



California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Notice of Intent to Award

July 13, 2016

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) intends to award the payable grant listed below in order to implement the East Panther Creek diversion dam removal in accordance with FGC 1501.5.

This CDFW funded project will remove what is left of the East Panther Creek division dam. The original dam was breached in 2003, but the shape of the remaining dam has caused severe erosion on the south bank of the stream. The breach is now threatening to also severely erode the north bank. The project entails drilling and blasting the remaining structure of the dam out of the creek and physically removing the concrete and dam materials from the creek to an off-site disposal area.

The primary purposes for removing the dam are to prevent severe erosion of the north bank and continued excessive channelization of the streambed. The dam removal will accomplish the following objectives: 1) remove a severe erosion point source, 2) improve water quality, and 3) completely remove the foreign structure from the river.

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
P1681005	East Panther Creek Diversion Dam Removal	Foothill Conservancy	\$41,477.50	Upon Grantor Approval