

**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR
CLEAN WATER ACT 401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION AMENDMENT
BEFORE THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD**

A request for a water quality certification (certification) for repair work to Canyon Dam, a component of the Upper North Fork Feather River Hydroelectric Project (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project No. 2105) was filed with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board). Certifications are issued under section 401 of the Clean Water Act. California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 3858 requires the Executive Director of the State Water Board to provide public notice of an application at least twenty-one (21) days before taking certification action on the application. The typical notice period may be shortened in an emergency. Written questions and/or comments regarding the application should be directed to Savannah Downey:

By email:

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State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Water Rights – Water Quality Certification Program
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RECEIVED: January 6, 2021

PROJECT: Canyon Dam Low-level Outlet Install Cutoff Wall Project

APPLICANT: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

CONTACT: Jesus Viscarra

COUNTY: Plumas County

PUBLIC NOTICE: February 5, 2021

PROJECT STATUS: Pending

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) plans to repair the eroded sections of the Canyon Dam low-level outlet structure, right wing wall, and spillway apron. Repairs will include construction of a cast-in-place cutoff wall at the toe of the outlet structure to protect these structures from high velocity discharges and prevent further erosion. PG&E will also improve drainage of the access road and add rock slope protection at the spillway apron.

PG&E proposed construction schedule is May 1, 2021 through October 31, 2021.