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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
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2211 Garden Road
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PROJECT TITLE: Whale Trail Interpretive Panel Installation

LOCATION: Point Lobos State Natural Reserve

COUNTY: Monterey

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Install one new interpretive panel near the Piney Woods area at Point Lobos State Natural Reserve to provide visitors with information in a safe, visible, and accessible location. Work will level an approximately 60" x 60" area of the soil surface; excavate and install two concrete footings in holes measuring approximately 2' wide by 3' deep and install one 48" x 24" interpretive panel, 48" in height.

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 Classes: 3 and 4 Sections: 15303 and 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small structures; minor public alterations in the condition of land which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees included as "installation of interpretive signs or panels," in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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