

# Memorandum

To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS

CTC Meeting: December 10-11, 2008

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Action Item

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Subject: **APPROVAL OF PROJECT FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION OF FUNDING  
01-MEN-1, PM 82.0/82.3  
RESOLUTION E-08-21**

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

The Department of Transportation (Department) recommends that the California Transportation Commission (Commission), as a responsible agency, approve the attached Resolution E-08-21.

## **ISSUE:**

The attached resolution proposes to approve for future consideration of funding the following project for which a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) has been completed:

- Route 1 in Mendocino County – Construct roadway improvements including retaining walls, replace metal beam guardrail, improve drainage, and new road paving on Route 1 near Westport.

This project will construct retaining walls, replace metal beam guardrail, improve drainage, and new road paving on Route 1 north of Westport in Mendocino County. The project is fully funded in the 2008 State Highway Operation and Protection Program (SHOPP). The total estimated project cost, capital and support, is \$5,001,000. Construction is estimated to begin in Fiscal Year 2009-10.

A copy of the MND has been provided to Commission staff. The project will involve construction activities resulting in temporary impacts to environmentally sensitive habitat areas that will be mitigated to less than significant levels through avoidance, and revegetation to the surrounding areas. As a result, an MND was completed for this project.

The Department has approved this project for construction. This approval and the filing of the Notice of Determination with the Office of Planning and Research will satisfy the environmental requirements for this stage of the project planning process.

Attachments

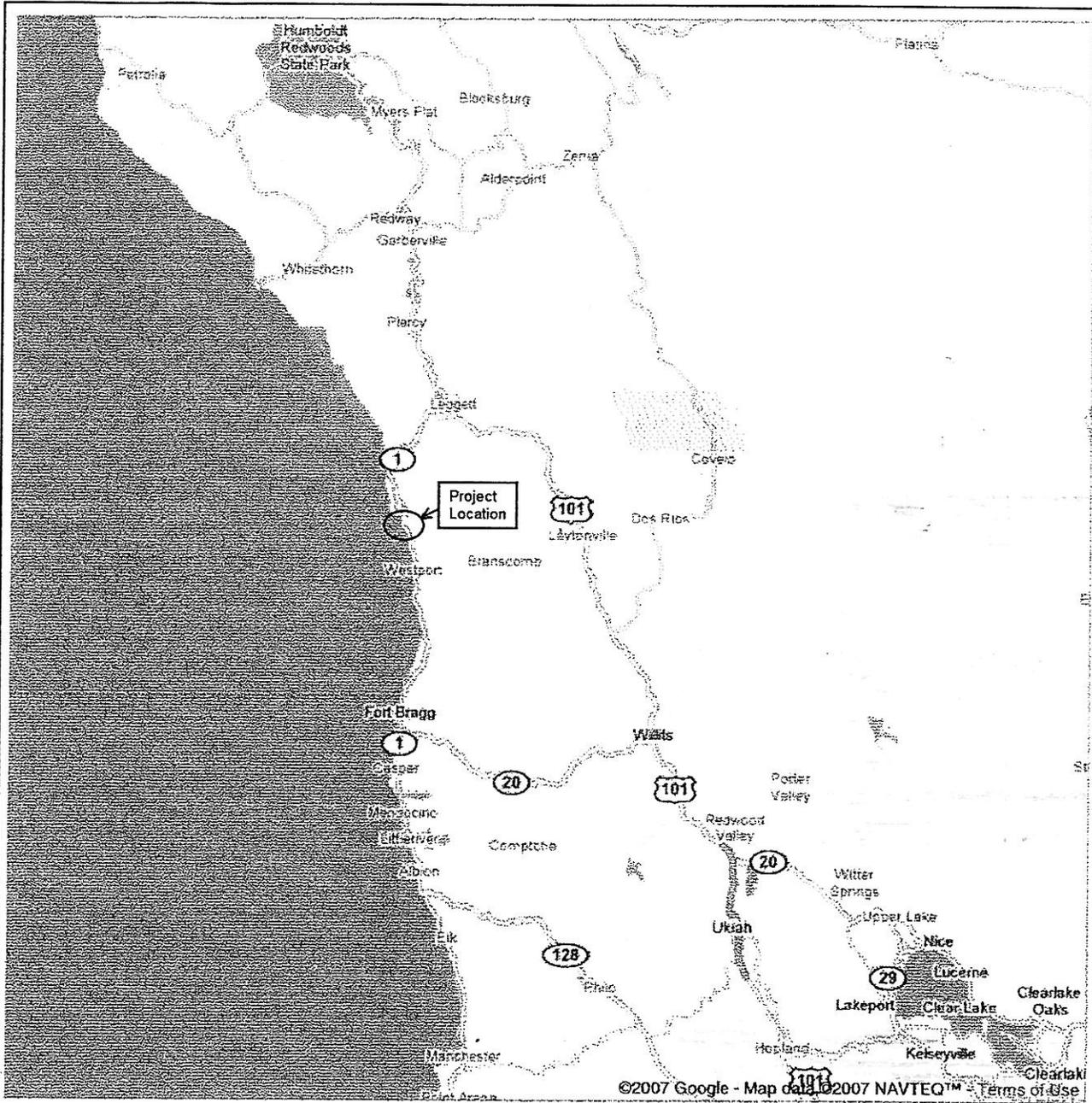
## **CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

### **Resolution for Future Consideration of Funding**

**01-Men-1, PM 82.0/82.3**

**Resolution E-08-21**

- 1.1** **WHEREAS**, the California Department of Transportation (Department) has completed a Mitigated Negative Declaration pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines for the following project:
- Route 1 in Mendocino County – Construct roadway improvements including retaining walls, replace metal beam guardrail, improve drainage and new road paving near the city of Westport.
- 1.2** **WHEREAS**, the Department has certified that the Mitigated Negative Declaration has been completed pursuant to CEQA and the State CEQA Guidelines for its implementation; and
- 1.3** **WHEREAS**, the California Transportation Commission, as a responsible agency, has considered the information contained in the Mitigated Negative Declaration; and
- 1.4** **WHEREAS**, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2.1** **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the California Transportation Commission does hereby approve the above referenced project to allow for future consideration of funding.



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<b>STORM DAMAGE REPAIR VICINITY MAP</b>	
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