

State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
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Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Sierra District Headquarters
P.O. Box 266
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PROJECT TITLE: Bodie Defensible Space Maintenance

LOCATION: Bodie State Historic Park

COUNTY: Mono

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Create a 100' to 300' wildfire defense zone around buildings, parking lots, fuel tanks, fire hydrants and fire hose boxes at Bodie State Historic Park to protect cultural resources. Work will:

- Use hand clippers, loppers, weed whipping and light raking to remove in ground vegetation and dead vegetation from live shrubs.
- Remove debris from project area to an appropriate disposal site outside of the park and
- Stack firewood 30' away from residences or other structures or tarp with black or brown colored fire-resistant welding tarps.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Sierra District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption

Class: 4

Section: 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of minor alteration in the condition of land and vegetation that does not involve the removal of healthy, mature scenic trees except for forestry purposes and is included as "resource management projects" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCRS 15300.4.

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