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**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Fireside Patio Additional Lighting Installation

**LOCATION:** Asilomar State Beach and Conference Grounds,  
Sunset Drive and Asilomar Avenue

**COUNTY:** Monterey

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

Install three pole light fixtures on Fireside Patio area at Asilomar State Beach and Conference Grounds. Pole lamps will be anchored to the existing concrete slab at the base of planter retaining walls and installation would utilize existing bench brackets. Electricity is currently available at the northeast corner of planter at existing junction box. Project protects public safety and supports continued use of this facility.

**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: Class: 1 Section: 15301

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

Project consists of minor alteration of an existing public facility, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels, included as "minor utility upgrades" on the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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