

CEQA ID #9576
District # 2006-50

State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
845 Casa Grande Road
Petaluma, CA 94954

PROJECT TITLE: Install Drip Irrigation System and Upgrade Water Hook-ups

LOCATION: Sonoma State Historic Park

COUNTY: Sonoma

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Install drip irrigation systems and upgrade water hook-ups at the General Vallejo Home, Casa Grande and Sonoma Missions at Sonoma State Historic Park to provide irrigation to plant beds. Work will excavate 8 inches deep to install the irrigation lines, backfill 4-6 inches with native soil with mulch layer placed on top of the trench, and add another pipe to extend the current water hook-ups to accommodate the new irrigation fittings and materials.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Diablo Vista District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption

Class: 1 & 4

Section: 15301, 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

Project consists of the operation and minor alteration of existing public facilities, involving negligible expansion of use beyond current levels, included as "utility repairs or minor repairs" and minor alterations in the condition of land, and/or vegetation that will not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4

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