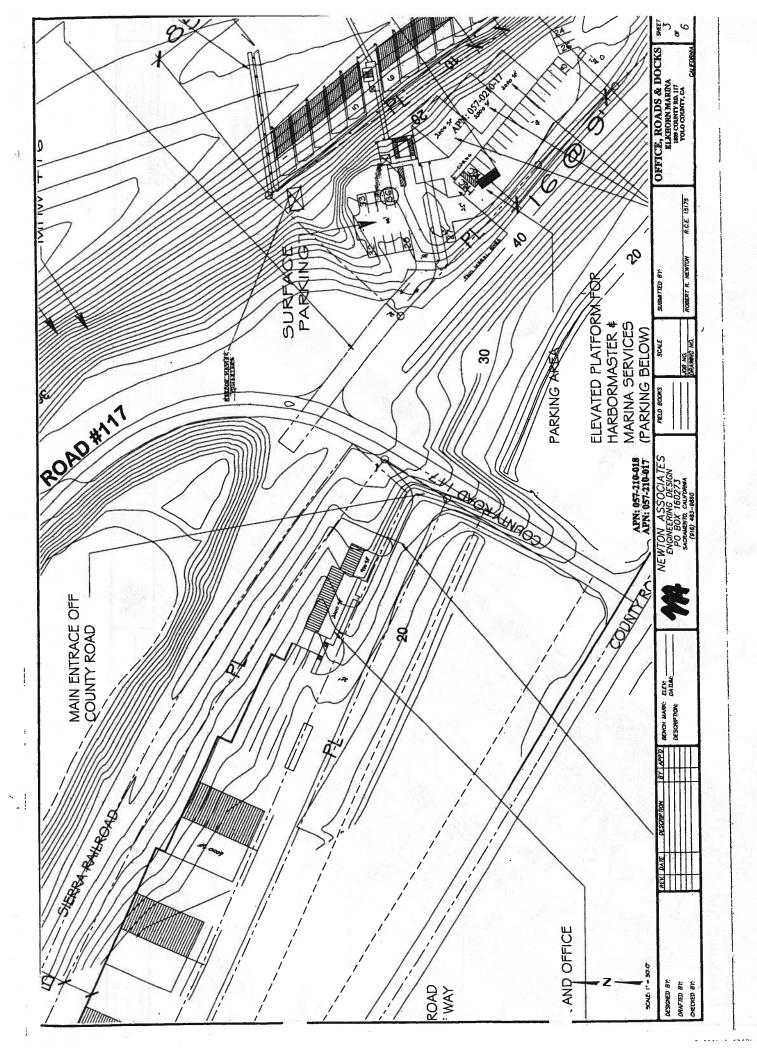
Attachment G - Aerial Photo

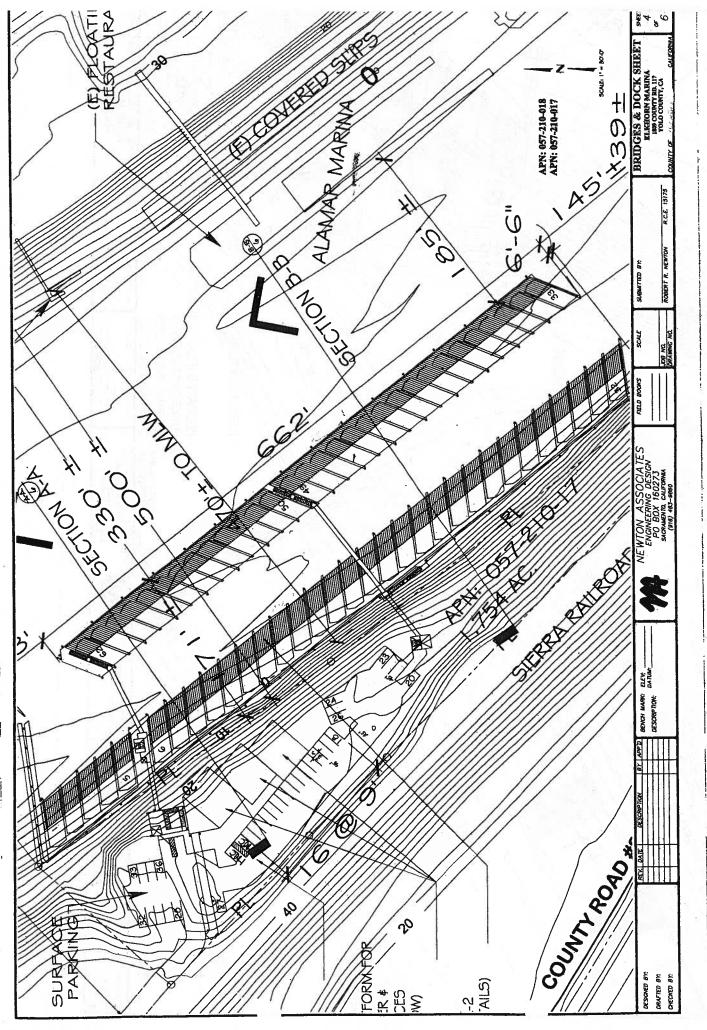
Attachment H - Road Abandonment

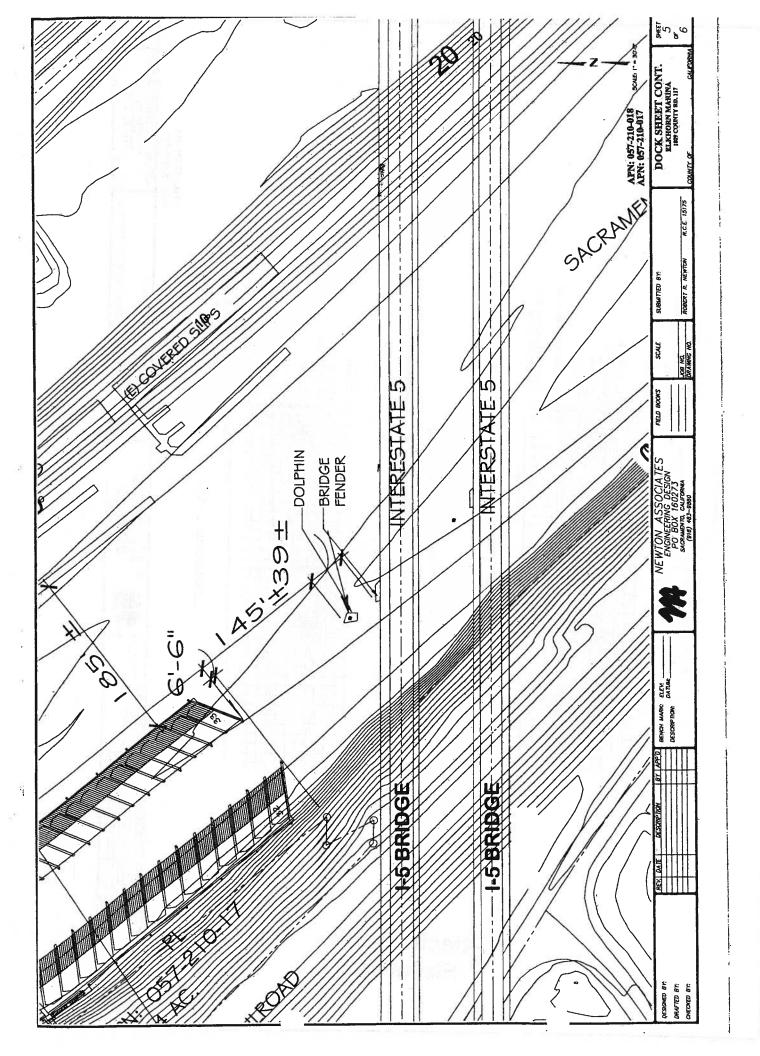


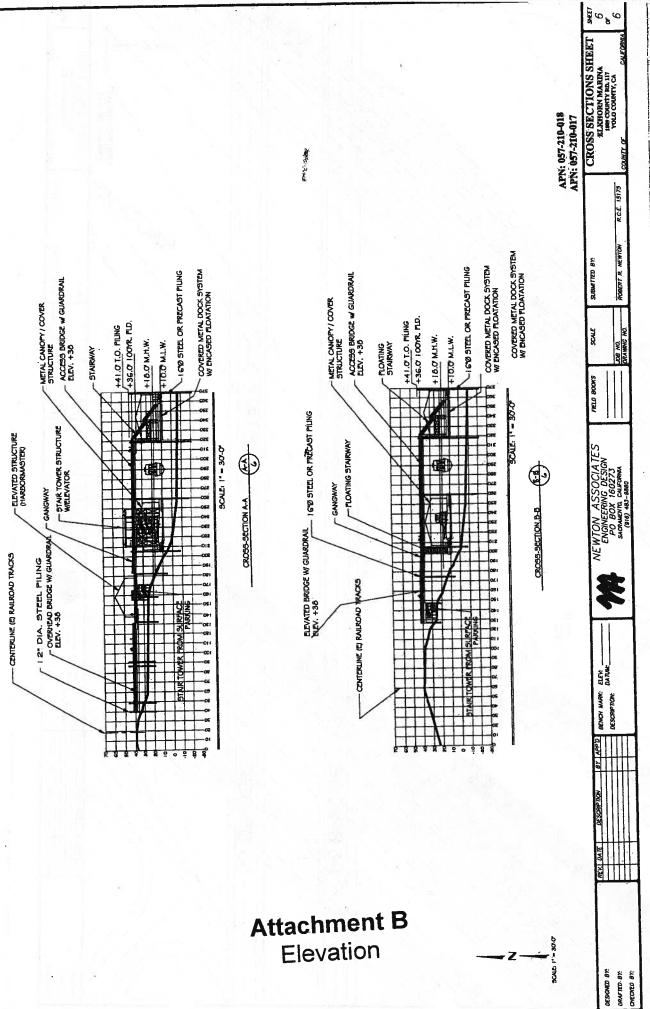














YOLO COUNTY PLANNING & PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Newton Associates
Marina/Road Abandonment

July 15, 2008

Revised
INITIAL STUDY/ MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
ZONE FILE # 2007-049 and 2007-050

Attachment C
Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration

Negative Declaration / Initial Environmental Study

- 1. Project Title: Zone Files 2007-049 and 2007-050 (Newton/Turner)
- 2. Lead Agency Name and Address:

Yolo County Planning and Public Works Department 292 West Beamer Street Woodland, CA 95695

- 3. Contact Person and Phone Number: Craig Baracco at (530) 666-8833 or craig.baracco@yolocounty.org
- 4. **Project Location:** The project site is located both east and west of the intersection of County Roads 117 and 22, just north of the Interstate 5 Sacramento River Bridge on the west bank of the Sacramento River, five miles to the east of the City of Woodland. (APNs: 057-210-17 & -18).
- 5. Project Sponsor's Name and Address:

Applicant: Robert Newton P.O. Box 160273 Sacramento, CA 95816 Owner: Hugh Turner 169 North Valentine Fresno, CA

- 6. General Plan Designation(s): Agriculture
- 7. Zoning A-1 (General Agriculture).
- 8. **Description of the Project:** Conditional Use Permit to allow the construction and operation of a marina and associated buildings and abandonment of a section of public right-of-way. See further details in "Project Description," below.
- 9. Surrounding Land Uses and Setting: The Sacramento River lies to the east of the project site. An existing marina, which includes boat launch and refueling facilities, is currently in operation on the eastern shore of the river in Sacramento County directly east of the project site. All parcels surrounding the project are zoned A-1 (General Agriculture) and designated Agriculture in the Yolo County General Plan. A residence is located approximately 400 feet north of the project location. No other development exists on adjacent parcels. A rail line lies adjacent to the project site. The I-5 bridge over the Sacramento River is directly south of the project.
- 10. Other public agencies whose approval is required: State Department of Fish and Game, US Fish and Wildlife Service, State Lands Commission, Army Corp of Engineers, Central Valley Flood Protection Board, Department of Boats and Waterways, National Marine Fisheries Service.
- 11. Other Project Assumptions: The Initial Study assumes compliance with all applicable State, Federal, and Local Codes and Regulations including, but not limited to, County of Yolo Improvement Standards, the California Building Code, the State Health and Safety Code, and the State Public Resources Code.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project (ZF2007-049) applicant proposes to remove two existing dock sections and replace them with a new 62-slip marina on the west bank of the lower Sacramento River, just north of the Interstate 5 freeway crossing in Yolo County. The marina will be used for year-round berthing of recreational boats. No boat launching facilities or refueling facilities are proposed. A harbormaster's office and elevated platform for marina services and a 36- space parking area will be constructed on the landward side of the levee (parcel 057-210-17). A boat parking area with 21 ten feet by forty feet spaces, five boat storage buildings 6,000 square feet in size, and a caretakers office (2,900 square feet) will be constructed on the west side Country Road 117 (APN: 057-210-18).

The marina facilities consist of two floating dock sections that will be accessed by an elevated landing and two bridge and stairway structures. The dock section farthest from shore will be located approximately 170 feet from shore and measure 490 feet long by 46 feet wide. The dock section closest to shore will be located approximately 70 feet from shore and measure 710 feet long and 50 feet wide. The docks will be constructed of galvanized metal with encased flotation. A sheet pile debris barrier will extend 80 feet from shore at the upstream (north) end of the marina. The total water surface area covered by the dock structures and berthed vessels will be approximately 1.6 acres.

A total of 210 16-inch diameter steel piles will be driven to support the docks and access structures. A total of 150 piles will be driven into the bed of the Sacramento River using a bargemounted pile driver. The remaining 60 piles will be driven out of the water on shore.

There is an existing domestic water well and septic system on parcel APN 057-210-17, which served a previously demolished home. These existing systems may have to be upgraded or supplemented though the construction of a new well or septic system under permit from Yolo County Environmental Health.

The marina's hours of operation will be from 7:00 am to 10:00 pm. The marina will have three full-time employees. The project is expected to generate 216 vehicle trips per day at full capacity, based on projections, and will require up to three truck deliveries per day. Security will be provided with a fenced perimeter and gate.

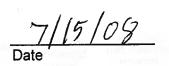
A request to abandon a section of public right-of-way thirty feet in width and 1400 feet in length that runs along the sourthern border of parcel APN 057-210-18 is also included in this project (ZF 2007-050). The applicant is asserting that this section of right-of-way should have been merged when Cal-trans reconveyed the property back to Yolo County.

See attached site plan and application materials.

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:

The environmental factors checked below would be potentially affected by this project. These issues have been discussed in detail below, and mitigation measures have been recommended to reduce impacts to a less than significant level.

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	Hazards & Hazardous Materials		Hydrology / Water Quality		Land Use / Planning		
	Mineral Resources		Noise		Population / Housing		
	Public Services		Recreation	\boxtimes	Transportation / Traffic		
	Utilities / Service Systems		Mandatory Findings of Significance				
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PURPOSE OF THIS INITIAL STUDY

This Initial Study has been prepared consistent with CEQA Guidelines Section 15063, to determine if the project as described herein may have a significant effect upon the environment.

EVALUATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

A brief explanation is required for all answers.

"No Impact" answers are adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to projects like the one involved (e.g. the project falls outside a fault rupture zone). A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors as well as general standards.

A determination that a "Less than Significant Impact" would occur is appropriate when the project could create some identifiable impact, but the impact would be less than the threshold set by a performance standard or adopted policy. The initial study should describe the impact and state why it is found to be "less than significant."

"Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate if there is substantial evidence that an effect is significant. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, an EIR is required.

"Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less than Significant Impact". The initial study must describe the mitigation measures and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level.

Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration, pursuant to Section 15063 (c)(3)(D) of the California Government Code. Earlier analyses are discussed in Section XVII at the end of the checklist.

Preparers are encouraged to incorporate into the checklist references to information sources for potential impacts (e.g. general plans, zoning ordinances). Reference to a previously prepared or outside document should, where appropriate, include a reference to the page or pages where the statement is substantiated. A source list should be attached and other sources used or individual contacts should be cited in the discussion.

••	AESTHETICS	Potentially Significant	Less Than Significant With Mitigation	Less Than Significant	No Impact	
W	ould the project:	Impact	Incorporated	Impact		
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista?			BUHT HO		
b)	Substantially damage scenic resources, including, but not limited to, trees, rock croppings, and historic buildings within a state scenic highway?		rsingon d Ognosek est			
c)	Substantially degrade the existing visual character or quality of the site and its surroundings?	THE PARTY		u Pec		
d)	Create a new source of substantial light or glare which would adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area?		A III DAGE		Marie en e	

Discussion of Impacts

- a) <u>Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated.</u> <u>Less than significant.</u> The project is located just north of Interstate Highway 5 at the intersection of County Roads 117 and 22. County Road 117 is designated a "County Scenic Corridor" in the 1983 Yolo County General Plan. As discussed in item (c) below, this project has the potential of affecting a scenic corridor unless mitigation measures are implemented.
- b) Less than significant. See (a) and (c). Approximately 20 mature trees exist on the site and will need to be removed to allow for the construction of boat storage buildings.
- c) Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated. The project site is currently undeveloped and contains bare ground and existing vegetation. The project will include the construction of a number of buildings, including boat storage buildings, a caretaker office, a harbormaster platform and two parking areas. A sixty-two slip marina will be constructed on the surface of the Sacramento River. This new construction will substantially change the visual character of the existing land and water. The proposed is consistent with existing conditions in the area, as a similar marina facility already exists on the Sacramento County side of the river, directly east of the project. The Sacramento River is a well-known scenic area and the project site is highly visible to members of the traveling public along Interstate 5. To prevent significant degradation of the visual character of the site and its surroundings, the following mitigation measure is required.

Mitigation Measure 1

- (a) A condition of the Use Permit shall require the owner-operator to ensure that all boats docked at the marina shall be kept in good working order and repair. Non-operative or abandoned craft shall not be allowed to remain in dock. All boats, buildings, and structures shall be kept clean and free from graffiti, trash and visual clutter. All trash enclosures and storage areas will screened from the viewing public.
- (b) Prior to issuance of building permits, the applicant shall submit a detailed landscaping and irrigation plan for the project site to be approved by the Planning and Public Works Director. A variety of native plants, shrubs and grasses shall be used to enhance the visual character of the site and to visually integrate the project into the surrounding area.
- d) Less Than Significant Impact. The project would generate additional light and glare into a rural area currently limited in artificial nighttime light sources. However, lighting associated with any new development would be required to meet the design criteria of the Yolo County Code requiring that lighting must be directed away from neighboring properties and the night sky.

II. AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES:

sigr Cal (19) opti	determining whether impacts to agricultural resources are nificant environmental effects, lead agencies may refer to the ifornia Agricultural Land Evaluation and Site assessment Model 97) prepared by the California Department of Conservation as an onal model to use in assessing impacts on agriculture and nland. Would the project:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
(a)	Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance, as shown on the maps prepared pursuant to the Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program of the California Resources Agency, to non-agricultural use?				
(b)	Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use or a Williamson Act contract?				
(c)	Involve other changes in the existing environment which due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of farmland, to non-agricultural use?	T ILLTH-ISIG			
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Discussion of Impacts

- Less Than Significant Impact. The project parcel is currently zoned A-1 or Agricultural General. (a) The property is not currently in active agricultural production. Under the Yolo County Zoning Code boating and associated activities falls under the definition of "rural recreation." Rural recreation is defined as outdoor sporting or leisure activities that require large open space areas and do not have any significant detrimental impact on agriculture lands in the general vicinity of the activity. If the rural recreation involves the use of permanent builds such as found in this project, a conditional use permit is required. The project is a conditional use allowed under A-1 zoning and consistent with an agricultural setting.
- Less Than Significant Impact. The property is not currently in active agricultural production. The (b) proposed project would not conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use or with any Williamson Act contracts, since the site is not under contract and the use is conditionally allowed under A-1 zoning.
- No Impact. A boat marina is a rural recreational use compatible with the presence of agriculture (c) on surrounding lands. The project will not impact any existing agricultural use nor induce conversion of agricultural lands to a non-agricultural use.

III. AIR QUALITY:

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a)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan?				
b)	Violate any air quality standard or contribute substantially to an existing or projected air quality violation?				
c)	Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard (including releasing emissions which exceed quantitative thresholds for ozone precursors)?		egista i aventi egista i aventi		FR V REW
d)	Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?			\boxtimes	
e)	Create objectionable odors affecting a substantial number of people?			etan 🗐 I ha	

Discussion of Impacts

a, b) Less than Significant Impact. The project is within the Yolo-Solano Regional Air Quality Management District (YSAQMD). The district is currently a non-attainment area for ozone (State and Federal ambient standards) and Particulate Matter (State ambient standards). While air quality plans exist for ozone, none exists (or is currently required) for PM₁₀. Yolo County is in an attainment area for carbon monoxide (the State and Federal ambient standards are met), since Yolo County has relatively low background levels of carbon monoxide. The project would contribute incrementally to the non-attainment of these air quality standards. There would be short-term construction impacts as well as long-term mobile source (traffic) emissions due to new customer and employee traffic. The project could substantially conflict with or obstruct implementation of the Sacramento Area Regional Ozone Attainment Plan (November, 1994), or the goals and objectives of the County's General Plan.

Effects on air quality can be divided into short-term construction-related effects and those associated with long-term aspects of the project, e.g., auto trips generated by marina users.

The YSAQMD sets threshold levels for use in evaluating the significance of criteria air pollutant emissions from project-related mobile and area sources in the CEQA Air Quality Handbook (YSAQMD, 2007). These significance thresholds include:

Reactive Organic Gases (ROG): 54 pounds per day (ppd)

Oxides of Nitrogen (NOx): 54 ppd Particulate Matter (PM₁₀): 80 ppd

The YSAQMD also indicates the "trigger levels" for specific land uses that are generally associated with the threshold levels. For example, a subdivision of 340 single-family units, or an industrial park of 465,000 square feet, or a supermarket of 18,000 square feet, are all assumed to generate emissions that exceed the thresholds noted above.

The marina can be expected to generate an average of 3.48 vehicle trips per day per berth. With 62 slips planed, the project would generate approximately 216 vehicle trips per day. This traffic would create air emissions equal to 1.75 daily pounds of ROG, 2.47 pounds of NOx, and .47 pounds of PM_{10} . These air emissions are lower than the thresholds set by the YSAQMD for ROG, NOx, and PM_{10} .

- c) Less than Significant Impact. Development projects are considered <u>cumulatively</u> significant by the YSAQMD if the following two conditions are met:
 - 1. The project requires a change in the existing land use designation (i.e., general plan amendment, rezone); and
 - 2. Projected emissions (ROG, NOx, or PM₁₀) of the project are greater than the emissions anticipated for the site if developed under the existing land use designation.

Under these criteria, the proposed marina would not be considered cumulatively significant since a General Plan Amendment or rezone would not be required and projected emissions for the project would be consistent with emissions anticipated from the existing land use designation.

- d) No Impact. The project is not located near a school or any other sensitive receptors.
- e) Less than Significant Impact. Some objectionable odors may result from the operation, maintenance and cleaning of boats. However, the project is located in a rural setting, with very few people nearby and no significant population that could be effected.

	BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES uld the project:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect, either directly or through habitat modifications, on any species identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special status in local or regional plans, policies, or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Game or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?				_
b)	Have a substantial adverse effect on any riparian habitat or sensitive natural community identified in local or regional plans, policies, or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Game or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?				
c)	Have a substantial adverse effect on federally protected wetlands as defined by Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (including, but not limited to, marsh, vernal pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, hydrological interruption, or other means?	inch inch maidr			
d)	Interfere substantially with the movement of any native resident or migratory fish or wildlife species or with established native residents or migratory wildlife corridors or impede the use of native wildlife nursery sites?				
e)	Conflict with any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance?	da Innediana	William English		
f)	Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan?				⊠
	Discussion of Impacts				

a)b)c)d) Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated. According to a biological study prepared by the applicant (Biological and Essential Fish Habitat Assessment for the Elkhorn Marina Project, Jones & Stokes, November 2007), the California Natural Diversity Data Base identifies five "special status species" that may be found in the vicinity of the project site (Table 1). "Special status species" includes those that are listed as "threatened" or "endangered" and are afforded legal protection under either (or both) the California and U.S. Endangered Species Acts (ESAs), as well as species that lack legal protection under the ESAs but have been characterized as "sensitive" by state resource agencies or organizations (such as the California Native Plant Society) with acknowledged expertise.

The project is located in an area that is a known habitat for the Swainson's hawk. The county participates in the Yolo County Joint Powers Agency, which requires mitigation for every acre of Swainson's hawk habitat land that is developed. The project would be required to pay a fee of \$8,660 per acre. The fees are used to purchase conservation easements on habitat lands used by the hawk.

The project area has been identified as an area of critical habitat for three of the five special status species as indicated in the table below.

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Species	Status/Critical Habitat?
Fish Sacramento River winter-run Chinook salmon ESU (Oncorhynchus tsshawytscha)	Endangered/Yes
Central Valley spring-run Chinook salmon ESU (O. tsshawytscha)	Threatened/Yes
Central Valley Steelhead DPS (O. mykiss)	Threatened/Yes
Southern DPS of North American green sturgeon (Acipenser medirostris)	Threatened/No
Central Valley fall-/late fall-run Chinook salmon ESU (O.tshawytscha)	Threatened/No

Source: Biological and Essential Fish Habitat Assessment for the Elkhorn Marina Project, Jones & Stokes, November 2007

Abbreviations Key:

ESU = Evolutionary Significant Units DPS = Distinct Population Segments

Additional reconnaissance level assessment of upland biological resources (July 2008) was conducted on May 30, 2008. This assessment concluded that two species, valley elderberry longhorn beetle and Swainson's hawk have a high potential to occur onsite. An elderberry shrub that was identified along the border of parcel of 057-210-18 represents potential habitat for the longhorn beetle. Swainson's hawks were recorded nesting in Parcel 057-210-17 in 2007.

The project has the potential to significantly impact several special status species and/or their critical habitat unless the following mitigation measure is implemented:

Mitigation Measure 2:

Conditions of Approval for the Use Permit shall include:

Fish

- (a) All in-water construction activities in the Sacramento River shall be limited to the period June 1 through October 31 to avoid the primary migration periods of listed salmonids.
- (b) In-water pile driving will be restricted to the period July 1 through September 30 to avoid or minimize exposure of adults and juvenile salmonids to underwater pile driving sounds.

(c) Pile driving shall be conducted by barge to minimize disturbance of riparian habitat.

(d) Following construction, native riparian vegetation shall be planted on disturbed or exposed soils to control erosion and offset any losses of vegetation on the waterside slope of the levee.

(e) The owner/operator shall enforce a no-wake zone for boats operating in and in the vicinity of the marina though the posting of signs and other mechanisms.

Elderberry Longhorn Beetle

(f) Prior to issuance of a grading permit or land disturbance activities on the panel storage area, the observed elderberry shrub shall be identified, mapped, flagged, and be protected by orange temporary fencing for the duration of the project earthmoving activities. Complete avoidance (i.e., no adverse effects) may be assumed when a 30 m (100 ft) (or wider) buffer is established and maintained around elderberry plants containing stems measuring 2.5 cm (1.0 in) or greater in diameter at ground level. In the event that work must proceed in areas where encroachment on the 30 m (100 ft) buffer has been approved by the USFWS, a minimum setback of at least 6 m (20 ft) from the dripline of each elderberry plant shall be provided.

Raptors

(g) Prior to any site preparation or construction activity, the applicant shall protect raptor nesting habitat as described in this mitigation measure. All surveys shall be submitted to the Yolo County Planning, Resources and Public Works Department for review.

(h) For construction that will occur between March 15 and September 15 of any given year, the applicant shall conduct a minimum of two preconstruction surveys for (a) suitable nesting habitat within one-half mile of the project site for Swainson's hawk; and (b) within 500 feet of the project site for tree-nesting raptors and northern harriers. Surveys shall be conducted by a qualified biologist and will conform to the Swainson's Hawk Technical Advisory Committee (2000) guidelines. These guidelines describe the minimum number and timing of surveys, If nesting raptors are detected during preconstruction surveys, the applicant shall implement mitigation measures described in (k), below.

(i) If nesting raptors are recorded within their respective buffers, the applicant shall adhere

to the following buffers:

(1) Maintain a 1/4-mile buffer around Swainson's hawk nests, and a 500-foot buffer around other active raptor nests. These buffers may be reduced in consultation with CDFG; however, no construction activities shall be permitted within these buffers except as described in (2), below.

(2) Depending on conditions specific to each nest, and the relative location and rate of construction activities, it may be feasible for construction to occur as planned within the buffer without impacting the breeding effort. In this case (to be determined in consultation with CDFG), the nest(s) shall be monitored by a qualified biologist during construction within the buffer. If, in the professional opinion of the monitor, the project would impact the nest, the biologist shall immediately inform the construction manager and CDFG. The construction manager shall stop construction activities within the buffer until either the nest is no longer active or the project receives approval to continue from CDFG.

e) Less than Significant Impact. The project does not conflict with any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance.

regional, or state habitat conservation plan. V. CULTURAL RESOURCES Less Than Potentially Less Than Significant With No Significant Significant Impact Mitigation Would the project: Impact Impact Incorporated \boxtimes a) Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource as defined in §15064.5? \boxtimes b) Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource pursuant to §15064.5? Ø Directly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontological resource or site or unique geologic feature? Disturb any human remains, including those interred outside of formal cemeteries? **Discussion of Impacts** a) No impact. The project site is not known to have any historical significant or significant characteristics as defined by the criteria within the CEQA Guidelines. The project site is currently vacant and has no structures of any kind. b) No Impact. The project site is not known to include any archaeologically significant characteristics as defined by the criteria in the CEQA Guidelines. c) No impact. No paleontological resources are known or suspected and no unique geologic features exist on the project site. d) Less than Significant Impact. No human remains are known or predicted to exist in the project area. However, the potential exists during construction to uncover previously unidentified resources. Section 7050.5 of the California Health and Safety Code states that, when human remains are discovered, no further site disturbance shall occur until the county coroner has determined that the remains are not subject to the provisions of Section 27491 of the Government Code or any other related provisions of law concerning investigation of the circumstances, manner and cause of any death, and the recommendations concerning the treatment and disposition of the human remains have been made to the person responsible for the excavation, in the manner provided in Section 5097.98 of the Public Resources Code. If the coroner determines that the remains are not subject to his or her authority and the remains are recognized to be those of a Native American, the coroner shall contact the Native American Heritage Commission within 24 hours. VI. GEOLOGY AND SOILS Less Than Less Than Potentially No Significant With Significant Significant Impact Mitigation Impact Impact Would the project: Incorporated Expose people or structures to potential substantial adverse M effects including the risk of loss, injury, or death involving rupture of a known earthquake fault, as delineated on the most recent Alguist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Map issued by the State Geologist for the area or based on other substantial evidence of a known Fault? Refer to Division of Mines and Geology Special Publication 42.

No Impact. The updated plan would not conflict with the provisions of any adopted Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP), Natural Community Conservation Plan (NCCP), or other approved local,

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- f) Less Than Significant Impact. See comments in VI (a-d) above.
- g) Less Than Significant Impact. See comments in VI (c) above. County records show that the soils upon which the project is located are rated "normal" or non-expansive.
- h) Less Than Significant Impact. The project will be served by a septic system to be constructed onsite. The septic system will be permitted though Yolo County Environmental Health and will need to meet all the requirements of the Yolo County Health Code.

VII	HAZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS	Potentially Significant	Less Than Significant With Mitigation	Less Than Significant	No Impact
Wo	uld the project:	Impact	incorporated	Impact	mpaci
a)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?				
b)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through reasonably foreseeable upset and accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?				
c)	Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one-quarter mile of an existing or proposed school?				
d)	Be located on a site which is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and, as a result, would it create a significant hazard to the public or the environment?				
e)	For a project located within an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project result in a safety hazard for people residing or working in the project area?				
f)	For a project within the vicinity of a private airstrip, would the project result in a safety hazard for people residing or working within the project area?				\boxtimes
g)	Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?				\boxtimes
h)	Expose people or structures to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving wildland fires, including where wildlands are adjacent to urbanized areas or where residences are intermixed with wildlands?				

Discussion of Impacts

- a) Less than Significant Impact. A number of substances considered hazardous which are used in the cleaning and maintenance of boats could be used and stored on the site. A condition of approval requires that the applicants meet all the requirements of a Hazardous Materials Business Plan, including safe use, storage, and disposal of all hazardous material, as administered by Yolo County Hazardous Materials Division. The project does not include refueling facilities; nor there will be storage of fuel on the site. The total volume of hazardous materials is expected to be low, and therefore less than significant.
- b) Less than Significant Impact. Construction of the boating facility will involve the use of heavy equipment, which uses small amounts of oils and fuels and other potentially flammable substances

typically associated with such activities. The proposed project would not, however, result in a significant risk of explosion or accidental release of hazardous substances and is, therefore, considered to have a less than significant impact. See (a), above.

- c) No impact. The project is not located within a quarter mile of a school.
- d) No impact. The project is not located on a site that is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled by the Yolo County Environmental Health Department-Hazardous Waste Site Files pursuant to Government Code 65962.5. The proposed project would not expose people to known existing sources of potential health hazards.
- e) Less than Significant Impact. The project is located approximately 1.5 miles due west of the Sacramento International Airport. However, take-offs and landings from Sacramento International run north-south and the project is not within the runway clearance zones established to protect the adjoining land uses in the vicinity from noise and safety hazards associated with aviation accidents.
- f) No impact. The project site is not located within the vicinity of a private airstrip.
- g) No impact. The project would not interfere with any adopted emergency response or evacuation plans.
- h) No impact. The project site is not located in a wildland area and, therefore, would not be at risk from wildland fires.

	. HYDROLOGY AND WATER QUALITY uld the project:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
a)	Violate any water quality standards or waste discharge requirements?				
b)	Significantly deplete groundwater supplies or interfere substantially with groundwater recharge such that there would be a net deficit in aquifer volume or a lowering of the local groundwater table level (e.g., the production rate of pre-existing nearby wells would drop to a level which would not support existing land uses or planned uses for which permits have been granted)?				
c)	Substantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site or area, including through the alteration of the course of a stream or river, in a manner which would result in substantial erosion or siltation on- or off-site?				
d)	Substantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site or area, including through the alteration of the course of a stream or river, or substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or off-site?				
e)	Create or contribute runoff water which would exceed the capacity of existing or planned stormwater drainage systems or provide substantial additional sources of polluted runoff?				
f)	Otherwise substantially degrade water quality?			\boxtimes	
g)	Place housing within a 100-year flood hazard area as mapped on a federal Flood Hazard Boundary or Flood Insurance Rate Map or other flood hazard delineation map?			ilianis II.	
h)	Place within a 100-year flood hazard area structures, which would impede or redirect flood flows?				anlināri a B

i)	Expose people or structures to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving flooding, including flooding as a result of the failure of a levee or dam?			⊠	
j)	Inundation by seiche, tsunami, or mudflow?				
	Discussion of Impacts				
	a) c) e) f) Less than Significant Impact With Mitigation access to any existing or proposed storm water drain project will result in modified drainage patterns to potentially increasing the flow of stormwater off-site stormwater flow has the potential of conveying contan has the potential to significantly impact water quality implemented:	age system accommoda , including ninates and	s. Implementa ate new const into the Sacra affecting wate	tion of the particular truction and amento Riversity The particular trucks are the particular to the particular the particular to the particular the particu	oroposed I paving, er. Such e project
	Mitigation Measure 3				
	 (a) As a Condition of Approval of the use Construction Activity Stormwater Permit (System (NPDES)) permit. The permits a operational activities that may adversely at (b) The applicant shall utilize Best Managem entering the Sacramento River. Such BMF i. Storing materials and equipment to ii. Developing and implementing a spiii. Installing traps, filter, or other devisite and entering the Sacramento or plastic, to minimize the amount (c) The applicant shall submit a grading an approval of County Public Works. 	SWPPP) and re required frect water of ent Practice Ps should into prevent spoill prevention of uncontrol and recontrol.	d a National E to control be uality. es (BMPs) to p clude, but no be ills or leaks. on and cleanup vent contamina using barriers lled runoff that	oischarge Electric construction revent pollute limited to: plan ants from le , such as si could exit the	imination etion and ation from aving the trawbales ne site.
	b) Less than Significant Impact. The project will be ser existing well on the property and a new well may ne The amount of domestic water use would not exceed The domestic well will operate under permit form Yold requirements of County and State Health Codes.	ed to be co I the rechar	nstructed to so ge capacity of	erve increas the agricult	sed need. ural land.
	g, h) Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated within the 100-year floodplain, as designated by the smaller section of property is located in the 500-year fl	Federal E	tions of the pr mergency Mar	oject site ar nagement A	re located agency. A
	Mitigation Measure 4				
	(a) As a Condition of Approval of the use permit, a proposed buildings out of the 100-year flood hazal that the finished flood elevations would be one construct the buildings to dry-proofing standards a Federal Emergency Management Agency standards.	rd area by e e foot abov as required	levating the pa re the base fl	ood elevati	ons or to
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	 i) Less Than Significant Impact. The project site is not lo located down stream from the Shasta dam, which However the likelihood of such a dam failure should significant in its impact. 	could expos	se individuals	to risk from	i flooding.

addition, the project site is relatively flat and is not located near any physical or geologic features that would produce a mudflow hazard. IX. LAND USE AND PLANNING Less Than Less Than Potentially Significant With No Significant Significant Mitigation Impact Impact Would the project: Impact Incorporated \bowtie Physically divide an established community? Conflict with any applicable land use plan, policy, or regulation of an agency with jurisdiction over the project (including, but not limited to the general plan, specific plan, local coastal program. or zoning ordinance) adopted for the purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental effect? Conflict with any applicable habitat conservation plan or natural community conservation plan? **Discussion of Impacts** a) No impact. The project is located in a rural setting, not in or near any establish community. b) No impact. The project is consistent with the Yolo County General Plan, and with Yolo County zoning requirements for a conditional use. c) No Impact. The County does not have an adopted HCP or NCCP. As a result, the project would not conflict with any applicable habitat conservation plan or natural community conservation plan, nor would it conflict with the Yolo County Draft Natural Community Conservation Plan. X. MINERAL RESOURCES Less Than Potentially Less Than Significant With Nο Significant Significant Mitigation Impact Impact Would the project: Impact Incorporated Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource X that would be of value to the region and the residents of the state? Result in the loss of availability of a locally important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan or other land use plan? Discussion of Impacts a) No Impact. The project site is not designated as an area of significant aggregate deposits, as classified by the State Department of Mines and Geology. b) No Impact. See above response to X (a). XI. NOISE Less Than Potentially Less Than No Significant With Significant Significant Mitigation Impact Impact Would the project result in: Impact Incorporated

Less Than Significant Impact. While at least theoretically possible, the Sacramento River is generally not considered a sufficiently large body of water to pose a significant seiche or tsunami hazard. In

a)	of	posure of persons to or generation of noise levels in excess standards established in the local general plan or noise inance, or applicable standards of other agencies?				
b)	Ехр	posure of persons to or generation of excessive groundborne ration noise levels?		CA D WEI/EU		
c)	A s	ubstantial permanent increase in ambient noise levels in the ject vicinity above levels existing without the project?				
d)	leve	substantial temporary or periodic increase in ambient noise els in the project vicinity above levels existing without the ject?		upuoma Ero Be,		
e)	suc airp resi	r a project located within an airport land use plan or, where the a plan has not been adopted within two miles of a public port or public use airport, would the project expose people iding or working in the project area to excessive noise els?				
f)	proj	a project within the vicinity of a private airstrip, would the ject expose people residing or working in the project area to sessive noise levels?	g n 🔲 dii aye d	on a file of any		
	Dis	scussion of Impacts				
Elico	a)	Less than Significant Impact. No persons as a result of any significant sources of noise generation and would standards established in the Yolo General Plan. No customers would be consistent with the standards for Plan.	d not be expo oise levels e	osed to levels xperienced by	in excess employee	of any
	b)	Less than Significant Impact. Potential ground borne of project, including pile driving 210 support structures. Freceptors, this is not expected to be significant and would be significant and woul	However, sinc	e there are no	onstruction nearby se	of the ensitive
	c)	Less than Significant Impact. The project will result in operation of boats and increased car traffic to the site. Include an existing boat dock to the east, and traffic alo of ambient noise the impact of the project is anticipated	lowever, existing the I-5 cor	ing sources of ridor. Given the	noise for th	ne area
	d)	Less than Significant Impact. Construction could involve noise. See comments from section (a) and (b) for Temporary and periodic impacts related to construction	r comments	concerning co	nstruction	noise.
	e)	Less than Significant Impact. The project is locate Sacramento International Airport. However, take-offs ar north-south and the project is not within the runway adjoining land uses in the vicinity from noise and safety	nd landings fro clearance zo	om Sacramento ones establish	Internation Internation	nal run ect the
	f)	No Impact. The project site is not located near a priva from any private airstrip.		I would not be		o noise
		OPULATION the project:	Potentially	Less Than	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact

a)	(e.c	by proposi	ng new hom	es and busine	area, either direct esses) or indirect infrastructure)?	ly ly		an isa ciilaxe	tar Dyna'r Street Town	
b)	Dis the	place substan	itial numbers of replacemer	of existing hount housing else	ising, necessitatin where?	ıg				
c)				rs of people, ousing elsewhe	necessitating there?	ne				⊠.
	Dis	cussion of	Impacts					20		
	a)	houseboats extension o	or "live abo f roads or o	oard" units ar ther infrastruc	nd will not serve cture that could	suc induc	h vessels e populat	na does not in . The project do ion growth. The s will serve the	oes not invo abandonm	olve the
	b)	No Impact.	Construction	on of the prop	osed project wo	ould r	ot displac	e any existing h	ousing.	
	d)	No Impact.	Construction	on of the proje	ect would not dis	place	any peo	ple.		
XII	i. P	UBLIC SE	RVICES							
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a)	Fire	e protection?							\boxtimes	
b)	Pol	lice Protection	?							3
c)	Scl	nools?								\boxtimes
d)	Pa	rks?								\boxtimes
e)	Oth	ner public facil	lities?							
	Dis	scussion of	Impacts							
	a)	The project	t would not I to pay for t	trigger the ne their fair share	ed for increase	in fire	re fighting	primary service capacity. All ne equipment and	ew construc	tion will
	b)	provided b	y the Yolo	Impact. The County She	riff's Departmer	ect w	ould not I new co	significantly imp	pact police s pe required	services to pay
	c) i	No Impact.	No housing	is including in	this project and	thus	have no	impact on existi	ng school fa	cilities.
	d) add	Less than S ditional dem	Significant I nand for su	mpact. The uch facilities.	project does n Boat launch	ot in facili	clude boaties curre	at launch facilit ently exist at t	ies and will he marina	induce on the
	Co	ounty of Yol	0		19	Zone	File No.	2007-049 and 2	2007-050 (N	lewton)

Sacramento County side of the river, at a public facility located in Knights Landing and at the Elkhorn Regional Park. These existing facilities should be capable of meeting the increased demand for boat launching facilities.

e) No Impact. All other service providers have been provided an opportunity to comment on the proposed project. No potentially significant impact has been identified by any service providers.

ΧIV	. RECREATION	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
a)	Would the project increase the use of existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated?	AUL III gelli Van Nee	Unit of mitted E with broth Offentor with	III chi ilin evii to me è ebee to n	
b)	Does the project include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities which might have been an adverse physical effect on the environment?				
	Discussion of Impacts				
	a) No Impact. There should be little if any impact on exincrease in recreation facilities to existing residents of t	isting park f he area and	facilities. The pr of the region.	oject will pro	ovide an
	b) Less than Significant Impact. The project is the cons namely a marina to be used for recreational boating project are identified and where appropriate, mitiga document.	. The impa	cts to the envi	ronment du	e to this
	. TRANSPORTATION/TRAFFIC	Potentially Significant	Less Than Significant With Mitigation	Less Than Significant	No Impact
Wo	uld the project:	Impact	Incorporated	Impact	19:40
a)	Cause an increase in traffic which is substantial in relation to the existing traffic load and capacity of the street system (i.e., result in a substantial increase on either the number of vehicle trips, the volume to capacity ratio on roads, or congestion at intersections)?				
b)	Exceed, either individually or cumulatively, a level of service standard established by the county congestion management agency for designated roads or highways?		sili maurida		
c)	Result in a change in air traffic patterns, including either an increase in traffic levels or a change in location that results in substantial safety risks?				
d)	Substantially increase hazards due to a design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?				
e)	Result in inadequate emergency access?		ign out 🖸 — gis	\boxtimes	- A
f)	Result in inadequate parking capacity?	f in 🔲	and I and the		

g)		nflict with adopted policies, plans, or programs supporting ernative transportation (e.g., bus turnouts, bicycle racks)?		Cara Diagonius	a i 🗆 v jis	\boxtimes
	a) b)	Less than Significant. According to traffic studies found Engineers (1991) a marina can be expected to generate berth. With 62 slips planned, the project would generate increase would add approximately 22 morning and transportation network. County Roads 117 and 22 currural area and have very low existing traffic levels. This to capacity ratios and would be considered less than significant.	e an average approximate approximate for evening prently serve increase wo	e of 3.48 vehicle ely 216 vehicle beak hour trips very limited d	e trips per o trips per da s to the r evelopment	day per y. This egion's in the
		The project has the potential to affect traffic on the Sacrinto the river. The existing marina on the eastern shore The navigable space between the two marinas is approfor the continued flow of boat traffic and result in a less to	extends appointments	proximately 140 5 feet. This dist	feet into th	e river.
	c)	No Impact. The project would not result in a change in in traffic levels or a change in location that results in sub	air traffic pat estantial safe	terns, including	either an ir	crease
	ma pro of	Less than Significant Impact With Mitigation Incorporated irina will be connected to County Road 117. A rail line of pject is located and a railroad crossing is located on CR 1 multiple connections and crossings of CR 117 in a limited ald create a potentially significant impact unless mitigated	cuts between 17 between ed stretch of	n the two parce the two drivewa	els upon whays. The pr	ich the esence
		Mitigation Measure 5				
	ins	a condition of approval of the use permit, prior to the tall signage, as approved by the Department of Planning the following:	start of mai and Public	rina operation, Works, to warn	the applica the traveling	nt shall g public
		 Slow Traffic Ahead Cross Traffic Ahead Do not Block Railroad 				
	e)	Less than Significant Impact. The project would be recounty Road 117 and to comply with the requirement Planning and Public Works Department for driveway would not result in inadequate emergency access.	ts of the Elk	thorn Fire Distr	ict and the	County
	f)	Less than Significant Impact. The project would be re established in the Yolo County Zoning Code. On-site customers of the project is included in the project site p will also be provided. Therefore, approval of the project	parking suff lan. Parking	ient to serve bo facilities for ve	oth employe hicles towin	es and g boats
	g)	No Impact. The project would not conflict with ado alternative transportation. There is no transit to the site.	pted policie	s, plans, or pr	ograms su	oporting
		UTILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS the project:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
a)	Ex Re	ceed wastewater treatment requirements of the applicable egional Water Quality Control Board?				\boxtimes
b)	Re	equire or result in the construction of new water or wastewater atment facilities or expansion of existing facilities, the			\boxtimes	

		nstruction of which coul ects?	d cause signi	ficant enviro	nmental				
c)	dra con	quire or result in the inage facilities or exp struction of which coulects?	ansion of ex	isting faciliti	es, the				
d)	fror	ve sufficient water supp m existing entitlements panded entitlements need	and resource						
e)	whi cap	esult in a determination by ich serves or may serve pacity to serve the project provider's existing comm	e the project t t's projected d	hat it has a	dequate		a transferance		
f)	Be acc	served by a landfill wi	th sufficient p solid waste disp	ermitted cap oosal needs?	acity to		Heli III oos		
g)		mply with federal, state, ated to solid waste.	and local stat	utes and reg	gulations				
	Dis	scussion of Impacts							
	a)	No Impact. The faci wastewater purposes monitoring of septic s Less than Significant	. The Yolo C ystems.	County Envi	ronmental	Health Dep	partment regula	tes the des	sign and
	b)	on the property and a be disposed of thoug existing water or sew	new well ma h a domestic	y need to be	e construc	ted to serve	e increased nee	d. Wastew	ater will
	c)	Less than Significant Implementation of the construction and pavi 3.	proposed pr	oject will re	sult in mo	dified draina	age patterns to	accommod	late new
	d)	Less than Significant site well. No expar groundwater.	<i>Impact.</i> Dom nded water s	estic water upply entiti	supplies v ements w	vill be availa vill be requ	able in the proje ired apart fron	ect area with nexisting r	h an on- rights to
e.	e)	No Impact. The project will served be requirements from You	y a septic sy	ystem, and	will be re	equired to	meet all releva	int regulation	der. The ons and
	f)	Less than Significant additional developme the landfill.	Impact. The ent; therefore,	e existing Y the project	olo Count would no	y landfill wo ot significan	ould adequately tly impact the o	accommo lisposal ca	date the pacity of
	g)	No Impact. The project and enforced by the 0			comply w	ith all solid	waste regulatio	ns as imple	emented
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						Potentially Significant Impact	Significant With Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact

ΧV	II. N	NANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE				
a)	of to compare a pression	es the project have the potential to degrade the quality the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a nor wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate plant or animal community, reduce the number or trict the range of a rare or endangered plan or animal eliminate important examples of the major periods of lifornia history or prehistory?				gir □ li si a Heloir-a
b)	lim cor pro the	es the project have impacts that are individually ited, but cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively nsiderable" means that the incremental effects of a pject are considerable when viewed in connection with effects of past projects, the effects of other current pjects, and the effects of probably future projects)?				
c)	cal	es the project have environment effects which will use substantial adverse effects on human beings, ner directly or indirectly?				
	Dis	scussion of Impacts				
	a) b)	Less Than Significant Impact. Based on the analysis potential environmental impacts of the proposed project examples of major periods of California history or preh measures have been recommended to reduce any potential environmental species. Less than Significant Impact. Based on the analysis potential environmental impacts of the project would be have been recommended to reduce potential impacts hydrology (flooding) to below the significance threshold.	would be lesistory in Cal ntial impacts and mitigation less than	ss than sign ifornia were to the habita on provided significant.	ificant. No in identified. No in this Initia Mitigation m	nportant fitigation ge of the al Study, neasures
	c)	Less Than Significant Impact. Based on the analysignificant impacts to human beings would result from the would not have substantial adverse effects on human be	ne proposed	project. The	e project as p	ess than proposed
	RE	FERENCES				
	Аp	plication materials, including site plans, architectural draw	ring, and writ	ten project o	lescription.	
	Са	alifornia Department of Fish and Game, Staff report regain the Central Valley of California, 1994.	rding mitigati	on impacts	to Swainson	's hawks
	Ins	stitute of Transportation Engineers, Trip Generation, 1991				
	Jo	nes & Stokes <i>Biological and Essential Fish Habitat I</i> November 2007	Assessment	for the Elk	chorn Marina	a Project
	<u>Jo</u>	nes & Stokes Results of the Reconnaissance Level Ass 2008	essment of l	Jpland Biolo	ogical Resou	rces July

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MITIGATION MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM ZONE FILE #2007 - 049

August 2008

INTRODUCTION

The California Environmental Quality Act requires public agencies to report on and monitor measures adopted as part of the environmental review process (Public Resources Code Section 21081.6). This Mitigation Monitoring Program (MMP) is designed to ensure that the measures identified in the Mitigated Negative Declaration are fully implemented. The MMP describes the actions that must take place, the timing of the actions, who is responsible for implementation, and the agency responsible for enforcing the action. The County is responsible for implementing this MMP. The Planning and Public Works Department shall be assigned as the chief monitor and shall assign monitoring actions to responsible agencies. The Planning and Public Works Department shall also track the process of each action.

documents and other materials" which constitute the "record of proceedings" upon which a decision to approve the project was As required by Section 21081.6 of the Public Resources Code, the Planning and Public Works Department is the "custodian of based. Inquiries should be directed to: Yolo County Planning and Public Works Department 292 West Beamer Street Woodland, CA. 95695, (530) 666-8775

The MMP contains the following information:

- The potential environmental impact;
- The mitigation measures;
- The level of significance after mitigation;
- County department responsible for compliance;
- Method of compliance;
- Enforcement in case of noncompliance; and
- A column for the monitor to initial and date when compliance is mitigation is completed

Attachment D

	Mitigation Monitor	ation Monitoring Program for ZF #2007 – 044	#2007 044			
Potential Environmental Impact	Mitigation Measure(s)	Level of Impact Following Mitigation	Responsibility for Compliance	Method of Compliance	Enforcement if Non- Compliance	Date / Initials
AESTHETICS	A DEPOSITE A SECTION OF A PERSON OF SECTION				3 .	
Aesthetics	Existing visual character The following measures are required to reduce potential adverse impacts to the existing visual character in the project study area (PSA): Mitigation Measure 1	Less Than Significant	Planning Division	Planning Division to verify proper screening for trash enclosures and storage areas	Building permits will not be issued if landscaping plan does not meet approval.	
	(a) A condition of the Use Permit shall require the owner-operator to ensure that all boats docked at the marina shall be kept in good working order and repair. Non-operative or abandoned craft shall not be allowed to remain in dock. All boats, buildings, and structures shall be kept clean and free from graffiti, trash and visual clutter. All trash enclosures and storage areas will screened from the viewing public.			upon submittal of building plans. Planning Division to review landscaping plans to ensure compliance.		
	(b) Prior to issuance of building permits, the applicant shall submit a detailed landscaping and irrigation plan for the project site to be approved by the Planning and Public Works Director. A variety of native plants, shrubs and grasses shall be used to enhance the visual character of the site and to visually integrate the project into the surrounding area.			Ongoing monitering of the site.		
Biology	Mitigation Measure 2: Eish (a) All in-water construction activities in the Sacramento River shall be limited to the period June 1 through October 31 to avoid the primary migration periods of listed salmonids.	Less Than Significant	Planning Division	Require measures as a condition of approval. Require pre- construction	Non-issuence of permits, Halt construction.	

	Mitigation Monitori	Mitigation Monitoring Program for ZF #2007 – 044	#2007 - 044			
Potential Environmental Impact	Mitigation Measure(s)	Level of Impact Following Mitigation	Responsibility for Compliance	Method of Compliance	Enforcement if Non- Compliance	Date / Initials
	 (b) In-water pile driving will be restricted to the period July 1 through September 30 to avoid or minimize exposure of adults and juvenile salmonids to underwater pile driving sounds. (c) Pile driving shall be conducted by barge to minimize disturbance of riparian habitat. (d) Following construction, native riparian vegetation shall be planted on disturbed or exposed soils to control erosion and offset any losses of vegetation on the waterside slope of the levee. (e) The owner/operator shall enforce a no-wake zone for boats operating in and in the vicinity of the manna though the posting of signs and other mechanisms. Elderberry Longhorn Beetle (f) Prior to issuance of a grading permit or land disturbance activities on the panel storage area, the observed elderberry shrub shall be identified, mapped, flagged, and be protected by orange temporary fencing for the duration of the project earthmoving activities. Complete avoidance (i.e., no adverse effects) may be assumed when a 30 m (100 ft) (or wider) buffer is established and maintained around elderberry plants containing stems measuring 2.5 cm (1.0 in) or greater 			surveys prior to grading. Ongoing monitoring during construction.		
	event that work must proceed in areas where encroachment on the 30	The Total Con-			The state of the s	

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Potential Environmental Impact	Mitigation Measure(s)	Level of Impact Following Mitigation	Responsibility for Compliance	Method of Compliance	Enforcement if Non- Compliance	Date / Initials
	by the USFWS, a minimum setback of at least 6 m (20 ft) from the dripline of each elderberry plant shall be provided.					
	Raptors (g) Prior to any site preparation or construction activity, the applicant shall protect raptor nesting habitat as					
	described in this mitigation measure. All surveys shall be submitted to the Yolo County Planning, Resources and Public Works Department for					
	review. (h) For construction that will occur between March 15 and September 15 of any given year, the applicant shall			<u></u>		
	conduct a minimum of two preconstruction surveys for (a) suitable nesting habitat within one-half mile of the project site for Swainson's hawk; and (b) within 500					
	feet of the project site for tree-nesting raptors and northern harriers. Surveys shall be conducted by a qualified biologist and will conform to the Swainson's Hawk Technical Advisory Committee (2000)					
	s. These guidelines de num number and tin If nesting raptor during preconsithe applicant me mitigation me	E#				
	described in (k), below. (i) If nesting raptors are recorded within their respective buffers, the applicant shall adhere to the following buffers:				Control Habita	#11.5(14) #10.90 (

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Archeological Resources	Mitigation Measure 5: (a) As a Condition of Approval, prior to the start of marina operation, the applicant shall install signage, as approved by the Department of Planning and Public Works, to warn the traveling public of the following: Slow Traffic Ahead Cross Traffic Ahead Do not Block Railroad	Less Than Significant	Engineering Division	Engineering Division shall ensure that plans meet all applicable County standards for road signage.	Non-issuance of permites.	

FINDINGS ELKHORN MARINA USE PERMIT (ZF #2007-049)

Upon due consideration of the facts presented in this staff report and at the public hearing for Zone File #2007-049, the Yolo County Planning Commission finds the following:

(A summary of evidence to support each FINDING is shown in Italics.)

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and Guidelines

1. That the recommended Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and is the appropriate environmental document and level of review for this project.

The environmental document for the project, prepared pursuant to Section 15000 et. seq. of the CEQA Guidelines, provides the necessary proportionate level of analysis for the proposed project, and sufficient information to reasonably ascertain the project's potential environmental effects. The environmental review process has concluded that there will not be a significant effect on the environment as a result of the proposed project with the incorporated mitigation measures.

General Plan

2. That the proposal and requested land use is in conformity with the General Plan.

The following General Plan Policies are consistent with this project.

Con 23 Sacramento River and Putah Creek. Yolo County shall encourage additional use of Sacramento River and Putah Creek Water.

Rec 6 Riverfront. Development of riverfront recreation areas shall offer recreational facilities, visual aesthetics and open space amenities, while insuring access to the river for all residents.

Rec 7 Urban Waterfront Land Uses. Yolo County shall require that a portion of urban waterfront, other than the Port of Sacramento and existing industrial uses, should be used for water-dependent activities including, but not limited to, recreation, tourism, scenic public walkways, waterview restaurants, marinas, fishing access, small waterfront parks, and interpretation projects with retained and enhanced riparian vegetation.

The project will provide increased riverfront recreation facilities in the form of both a marina and boat storage. This project will provide increased recreational actives and shall encourage additional use of the Sacramento River for recreational purposes.

Attachment E

Zoning Code

In accordance with Section 8-2.404.5 of the Yolo County Code, the Planning Commission finds the following:

3. The requested land use is listed as a conditional use in the zoning regulations and is allowed under the following authorization:

The property is zoned Agricultural General (A-1). The proposed new uses are consistent with the A-1 designation under Section 8-2.604.4. Rural recreation with permanent buildings is listed as a conditional use. "Rural Recreation" is defined as outdoor sporting or leisure activities that require large open space areas and do not have any significant detrimental impact on agricultural use of lands.

Use Permit

In accordance with Section 8-2.2804 of the Yolo County Code, the Planning Commission finds the following:

- 4. The requested use is essential or desirable to the public comfort and convenience.

 The proposed new use provides a valuable recreational service to the public. It is desirable for uses of this type to be located in a rural area to take advantage of an existing waterway.
- 5. The requested land uses will not impair the integrity or character of a neighborhood or be detrimental to public health, safety, or general welfare.
 - The requested uses will create little or no impact to the character of the area. An existing marina exists in close proximity to the proposed project. The proposed project is consistent with similar development found along the Sacramento River. As conditioned, the project will not be detrimental to public health, safety, or general welfare.
- 6. The requested use will be in conformity with the General Plan.

 Compatibility with General Plan Policies is discussed at #2 above. This project is in conformity with General Plan policies Con 23, Rec 6 and Rec 7.
- 7. Adequate utilities, access roads, drainage, sanitation, and/or other necessary facilities will be provided.
 - As conditioned and with mitigation measures incorporated, adequate utilities, access roads, drainage, sanitation, and/or other necessary facilities will be provided in this project as approved.

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL ZF2007-049

Elkhorn Marina

<u>Planning</u>

- The applicant shall be responsible for all costs associated with implementing the Conditions of Approval contained herein. The applicant shall comply with both the spirit and the intent of all applicable requirements of the Yolo County General Plan, the County Code, and these Conditions of Approval.
- 2. The subject project shall be only for the uses approved by this Use Permit. The project is approved for a commercial marina as described in the Project Description sections of this report. Any modification to the approved plans, extent, or manner of operation of the facility shall be submitted for review and approval to the Director of the Planning and Public Works Department.
- 3. This Use Permit shall commence within one year from the date of the Planning Commission's approval or said permit shall be null and void. The Director of Planning and Public Works may grant an extension of time; however, such an extension shall not exceed a maximum of one year.
- 4. The facility will not include refueling facilities. No "live aboard" vessels will be allowed. If the owner/applicant wishes to add refueling, boat ramp, or live aboard facilities to this project, they shall make an application to amend this Use Permit subject to review by the Planning and Public Works Department, and approval of the Planning Commission.
- 5. Any proposed sign for the marina shall comply with the requirements of the Yolo County sign regulations (Section 8-2.2406 of the County Code).
- 6. Any lighting used on the site shall be so arranged as to direct light away from adjoining lots and the night sky.
- 7. The applicant shall apply for and maintain a Yolo County Business License prior to commencement of the marina operations.
- 8. Prior to commencement of marina operations, the applicant shall obtain approval for the associated road abandonment. (ZF 2007-050)

Resources

9. Clients of the marina who utilize County boat launch facilities shall obtain individual boat launch permits.

Attachment F

Public Works

- 10. County encroachment permits will be required for all work within the County right-of-way.
- 11. Paved commercial driveway access shall be constructed and completed by the applicant according to Yolo County Improvement Standards, prior to final occupancy.
- 12. The applicant shall submit a grading and drainage plan for each site for review by the county. Applicant shall submit hydrology calculations that demonstrate that there will be no negative downstream impacts during a 10-year event. All plans and reports shall be signed and sealed by a licensed California civil engineer.
- 13. Prior to issuance of grading permits, the applicant shall obtain a General Construction Activity Stormwater Permit and a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit from the Regional Water Quality Control Board. The permits are required to control both construction and operation activities that may adversely affect water quality. The applicant shall also prepare a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) that describes the site, erosion and sediment controls, means of waste disposal, implementation of approved local plans, control of post-construction sediment and erosion control measures and maintenance responsibilities, and non-stormwater management controls.
- 14. The applicant shall coordinate with Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) to determine storm water discharge requirements for preventing contaminants from leaving the site and entering the Sacramento River, and if an Industrial SWPPP is required for each site. The applicant shall document the RWQCB's direction, and notify the county of their determinations prior to submittal of the drainage plans.
- 15. The applicant shall submit a signage and striping plan for review by the county. Plan shall be signed and sealed by a licensed California civil engineer.
- 16. The applicant shall determine if any other safety measures are required by the governing railroad authority for the rail line between the marina and the boat storage facility.

Building

- 17. Unless otherwise authorized by the Planning and Public Works Director, grading, excavation, and trenching activities shall be completed prior to November 1st of each year to prevent erosion.
- 18. All building permit plans shall be submitted to the Planning and Public Works Department for review and approval in accordance with County Building Standards prior to the commencement of any construction.
- 19. The applicant shall pay the appropriate fees prior to the issuance of Building Permits, including, but not limited to, School and Fire District fees, County Facilities Fees and Environmental Health Fees.

Environmental Health

- 20. The water system will likely be classified as a public water system that will be regulated under permit by Yolo County Environmental Health. Monitoring wells should precede the installation of a domestic well and testing to assure that the water quality for the marina is equivalent to that of a community water system. The modification of the existing well or construction of a new domestic well will be required to be done under permit by Yolo County Environmental Health.
- 21. The features of this parcel may preclude the permitting of a septic system for sewage disposal. Environmental Health will not approve parcels that do not have a sewage disposal system that meets all applicable requirements for any occupancy. Prior to issuance of any grading or building permit, an approvable sewage disposal plan should be submitted to and approved by Environmental Health. Liquid waste, other than domestic sewage, must not be disposed of into the septic system.
- 22. The applicant shall meet all of the Hazardous Materials Business Plan requirements of Yolo County Environmental Health.

State and Federal Agencies

- 23. Prior to issuance of building permits the applicant shall secure all necessary permits from all relevant agencies, including, but limited to, a Fish and Game, Army Corps of Engineers, Department of Boats and Waterways, and the National Marine Fisheries Service.
- 24. Prior to issuance of building permits, the applicant shall secure an amended lease agreement with the California State Lands Commission to reflect the increased size of the marina.
- 24. As this project will have an impact to fish and/or wildlife habitat, assessment of fees under Public Resources Code Section 21089, and as defined by Fish and Game Code Section 711.4, will be necessary. The fees (\$1875.76) are payable by the project applicant upon filing of the Notice of Determination by the lead agency, within five working days of approval of this project by the Planning Commission.

Mitigation Measures

The following Mitigation Measures identified in the first circulation of the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration for the project are added as project approval conditions (these items have the original numbering in the Initial Study document).

25. Mitigation Measure 1:

(a) A condition of the Use Permit shall require the owner-operator to ensure that all boats docked at the marina shall be kept in good working order and repair. Non-operative or abandoned craft shall not be allowed to remain in dock. All boats, buildings, and structures shall be kept clean and free from graffiti, trash and visual clutter. All trash enclosures and storage areas will be screened from the viewing public.

(b) Prior to issuance of building permits, the applicant shall submit a detailed landscaping and irrigation plan for the project site to be approved by the Planning and Public Works Director. A variety of native plants, shrubs and grasses shall be used to enhance the visual character of the site, and to visually integrate the project into the surrounding area.

26. Mitigation Measure 2:

Fish

(a) All in-water construction activities in the Sacramento River shall be limited to the period June 1 through October 31 to avoid the primary migration periods of listed salmonids.

(b) In-water pile driving will be restricted to the period July 1 through September 30 to avoid or minimize exposure of adults and juvenile

salmonids to underwater pile driving sounds.

(c) Pile driving shall be conducted by barge to minimize disturbance of riparian habitat.

(d) Following construction, native riparian vegetation shall be planted on disturbed or exposed soils to control erosion and offset any losses of vegetation on the waterside slope of the levee.

(e) The owner/operator shall enforce a no-wake zone for boats operating in and in the vicinity of the marina though the posting of signs and other mechanisms.

Elderberry Longhorn Beetle

(f) Prior to issuance of a grading permit or land disturbance activities on the panel storage area, the observed elderberry shrub shall be identified, mapped, flagged, and be protected by orange temporary fencing for the duration of the project earthmoving activities. Complete avoidance (i.e., no adverse effects) may be assumed when a 30 m (100 ft) (or wider) buffer is established and maintained around elderberry plants containing stems measuring 2.5 cm (1.0 in) or greater in diameter at ground level. In the event that work must proceed in areas where encroachment on the 30 m (100 ft) buffer has been approved by the USFWS, a minimum setback of at least 6 m (20 ft) from the dripline of each elderberry plant shall be provided.

Raptors

(g) Prior to any site preparation or construction activity, the applicant shall protect raptor nesting habitat as described in this mitigation measure. All surveys shall be submitted to the Yolo County Planning, Resources and

Public Works Department for review.

(h) For construction that will occur between March 15 and September 15 of any given year, the applicant shall conduct a minimum of two preconstruction surveys for (a) suitable nesting habitat within one-half mile of the project site for Swainson's hawk; and (b) within 500 feet of the project site for tree-nesting raptors and northern harriers. Surveys shall be conducted by a qualified biologist and will conform to the Swainson's Hawk Technical Advisory Committee (2000) guidelines. These guidelines describe the minimum number and timing of surveys. If

nesting raptors are detected during preconstruction surveys, the applicant shall implement mitigation measures described in (k), below.

(i) If nesting raptors are recorded within their respective buffers, the

applicant shall adhere to the following buffers:

(1) Maintain a 1/4-mile buffer around Swainson's hawk nests, and a 500-foot buffer around other active raptor nests. These buffers may be reduced in consultation with CDFG; however, no construction activities shall be permitted within these buffers except as described in (2), below.

(2) Depending on conditions specific to each nest, and the relative location and rate of construction activities, it may be feasible for construction to occur as planned within the buffer without impacting the breeding effort. In this case (to be determined in consultation with CDFG), the nest(s) shall be monitored by a qualified biologist during construction within the buffer. If, in the professional opinion of the monitor, the project would impact the nest, the biologist shall immediately inform the construction manager and CDFG. The construction manager shall stop construction activities within the buffer until either the nest is no longer active or the project receives approval to continue from CDFG.

27. Mitigation Measure 3:

(a) As a condition of approval, the applicant shall be required to either raise all proposed buildings out of the 100-year flood hazard area by elevating the pads of the buildings so that the finished flood elevations would be one foot above the base flood elevation or to construct the buildings to dry-proofing standards as required by the California Building Code and Federal Emergency Management Agency standards.

28. Mitigation Measure 4:

- (a) As a Condition of Approval of the use permit, the applicant shall obtain a General Construction Activity Stormwater Permit (SWPPP) and a National Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. The permits are required to control both construction and operational activities that may adversely affect water quality.
- (b) The applicant shall utilize Best Management Practices (BMPs) to prevent pollution from entering the Sacramento River. Such BMPs should include, but no be limited to:

i. Storing materials and equipment to prevent spills or leaks.

ii. Developing and implementing a spill prevention and cleanup plan

iii. Installing traps, filter, or other devices to prevent contaminants from leaving the site and entering the Sacramento River; and using barriers, such as straw bales or plastic, to minimize the amount of uncontrolled runoff that could exit the site.

(c) The applicant shall submit a grading and drainage plan for the site for review and

approval of County Public Works.

29. Mitigation Measure 5:

(a) As a Condition of Approval, prior to the start of marina operation, the applicant shall install signage, as approved by the Department of Planning and Public Works, to warn the traveling public of the following:

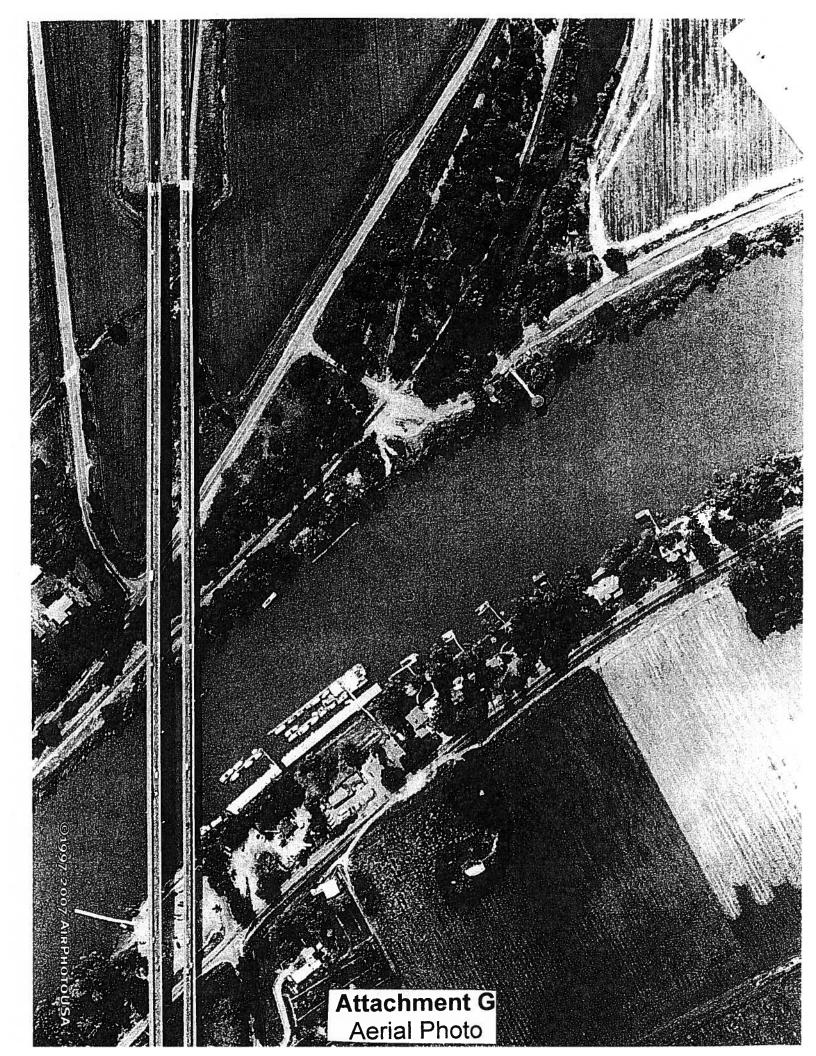
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- Do not Block Railroad

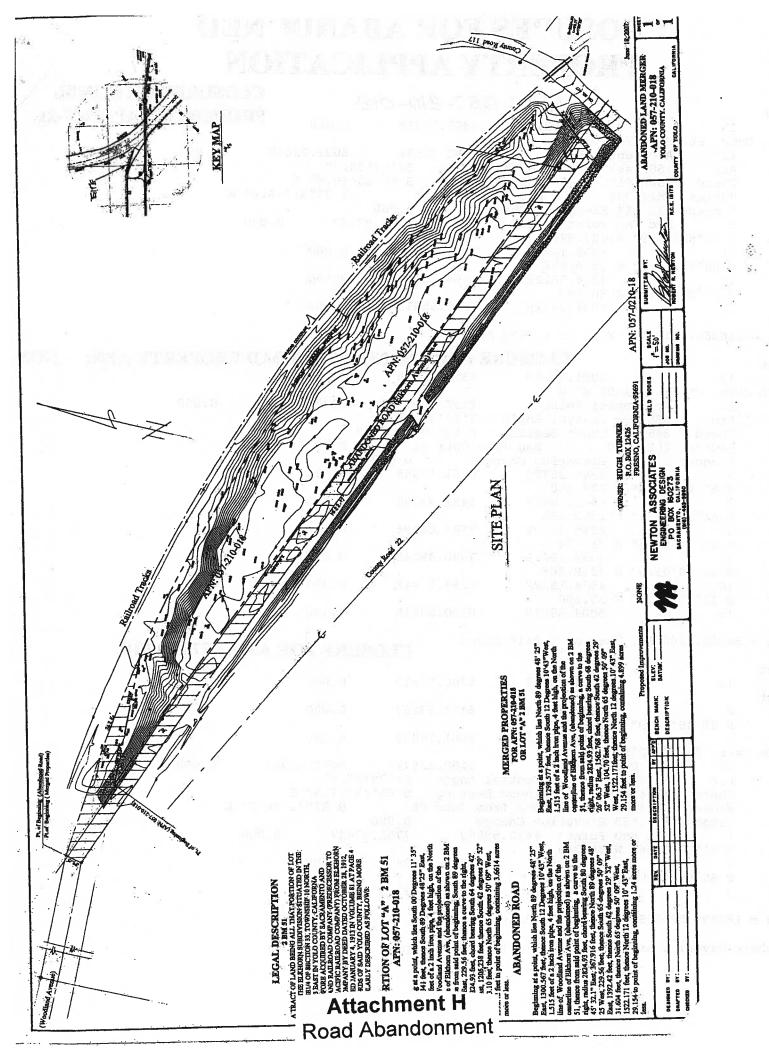
County Counsel

- 30. In accordance with Yolo County Code Section 8-2.2415, the applicants, owners, their successors or assignees shall agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the County or its agents, officers and employees from any claim, action, or proceeding (including damage, attorney fees, and court cost awards) against the County or its agents, officers, or employees to attack, set aside, void, or annul an approval of the County, advisory agency, appeal board, or legislative body concerning the permit or entitlement when such action is brought within the applicable statute of limitations.
- 31. The county shall promptly notify the applicant of any claim, action or proceeding and that the county cooperate fully in the defense. If the county fails to promptly notify the applicant of any claim, action, or proceeding, or the county fails to cooperate fully in the defense, the applicant shall not thereafter be responsible to defend, indemnify, or hold the county harmless as to the action. The county may require that the applicant post a bond in an amount determined to be sufficient to satisfy the above indemnification and defense obligation.

Failure to comply with the **CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL** as approved by the Planning Commission may result in the following:

- Non-issuance of future building permits;
- Legal action.





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