



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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
Bay Area District  
845 Casa Grande Road  
Petaluma, CA 94954

**PROJECT TITLE:** Iron Ranger Pay Stations

**LOCATION:** China Camp State Park

**COUNTY:** Marin

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Install two iron ranger self-pay fee collection stations and two fee collection signs, one each, located at Miwok Meadows and Turtle Back Hill parking area in China Camp State Park to collect trail user fees. Work will:

- Remove and dispose of existing concrete pad at Miwok Meadows;
- Excavate two 24" wide and 30" deep holes, install collection units and backfill with concrete;
- Excavate two 10" diameter by 24" deep post holes, install two 4" x 4" x 8' posts and fee collection signs.

No natural or cultural resources will be impacted by this project.

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

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

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

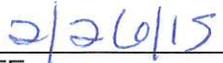
Categorical Exemption      *Class:* 1, 3, 4 & 11      *Section:* 15301, 15303, 15304 & 15311

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of minor alterations of existing public facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing; construction and locating limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; and the minor alteration in the condition of land and vegetation which does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry purposes, and placement of minor structures accessory to existing facilities, and is included as "signs and fee collection devices" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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