



CITY OF BISHOP
377 West Line Street
Bishop, California 93514

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NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

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FROM:
City of Bishop
P. O. Box 1236 / 377 West Line Street
Bishop, CA 93515

Contact: Keith Caldwell, City Administrator/Planning Director
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Lead Agency (if different from above)
Address:
Contact:

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

State Clearing House Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): N/A

PROJECT TITLE: SEIBU TO SCHOOL PATH PROJECT

PROJECT LOCATION (include county): Area along the west and north sides of Bishop Elementary School between the boundary of the Bishop Paiute Indian Reservation and city limits on the west to Keough Street on the east, Bishop, Inyo County, California 93514.

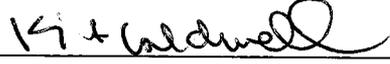
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The City of Bishop, in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation and the Federal Highway Administration proposes to construct a multi-use non-motorized paved path approximately 0.26 miles long in Bishop, California. The proposed alignment runs from the west end of Keough Street and along the north and west property boundaries of Bishop Elementary School, across parcels APN-011-390-07 and APN 011-240-13 to the vicinity of an existing path on the Bishop Paiute Reservation. Path construction will consist of vegetation grubbing, grading, surfacing, and revegetation of disturbed areas. Future improved paths may be constructed by the Bishop Paiute Tribe that connect to this path from the Bishop Paiute Reservation.

The project also includes new sidewalk, curb, and gutter in the City right-of-way adjacent to parcel APN 001-041-04. These improvements will be constructed per the City residential street standard for a five-foot-wide sidewalk with a five-foot planter strip, for a distance of approximately 275 feet along Keough Street. The new sidewalk will match and tie into existing sidewalk to provide continuous Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) access to the Seibu to School Path.

This is to advise that the City of Bishop [Lead Agency Responsible Agency] has approved the above-described project on January 28, 2013 and has made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

1. The project [will will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
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.
3. Mitigation measure [were were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [was was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [was was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [were were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the Negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at: Bishop Planning Department, 377 West Line Street, Bishop, California 93514.

Public Agency Signature: 
Keith Caldwell, City Administrator/Planning Director

Date: February 4, 2013 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21000-21174, Public Resources Code

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Environmental Protection Agency

MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

CITY COUNCIL ACTING AS ENVIRONMENTAL AGENCY

Responsible Agency

SEIBU TO SCHOOL PATH PROJECT – ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Project Title

AREA ALONG THE WEST AND NORTH SIDES OF BISHOP ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BETWEEN THE BOUNDARY OF THE BISHOP PAIUTE INDIAN RESERVATION AND CITY LIMITS ON THE WEST TO KEOUGH STREET ON THE EAST, BISHOP, INYO COUNTY 93514

Address

CITY OF BISHOP, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, 377 WEST LINE STREET, BISHOP, CA 93514

Name and Address of Project Proponent

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KEITH CALDWELL, PLANNING DIRECTOR

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Contact Person

Area Code

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DECISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

FINDINGS: Based on the assessment of potential impacts disclosed in the Initial Study for the proposed project, the Seibu to School Path Project would have less than significant or no impacts on the environment. No additional mitigation is required.

Keith Caldwell, City Administrator/Planning Director

DATE: February 4, 2013

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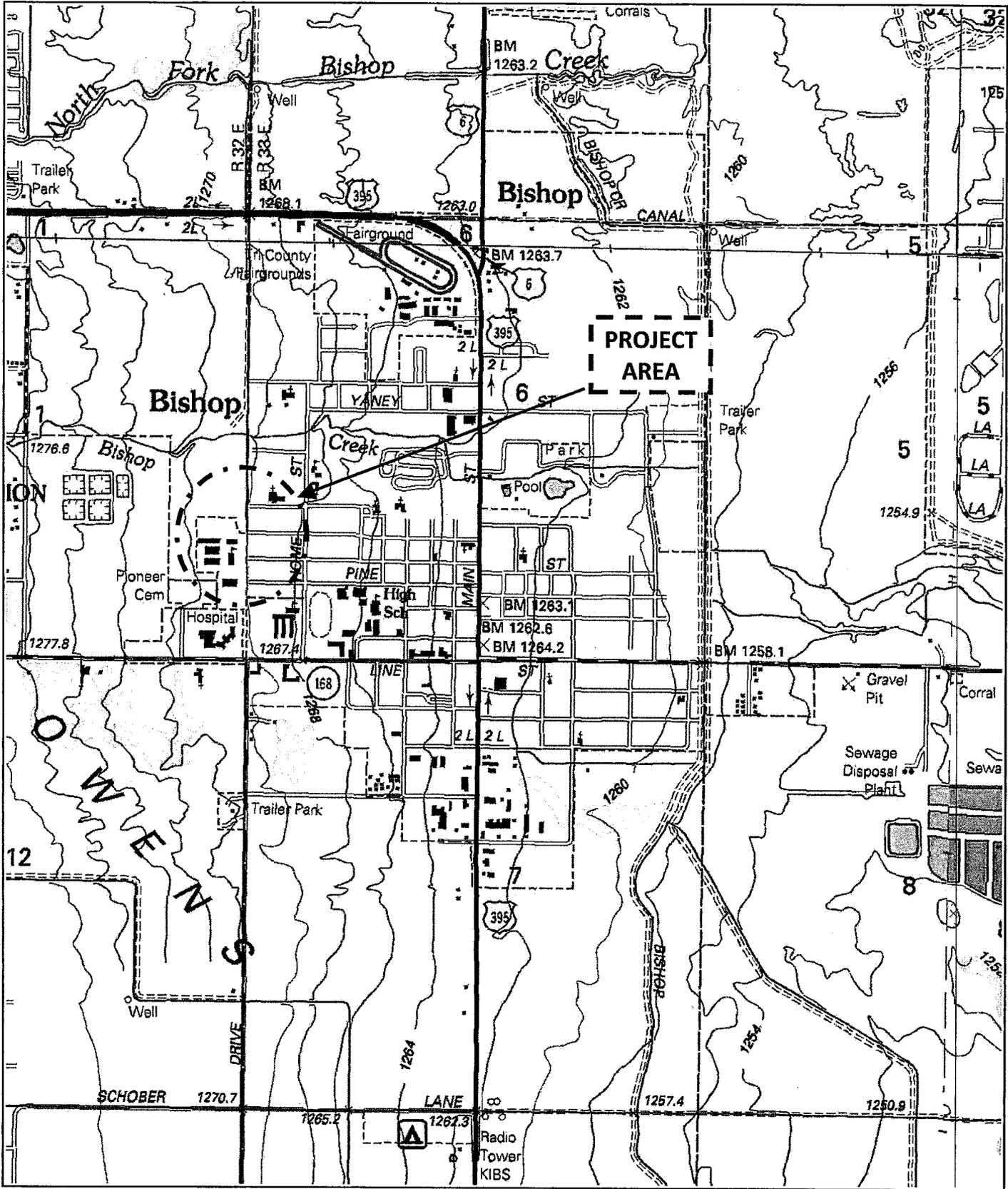
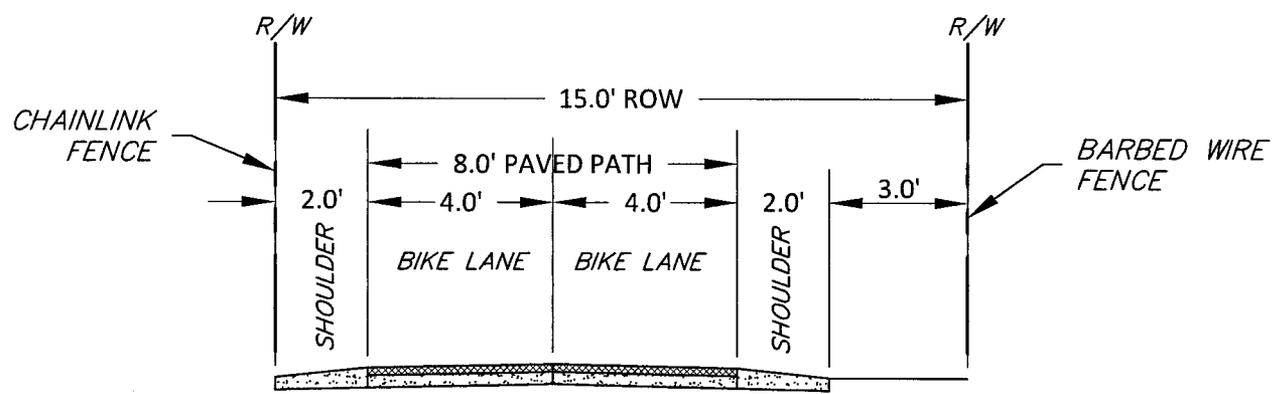
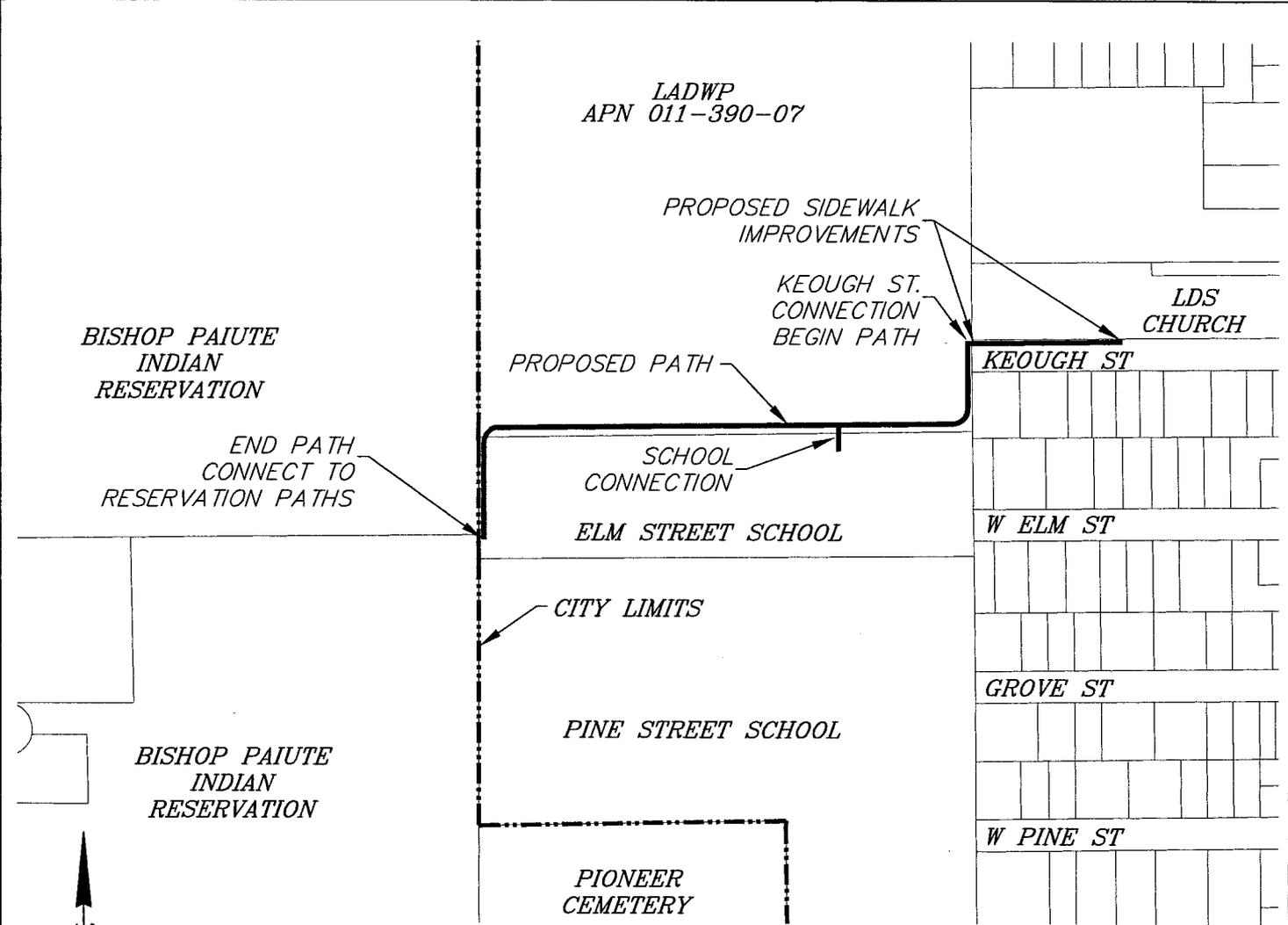


Figure 1. Vicinity of Seibu to School Bike Path Project Area in Bishop, CA

SEIBU TO SCHOOL BIKEPATH PROJECT FOOTPRINT MAP



TYPICAL BIKEPATH SECTION

NOT TO SCALE

