California Department of Fish and Wildlife Drought Response Implementation Grant Notice of Intent to Award

October 20, 2015

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) intends to award the payable grant listed below in order to restore, protect, and enhance the Kingfisher Flat Conservation Hatchery (KFH) in accordance with FGC 1501.5(b), The Governor's Executive Order 4-25-14, and AB92 (2015), Section 11.

This project is necessary because KFH is critical to maintaining a viable population of endangered Central California Coastal Coho salmon. As an emergency measure to prevent catastrophic losses of the Coho salmon, this CDFW project will fund necessary improvements to KFH by installing essential fish rearing/neutralization tanks. These vital improvements will effectively manage water supplies in drought conditions and enable the administration of essential seasonal therapeutic treatments. The improvements to water supply and water quality are critical to maintaining a viable population of the Coast Coho salmon.

The following table identifies the grant project proposed for award. Funding of this project is contingent upon approval of the Director and execution of a grant agreement.

Project Number	Project Title	Applicant	Proposed Award Amount	Proposed Project Start Date
D1530600	Kingfisher Flat Conservation Hatchery Improvement Project - 2015	Monterey Bay Salmon & Trout Project	\$99,990.00	Upon Grantor Approval