

**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: Conduct Environmental Testing

LOCATION: Humboldt Redwoods State Park

COUNTY: Humboldt

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Conduct environmental testing at Albee Creek Campground within Humboldt Redwoods State Park to identify a project site where DPR will upgrade and install new public facilities to American With Disabilities Act (ADA) standards. Hand dig up to 30 excavation pits to a size of approximately 3.5 feet long and wide by 2.5 feet deep. Refill each excavation pit once testing is completed. The accessibility project will be evaluated in a separate environmental document.

DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into the Environmental Testing Project. A list of project-specific project requirements can be viewed by contacting the environmental coordinator listed below.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Northern Service Center

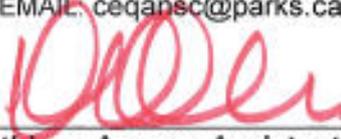
EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption Classes: 4, 6 Sections: 15304, 15306

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of minor public alterations in the condition of land and vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees and consists of basic data collection and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource; included as "archaeological investigations by Department staff" in the Department of Parks and Recreation list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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