



**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
Monterey District  
2211 Garden Road  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Barbed Wire Fence Removal

**LOCATION:** Monterey District Park Units

**COUNTY:** Monterey, Santa Clara, Stanislaus

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Remove sections of barbed wire fencing throughout the park units of Monterey District to allow for the safe movement of wildlife. Work will document and record fencing sections by Natural and Cultural Resources staff; remove designated barbed wire by hand; and remove fence posts by loosening posts, removing with post puller and filling holes with neighboring soil. All materials will be recycled.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Monterey District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

Categorical Exemption      *Class: 1 & 4*      *Section: 15301 & 15304*

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists operation, repair, maintenance or minor alteration of existing public structures, or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels and the minor public alterations in the condition of land and vegetation that do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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