

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

A request for water quality certification (certification) under section 401 of the Clean Water Act for the following project was filed with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board). California Code of Regulations, title 23, section 3858 requires the Executive Director of the State Water Board to provide public notice of an application for certification at least twenty-one (21) days before taking certification action on the application. The notice period may be shortened in an emergency.

Written questions and/or comments regarding the application should be directed to Truc Le:

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Division of Water Rights – Water Quality Certification Program  
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<b>RECEIVED:</b>	May 19, 2026
<b>PROJECT:</b>	Slate Creek Dam Sediment Removal and Low-Level Outlet Repair Project
<b>APPLICANT:</b>	South Feather Water and Power Agency
<b>APPLICANT CONTACT:</b>	Hunter Doyle, hdoyle@southfeather.com
<b>COUNTY:</b>	Plumas
<b>PUBLIC NOTICE:</b>	June 12, 2026

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** South Feather Water and Power Agency (SFWPA) is requesting certification for the Slate Creek Dam Sediment Removal and Low-Level Outlet Repair Project (Project), which is part of South Feather Power Project, also known as Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Project No. 2088. The Project involves the following maintenance and repair activities: (1) temporarily diverting Slate Creek flows around the work area using a bypass system within the existing impoundment to route water to an existing release valve during sediment removal; (2) mechanically removing approximately 9,200 cubic yards of sediment accumulated at the upstream face of the dam; and (3) facilitating diver access to, and repair of, the dam's low-level outlet to restore operational functionality.