

**State of California**  
**Department of Parks and Recreation**

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Ski Hill Entrance Gates - Plumas Eureka State Park

**LOCATION:** Plumas Eureka State Park

**COUNTY:** Plumas

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

Establish better control over the flow of traffic leading into the ski lodge area at Plumas Eureka State Park, curtailing uncontrolled vehicle access into the Ski Bowl and Ski Lodge area. Eliminate two of the three dirt roads leading into the ski lodge area and install a gate on the third road. Roads that will be obliterated and re-vegetated include a dirt road that connects the ski hill and Eureka Lake dirt roads west of the parking lot and dirt road northwest of the parking lot. A new gate will be installed at the beginning of the dirt road leading to the ski hill, southwest of the parking lot. Two three foot deep post holes will be dug for gate installation. Gateposts will be anchored with concrete. If evidence of potentially significant historical/archaeology resources are discovered at any point during the project, work will be suspended until the find can be assessed by either the District or Service Center archaeologist.

**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: 1,3,4

Section: 15301,15303,15304

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

Project consists of the repair, maintenance, and minor alteration of existing facilities, involving no expansion of an existing use, installation of a small, new structure, and minor alterations in the condition of land that do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (included as "trail or road repairs, "installation of fencing and gates", "trail removal", in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR S 15300.4).

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