



State of California – The Resources Agency
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: Regulatory Sign Installation

LOCATION: San Luis Reservoir State Recreation Area **COUNTY:** Merced

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Install seven new signs approximately 12"x18" in size on or near the new Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) trail within San Luis Creek Area of the San Luis Reservoir State Recreation Area to restrict the use of motorized vehicles and protect natural resources. At each sign location work will manually excavate a hole approximately 3' deep, fill the hole with concrete, install a 4"x4" wooden post, and attach the sign. The signs locations are either along the new trail alignment or next to existing roadways in previously disturbed areas. DPR staff will implement measures to protect any sensitive resources.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Central Valley District

EXEMPT STATUS:

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section)
- Categorical Exemption
 Class: 3, 11 Section: 15303, 15311

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: The project consists of placement of minor structures accessory to (appurtenant to) existing facilities including as "installation of signs" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4

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