

MINUTE ITEM  
This Calendar Item No. C17  
was approved as Minute Item  
No. 17 by the State Lands  
Commission by a vote of 3  
to 0 at its 4-28-93  
meeting.

CALENDAR ITEM

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W 24801  
J. Ludlow  
PRC 7683

APPROVAL OF A GENERAL PERMIT - PUBLIC AGENCY USE

**APPLICANT:**

Humboldt County Department of Public Works  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, California 955011-0579

**AREA, TYPE LAND AND LOCATION:**

An approximately 1.043-acre parcel of tide and submerged  
land located in the bed of the Salt River in the Eel River  
Delta, near Ferndale, Humboldt County.

**LAND USE:**

Removal and replacement of the Valley Flower Bridge.

**PROPOSED PERMIT TERMS:**

Initial permit period:  
Twenty years beginning July 1, 1993..

**CONSIDERATION:**

The public use and benefit; with the State reserving the  
right at any time to set a monetary rental if the Commission  
finds such action to be in the State's best interest.

**BASIS FOR CONSIDERATION:**

Pursuant to 2 Cal. Code Regs. 2003

**APPLICANT STATUS:**

Applicant is owner of the upland.

**PREREQUISITE CONDITIONS, FEES AND EXPENSES:**

Filing fee and processing fee has been received.

**STATUTORY AND OTHER REFERENCES:**

A. P.R.C.: Div. 6, Parts 1 and 2: Div. 13.

B. Cal Code Regs.: Title 2, Div. 3: Title 14, Div. 6.

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**OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:**

1. A Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted for this project by Humboldt County. The State Lands Commission's staff has reviewed such document.
2. Humboldt County did not prepare a Mitigation Monitoring Program; however, the Coastal Commission authorized permit 1-91-255, on April 25, 1992, which contains special conditions for riparian habitat restoration.
3. This activity involves lands identified as possessing significant environmental values pursuant to P.R.C. 6370, et seq. Based upon the staff's consultation with the persons nominating such lands and through the CEQA process, it is the staff's opinion that the project, as proposed, is consistent with its use classification.
4. The County of Humboldt proposes to remove the existing Valley Flower Bridge on Dillon Road over the Salt River and construct a new two-lane bridge at the same location. The project site is located near Port Kenyon, north of Ferndale in the Eel River Delta.

The purpose of the project is to provide a structure capable of modern loads, wide enough for two lanes, with approaches at both ends which meet present day standards adopted by the Federal Highway Administration.

5. The existing Valley Flower Bridge, which was constructed in 1919 is structurally and geometrically deficient. Removal of the existing bridge will result in the complete removal of a historic structure. Prior to the removal of the bridge, the County will record the bridge photographically to the standards required by the National Park Service for reports filed with the Historic American Engineering Record.
6. The lease requires the lessee to properly implement all of the mitigation measures as described in the environmental document, State Clearinghouse Number 90030692.

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**APPROVALS OBTAINED:**

California Coastal Commission, United States Coast Guard, United States Army Corps of Engineers, Federal Highway Administration, Humboldt County, Regional Water Quality Control Board, California Coastal Commission.

**FURTHER APPROVALS REQUIRED:**

Department of Fish and Game, State Lands Commission

**EXHIBITS:**

- A: Land Description
- A-1: Site Map
- B: Location Map
- C: Humboldt County Finding of No Significant Impact and Project Approval.

**IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:**

1. FIND THAT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION WAS PREPARED AND ADOPTED FOR THIS PROJECT BY THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT AND THAT THE COMMISSION HAS REVIEWED AND CONSIDERED THE INFORMATION CONTAINED THEREIN.
2. FIND THAT THIS ACTIVITY IS CONSISTENT WITH THE USE CLASSIFICATION DESIGNATED FOR THE LAND PURSUANT TO P.R.C. 6370, ET SEQ.
3. AUTHORIZE ISSUANCE TO THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT OF A TWENTY-YEAR GENERAL PERMIT - PUBLIC AGENCY USE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1993 FOR THE REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF THE VALLEY FLOWER BRIDGE, ON THE LAND AS SHOWN AND DESCRIBED ON EXHIBITS "A" AND "A-1" ATTACHED, AND BY REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.

**EXHIBIT "A"**

W 24801

**LAND DESCRIPTION**

A strip of tide and submerged land in projected Section 34, T3N, R2W, HBM, and projected Section 35, T3N, R2W, HBM, and being a portion of the State owned bed of the Salt River, Humboldt County, State of California, said strip lying 40 feet to the left and 85 feet to the right of the following described line:

BEGINNING at the Port Kenyon Road centerline station "PK' 5+09.14 POC", said station is also identified as the Dillon Road centerline station "L' 0+00 POC", said station is shown on that certain map entitled "Dillon Road 2H025 Bridge 4C-012 Plan and Profile" and filed with the County of Humboldt, Department of Public Works; thence from said point of beginning N 19° 56' 07" E, 363.60 to the end of the herein described line.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM any portion lying landward or above the mean high tide lines of the Salt River.

**END OF DESCRIPTION**

**PREPARED MARCH, 1992 BY LLB**

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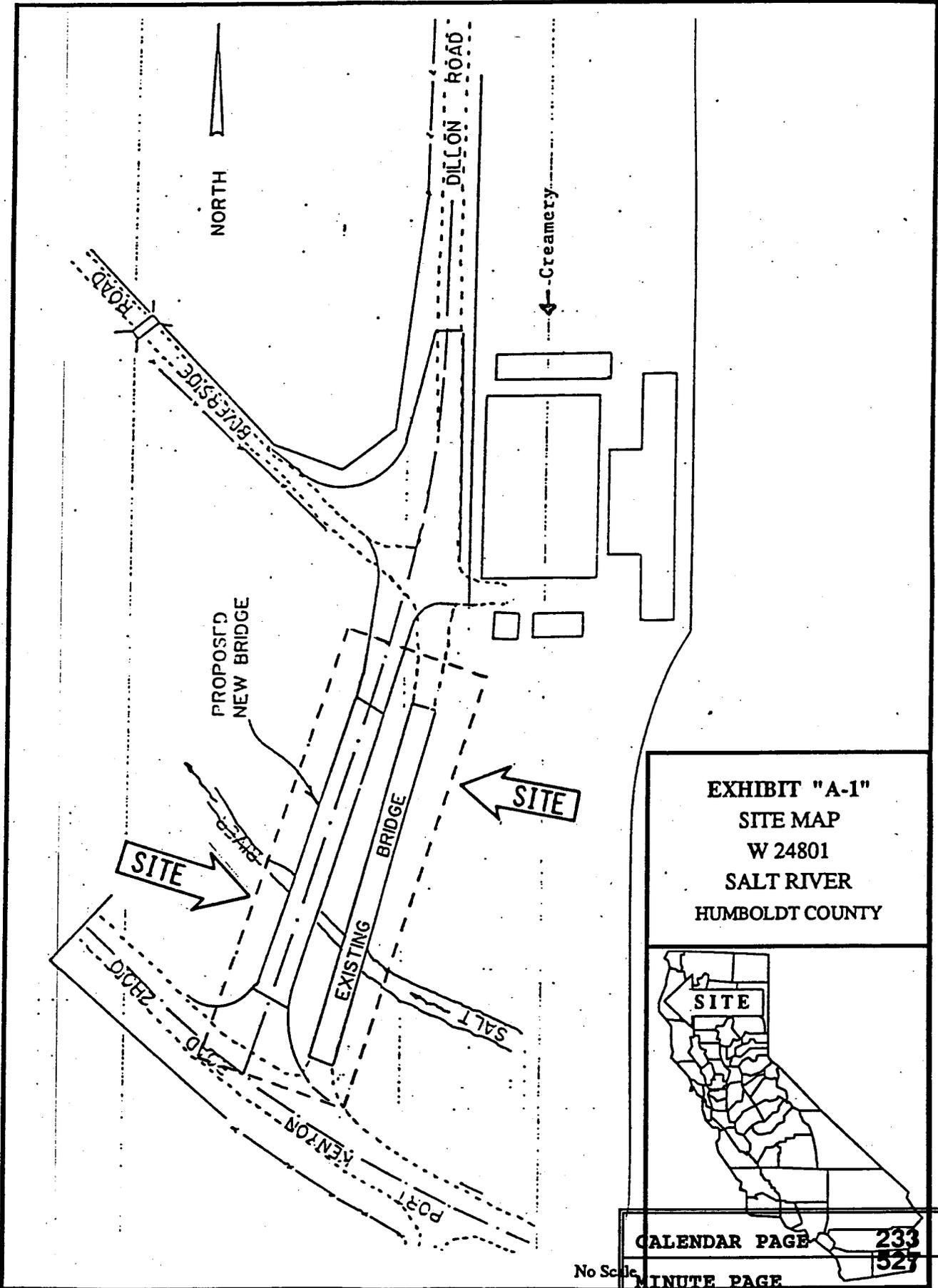
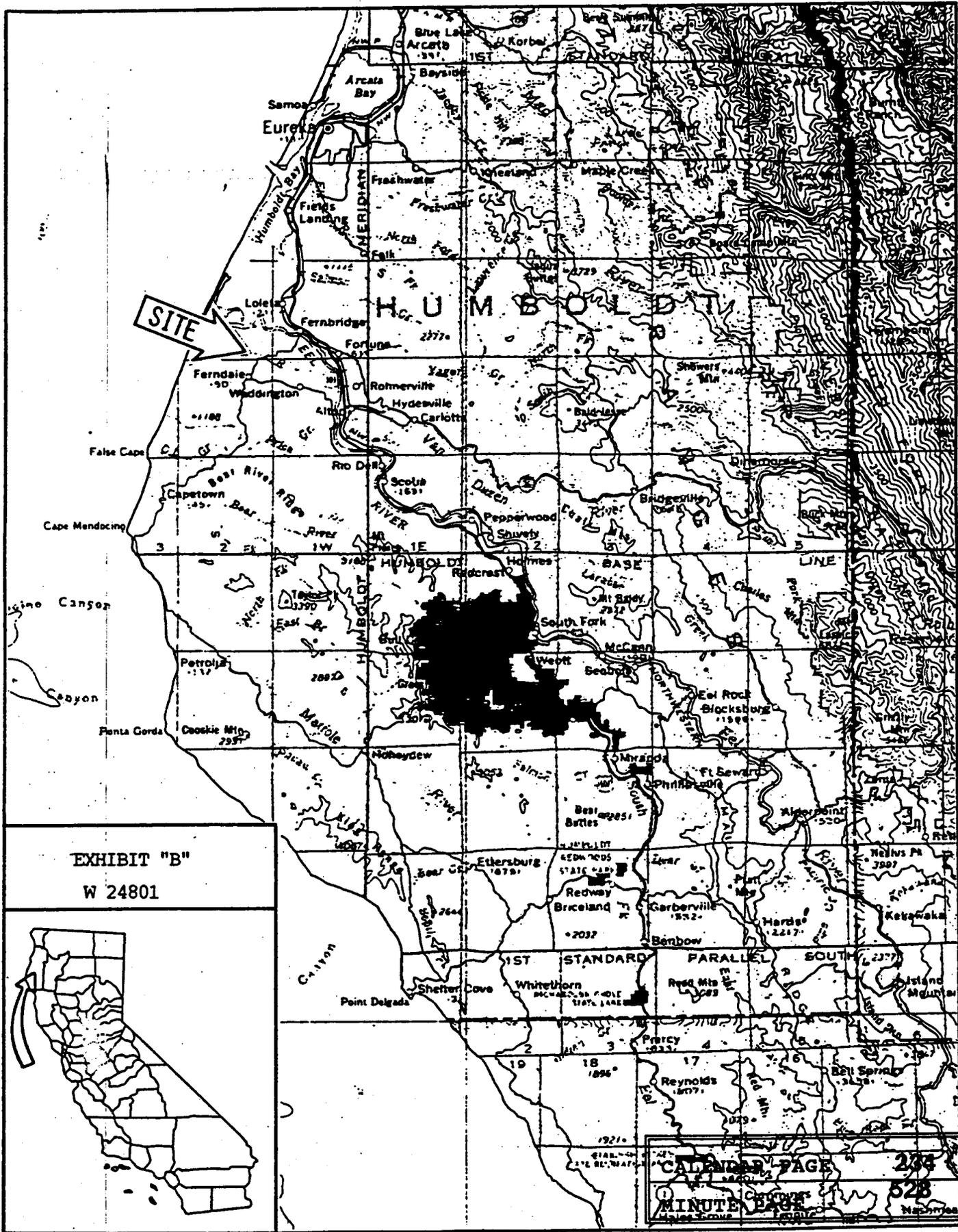


EXHIBIT "A-1"  
 SITE MAP  
 W 24801  
 SALT RIVER  
 HUMBOLDT COUNTY





**SITE**

**HUMBOLDT**

**EXHIBIT "B"**  
**W 24801**



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NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

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EXHIBIT "C"

COUNTY CLERK  
Clerk of Superior Court

TO:  Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, California 95814  
or  
 County Clerk  
County of Humboldt

FROM: Humboldt County  
Department of Public Works  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code

Project Title Valley flower Bridge Replacement Project  
State Clearinghouse Number (If submitted to State Clearinghouse) #90030692  
Contact Person Donald C. Tuttle, Environmental Services Manager Telephone Number (707) 445-7741  
Project Location Over Salt River on Dillon Road near Fernbridge in Humboldt County.  
Project Description  
A new bridge will be constructed at the same location as the old bridge. The old bridge will be removed.

This is to advise that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors  
(Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)  
has approved the above described project and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

1. The project  will have a significant effect on the environment.  
 will not
2.  An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.  
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.  
The EIR or Negative Declaration and record of project approval may be examined at: Dept. of Public Works, 1106 2nd St, Eureka
3. Mitigation measures  were,  were not, made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A statement of Overriding Considerations  was,  was not, adopted for this project.

Date Received for Filing \_\_\_\_\_

Donald C. Tuttle  
Signature  
Environmental Services Manager  
Title

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