



State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Statewide Entrance Monument Sign Installation

LOCATION: Fremont Peak State Park, Andrew Molera State Park, Salinas River State Beach, Garrapata State Park, Monterey District Headquarters, Marina State Beach and the Gavilan Sector Office

COUNTY: Monterey, San Benito

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Replace existing entrance signs at Fremont Peak State Park, Andrew Molera State Park, Salinas River State Beach, Garrapata State Park, Monterey District Headquarters and Marina State Beach, and install a new sign at the Gavilan Sector Office, to provide consistent signage and help visitors navigate easier into the State Parks. Work will remove the old signs, posts and footings at Fremont Peak SP, Andrew Molera SP, Garrapata SP, Monterey District Headquarters, Marina SB. Installation will require excavating 16" diameter posts holes up to 58" deep for each sign. Signs will be 4" x 7" single or double-sided laminate branding sign mounted on 2'6" x 6" wood posts.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Acquisition and Development

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption *Class: 1, 3, 4 and 11 Section: 15301, 15303, 15304, 15311*

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of minor alteration of existing public facilities involving no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determinations; construction and location of limited numbers of new, small structures; minor public alterations in the condition of land and vegetation that do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees; construction or placement of minor structures accessory to (appurtenant to) existing facilities; included as "Installation of signs" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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