



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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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

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

PROJECT TITLE: Picnic Table Restoration – CCC Stone/Wood

LOCATION: Mount Diablo State Park

COUNTY: Contra Costa

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Repair nine (9) historic Civilian Conservation Corps picnic tables in Mount Diablo State Park to return them to working order and give the public safe recreation facilities. Work at each site will include some of the elements listed below:

- Bench repairs:
 - Remove existing bench seat boards;
 - Remove existing anchor rods from pier tops;
 - Rebuild rock pier bench supports with existing stones or local rock and lime mortar;
 - Insert steel 1/2" anchor rods into the rock pier bench supports; and
 - Install new or reinstall existing redwood bench seats on anchor rods.
- Table repairs:
 - Insert steel 1/2" anchor rods into existing rock table top piers;
 - Install redwood support pieces perpendicular to piers; and
 - Install three (3) table-top boards to the support pieces.

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

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption

Class: 1 & 31

Section: 15301 & 15331

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists the repair and minor alteration of existing public or private structures or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; of minor alterations of land and vegetation that does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees and maintenance, repair, stabilization, rehabilitation, restoration, preservation, conservation or reconstruction of historic resources, in a manner consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties with Guideline for Preserving, Rehabilitating, Restoring, and Reconstructing Historic Buildings (1995), Weeks and Grimmer.

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