

FINAL PUBLIC NOTICE

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has received a subgrant application for Reclamation District #2136, Grizzly West, Solano County, CA. Pursuant to Executive Order (EO) 11988 and 44 CFR Part 9.12, final notice is hereby given of FEMA's intent to provide funding for this project under the Public Assistance Grant Program (PA).

An initial disaster-wide Public Notice for DR-4683-CA was published September 11, 2023. Funding for the proposed project will be conditional upon compliance with all applicable federal, tribal, state and local laws, regulations, floodplain standards, permit requirements and conditions.

Under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), federal actions must be reviewed and evaluated for feasible alternatives and for social, economic, historic, environmental, legal, and safety considerations. EO 11988 and EO 11990 requires FEMA to consider alternatives and provide a public notice of any proposed actions in or affecting floodplains or wetlands. EO 12898 requires FEMA to provide the opportunity for public participation in the planning process and to consider potential impacts to minority and low-income populations. This notice may also fulfill requirements under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA).

This notice serves as a project-specific final notice for FEMA's funding action located within a Special Flood Hazard Area. FEMA has determined the only practicable alternative is to fund the repair and installation of mitigation measures for Gum Tree Road. This action complies with the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) requirements. There is a potential for the facility to be impacted by future flooding events due to its location within the AE Flood Zone. The proposed work will take place in wetlands per the United States Fish and Wildlife Service National Wetlands Inventory and will have little potential to impact or affect wetland values.

Applicant: Reclamation District #2136, Grizzly West

Project Title: PW1946; GM 725153; Gum Tree Road - Interior levee, approximately 8,800 feet 504-1

Location of Proposed Work and Floodplain Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Panels:

Facility	GPS	FIRM Panels	FIRM Date
Gum Tree Road	Start: 38.16691, -122.01919 End: 38.15964, -122.01460	06095C0467F	8/3/2024

Proposed Work and Purpose: As a result of the severe storm even, between December 27, 2022 and January 25, 2023 multiple sections of 3400 Gum Tree Road, Suisun City, CA, Solano County were washed out or damaged due overtopping from the Sacramento River. Reclamation District #2136 repaired the damaged sections of the road in kind, and installed mitigation measures along the East side of the road to prevent future overtopping. Mitigation measures

consisted of installing 4 each of 12 IN diameter x 25 FT long HDPE pipes and four concrete weir boxes. All work was completed starting from 09/14/24 to 10/15/24.

Project Alternatives:

- (1) *(No Action)* This alternative would result in a continued disruption of transportation access and risk of additional road damages. If the damage is not repaired, then adverse economic and social impacts may occur and continued negative impacts may be experienced.
- (2) *(Repair in-kind)* Repairs made in kind may result in similar damages from future flood events.
- (3) *(Relocation)* Floodplain avoidance by relocating the facility is not a practicable alternative as the road is needed for access to the reclamation area.

Comments: This will serve as the final public notice regarding the above-described action funded by the FEMA Public Assistance program. Interested persons may submit comments, questions, or request a map of this specific project by writing to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region 9, 1111 Broadway #1200, Oakland, CA 94607, or by emailing FEMA-RIX-EHP-Documents@fema.dhs.gov . Comments should be sent in writing with the subject line "*PW1946; GM 725153; Gum Tree Road - Interior levee, approximately 8,800 feet 504-1*" at the above address within 15 days of the date of this notice.

THIS NOTICE MAY BE REMOVED FROM PUBLIC VIEW ON THE 15th DAY FROM ORIGINAL DATE OF POSTING.

NOTICE WAS POSTED ON 29th DAY OF January, 2025

*****END OF NOTICE*****