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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation Monterey District 2211 Garden Road Monterey, CA 93940

PROJECT TITLE: Orchard Upgrade LOCATION: San Juan Bautista State Historic Park COUNTY: San Benito

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Perform upgrades to the orchard area in San Juan Bautista State Historic Park to provide interpretive information to visitors in a safe. visible, and accessible location. Work will:

- install approximately 430' of 5' wide decomposed granite pathways;
- install an above-ground irrigation system;
- remove approximately 12 dead or diseased trees and replace with historically accurate trees:
- install approximately XX wooden(?) benches; and
- install approximately 22,000 square feet of weed barrier and cover with 800 cubic yards of mulch.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:

California Department of Parks and Recreation NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Monterey 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 structures or facilities, involving negligible or no expansion of an existing use; the construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; and the 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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