

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: Williams House Floor Removal

LOCATION: Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park

COUNTY: El Dorado County

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Remove up to six approximately 4' x 4' segments of the floor in the historic Williams House at Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park to collect data for the upcoming stabilization project. Adjustments to the location of these segments will be necessary to reduce impacts to the historic floor boards. After the data collection is completed, DPR staff will replace the floor boards or label and stock pile the boards and patch the floor temporarily with plywood until the implementation of the stabilization project. Prior to the start of work, a DPR historian will approve the segment locations designated for removal.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Gold Fields District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption

Classes: 6, 31 Sections: 15306, 15331

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

Project consists of basic data collection, research, and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious disturbance to an environmental resource and repair a historic structure and is included as "activities affecting historic resources consistent with the Secretary of Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.

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