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State of California – The 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
Northern Buttes District
400 Glen Drive
Oroville, CA 95966

PROJECT TITLE: Wyk Island Trail Extension

LOCATION: Lake Oroville State Recreation Area **COUNTY:** Butte

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Extend the existing Wyk Island Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Trail, located in Lake Oroville State Recreation Area's Bidwell Canyon Campground, by 2,700ft, to connect the picnic area, bridge, and island to the restroom facilities and boat launch. Work will:

- Construct the extension per ADA specifications by:
  - Excavating 12" to 24" to accommodate ADA slope requirements
  - Excavate for a tread width of 60"
  - Grading and out-sloping the trail to no more than 5%

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Northern Buttes District

EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section)
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class: 4 *Section:* 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the minor public alteration in the condition of land which does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees and is included as "trail construction" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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