



COUNTY OF PLACER
Department of Public Works

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NEGATIVE DECLARATION

In accordance with Placer County ordinances regarding implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act, Placer County has conducted an Initial Study to determine whether the following project may have a significant adverse effect on the environment, and on the basis of that study hereby finds:

- The proposed project will not have a significant adverse effect on the environment; therefore, it does not require the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report and this **Negative Declaration** has been prepared.
- Although the proposed project could have a significant adverse effect on the environment, there will not be a significant adverse effect in this case because the project has incorporated specific provisions to reduce impacts to a less than significant level and/or the mitigation measures described herein have been added to the project. A **Mitigated Negative Declaration** has thus been prepared.

The environmental documents, which constitute the Initial Study and provide the basis and reasons for this determination are attached and/or referenced herein and are hereby made a part of this document.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Title: Dollar Creek Shared-Use Trail Project	
Description: The Project establishes a Class 1 or better shared-use trail (i.e., a 10-foot wide paved trail with 2-foot clear zones on each side), a bridge span over Dollar Creek, a marked pedestrian crossing at SR 28 and Dollar Drive, a neighborhood connector at Country Club Drive, and an optional trailhead parking area off of SR 28.	
Location: Intersection of Dollar Drive and SR 28 north to end of Fulton Crescent Drive	
Project Owner/Applicant: Placer County Public Works Department	

PUBLIC NOTICE

The comment period for this document closes on **July 6, 2012**. A copy of the Mitigated Negative Declaration is available for public review at the Community Development Resource Agency public counter in Auburn, Tahoe Engineering Division offices in Kings Beach, and at the Tahoe City and Kings Beach Branch Library locations. The documents are available for download at: <http://www.placer.ca.gov/Departments/Works/Projects/DollarCreekBikeTrail.aspx>. All parties providing written comments during this timeframe will be notified of the upcoming hearing before the Board of Supervisors. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Placer County Department of Public Works, Tahoe Engineering Division between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm. The phone number is (530) 581-6230 and the address is 7717 North Lake Boulevard in Kings Beach.

If you wish to appeal the appropriateness or adequacy of this document, address your written comments to our finding that the project will not have a significant adverse effect on the environment: (1) identify the environmental effect(s), why they would occur, and why they would be significant, and (2) suggest any mitigation measures which you believe would eliminate or reduce the effect to an acceptable level. Regarding item (1) above, explain the basis for your comments and submit any supporting data or references. Refer to Section 18.32 of the Placer County Code for important information regarding the timely filing of appeals.

Recorder's Certification