



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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Polo Field Waterline Replacement
LOCATION: Will Rogers State Historic Park **COUNTY:** Los Angeles
DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

This project consists of replacing the waterline below the polo field at Will Rogers State Historic Park. The existing waterline is not usable due to leakage and deterioration. The repair of this waterline is necessary provide drinking water for the horses at the pasture arena, horse corral and polo events. Project will consist of trenching to the existing waterline, approximately 1 foot below the ground surface, and remove and replace approximately 200 feet of 1-inch line, 150 feet of 1 1/2-inch line and 40 feet of 2-inch line. A new rigid schedule-80 PVC pipe will be installed from the water meter.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation
NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Angeles

EXEMPT STATUS:

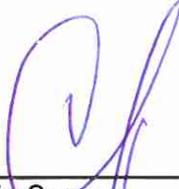
- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section)
- Categorical Exemption
Class: 1, 4 Section(s): 15301 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: No potential for significant impact to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the project description including comments provided by CDPR specialists, then it is exempt under CEQA §15301 – Existing Facilities and §15304 – Minor Alterations to Land. The action falls under the Departmental List of Exempt activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

- "Utility repairs or minor upgrades" (Class 1, Section 15301); and
- "Minor trenching and backfilling where the surface is restored" (Class 4, Section 15304)

The project does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (Class 4).

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