

**UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION STATEMENT**

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, as amended, and the U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI) National Environmental Policy Act Implementing Regulations (43 CFR 46), the DOI Handbook of National Environmental Policy Act Implementing Procedures (516 DM 1) and other statutes, orders, and policies that protect fish and wildlife resources, I have established the following decision record and determined that the proposed action of (*describe proposed action*):

Check One:

- ☐ falls under one or more DOI, bureau, or adopted categorical exclusions in 43 CFR 46.210 or the 516 DM 1, Appendix 2, and no extraordinary circumstances in 43 CFR 46.215 (a)-(i) apply. No further NEPA documentation will therefore be made.
- ☐ is found not to have reasonably foreseeable significant effects as determined by the attached environmental assessment and finding of no significant impact.
- ☐ is found to have reasonably foreseeable significant effects and, further consideration of this action will require a notice of intent to be published in the *Federal Register* announcing the decision to prepare an environmental impact statement.
- ☐ is not approved because of unacceptable environmental damage, or violation of Fish and Wildlife Service mandates, policy, regulations, or procedures.
- ☐ is an emergency action within the context 43 CFR 46.150. Only those actions necessary to control the immediate impacts of the emergency will be taken. Other related actions remain subject to NEPA review.

Other supporting documents (*list*):

Signature Approval:

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