

# Ukiah Daily Journal

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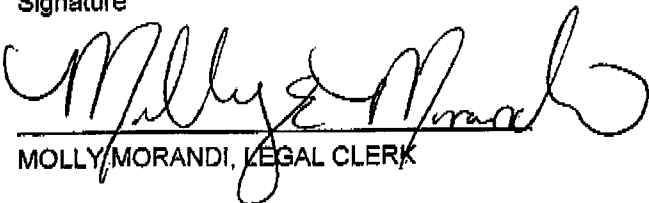
I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the County aforesaid; I am over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to or interested in the above entitled matter. I am the principal clerk of the printer of the Ukiah Daily Journal, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published daily in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino and which newspaper has been adjudged a newspaper of general circulation by the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, under the date of September 22, 1952, Case Number 9267; that the notice, of which the annexed is a printed copy (set in type not smaller than non-pareil), has been published in each regular and entire issue of said newspaper and not in any supplement thereof on the following dates, to wit:

2/26/2012, 3/4/2012

I certify (or declare) under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated at Ukiah, California,  
March 12th, 2012

Signature



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#### MENDOCINO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR PUBLIC REVIEW

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors at its regular meeting on Tuesday, April 10, 2012, at 11:00 A.M., in the Board of Supervisors Chambers, 501 Low Gap Road, Ukiah, California, will conduct a public hearing on the following project and the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration at the time listed or as soon thereafter as the item may be heard.

**Project title:** School Way Bridge Replacement Project, Bridge #10C-0084

**Lead agency:** Mendocino County Department of Transportation (MDOT), 340 Lake Mendocino Dr., Ukiah, CA 95482

**Contact person and phone number:** Robert Parker, Project Manager (707) 463-4363

**Project location:** The project site is located in the community of Redwood Valley approximately 6 mi north of the city of Ukiah, 1.1 mi east of Highway 101, and 1,000 feet (ft) west of East Road in Redwood Valley. The project study area is located within the Redwood Valley, California 7.5-minute U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) quadrangle (Township 16 North, Range 12 West, Sections 4 and 5).

**Description of project:** A seismic assessment of School Way Bridge was performed in accordance with the Local Bridge Seismic Safety Retrofit Program and was found seismically deficient. Additionally, approximately 6 to 8 ft of channel scour have occurred at the project location since 1967, with the channel bottom currently 4 to 6 ft below the base of the pile footings. It has also been estimated that an additional 10 to 12 ft of channel scour can be expected over the next 50 to 75 years, which indicates that this bridge is also hydraulically deficient. The preferred alternative is to replace the bridge upstream of the existing alignment.

In accordance with American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials requirements, the bridge will provide two 12-ft traffic lanes and 8-ft shoulders, in addition to concrete barrier rails along both sides. A 5-ft sidewalk will be provided on the northern side of the bridge. The proposed bridge type is a single-span pre-stressed cast-in-

place box girder. The single-span bridge option will minimize the environmental impacts to the river by avoiding the need to construct abutments or piers inside the active channel or below the 100-year flood elevation.

**ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:**

The Mendocino County Department of Transportation has prepared a Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration for the above project (there will not be a significant effect in this case because proposed mitigation measures will reduce potentially significant effects to a less than significant level). A copy of the Initial Study with mitigation measures in support of the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Bridge Replacement Project is available for public review at the Mendocino County Library in Ukiah (105 North Main Street), the County Department of Transportation in Ukiah (340 Lake Mendocino Drive), and the MDOT website <http://www.co.mendocino.ca.us/dot> under the environmental documents tab.

Your comments regarding the above project and/or the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration are invited. Written comments should be submitted to the Mendocino County Department of Transportation, 340 Lake Mendocino Drive, Ukiah, California 95482. All written comments must be received prior to 4:30 P.M. March 14, 2012 to be included with the Staff Report to the Board. Oral, email and/or additional written comments may be presented to the Board of Supervisors during the public hearing.

If you challenge the above matter in Court, you may be limited to raising only those issues which you or someone else raised in the written correspondence delivered to the Department of Transportation, at or prior to the date indicated above. All persons are invited to appear and present testimony in this matter.

Additional information regarding the above noted item may be obtained by calling the Mendocino County Department of Transportation, at 463-4363, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. through 4:30 p.m. Should you desire notification of the Board of Supervisors decision you may do so by requesting notification in writing and providing a self-addressed stamped envelope to the Mendocino County Department of Transportation, 340 Lake Mendocino Drive, Ukiah, California 95482.

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