

**State of California – The Resources Agency  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
1416 Ninth Street  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Exotic Plant Removal Project

**LOCATION:** Humboldt Redwoods State Park    **COUNTY:** Humboldt

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Remove exotic plants from areas around the Cuneo Creek Campground, Upper & Lower Pole Line Prairie, and Look Prairie in Humboldt Redwoods State Park. Work will dig out exotic plants to a depth of approximately one foot by hand using tools such as a weed wrench or shovel. Additional work will bag and transport the exotics to the Burlington burn pile for disposal. Exotic species to be removed include English ivy, Himalayan blackberry, periwinkle, Scotch and French broom, daffodils, perennial sweet pea, and ox-eyed daisy.

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

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** North Coast Redwoods District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

Categorical Exemption

*Class: 4*

*Section: 15304*

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** The project consists of minor alterations in the condition of land and vegetation, which does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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