

CEQA # 14241
District Project # 25-14



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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Diablo Range District
15751 Tesla Road
Livermore, CA 94550

PROJECT TITLE: Live Oak Campground Conduit Burial

LOCATION: Mount Diablo State Park

COUNTY: Contra Costa

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: The purpose of this project is to excavate a trench for an additional utility line in a previously disturbed alignment in the Live Oak Campground at Mount Diablo State Park to correct the current non-compliant power system for the resident. Work will be completed by State Parks staff during dry conditions. Work will:

Use heavy equipment to excavate an approximately 70-foot long x 24-inch wide x 30-inch deep trench;

Place a 1.5-inch PVC electrical conduit in the trench alongside the existing conduit and backfill with excavated materials;

Disconnect the old conduit, remove the existing hazardously spliced line, and pull new wire through the existing and newly placed conduit;

Separate conductors into appropriately rated arc/ground fault pairs;

Use a screw/washer assembly to install new a subpanel below the existing meter on wooden support post; and

Use liquid tight flexible metallic conduit to connect both the new and existing conduits to the new subpanel.

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

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

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption

Class: 1, 3 & 4

Section: 15301, 15303 & 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; construction and location of a limited number of new, small facilities or structures; and minor public or private alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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