NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
    Sierra District Headquarters
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PROJECT TITLE: Maintenance Shop Plumbing Rehabilitation
LOCATION: Ed Z’ Berg Sugar Pine Point State Park
COUNTY: El Dorado

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Replace the existing sanitary sewer line located behind the maintenance shop at Ed Z’ Berg Sugar Pine Point State Park to improve staff working conditions. Work will:

• Excavate trenches totaling approximately 330’ long x 2’ wide x 5’ deep; bed entire length of trench with 6” of sand.
• Starting at the northeast corner of the maintenance building (heading east), install 30 feet of a 6” SDR 35 sewer collection line pipe at fall grade, then turn south and install approximately 200 additional feet of 6” sewer line collection pipe.
• Install 1st manhole adjacent to the southeast corner of the maintenance shop, continue installing 6” line approximately 100’ from 1st manhole to proposed 2nd manhole.
• Install 2nd manhole in the residence road where the new 6” line discharges into the existing sewer main.
• Install two multi-directional cleanouts along the new 6” line and a grease and oil separator with sample port. Install 6” of sewer line pipe to manholes; connect with bell and gasket fittings.
• Top with 6” of sand; pressure test lines prior to burial; backfill with original sifted material and compact; fill old drain with any extra backfill; repave over trench line and drain to grade.

Equipment, materials and tools will be stored at the maintenance shop and Best Management Practice’s (BMP’s) will be employed to control erosion and sediment runoff in excavation areas.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation
NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Sierra District

EXEMPT STATUS:
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class: 1, 2, 3, 4
Section: 15301, 15302, 15303, 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the repair or minor alteration of existing public facilities involving negligible expansion of use beyond current levels; replacement of existing facilities located on the same site as the facility replaced and having substantially the same purpose and capacity; construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities and minor public alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry purposes; included as “utility repairs or minor upgrades” in the Department of Parks and Recreation’s list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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