

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 212  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Veterans Affairs  
1227 O Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**Project Title:** Department of Veterans Affairs – Water Pressure System Upgrades

**Project Location – Specific:** DVA - CA Veterans Cemetery Memorial Chapel  
11800 Gas Point Road, Shasta County, CA 96047

**Project Location – City:** Igo

**Project Location – County:** Shasta

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:**

The proposed project will bring current fire sprinkler systems up to code for the Northern California Veterans Cemetery Memorial Building (Chapel). The water supply will also be upgraded at the Administration and Maintenance Buildings. Work shall include new 6" fire riser assembly, new 5" sprinkler cross mains, new 10" fire water supply, new diesel fire pump and enclosure. The existing fire sprinkler system will be replaced along with the electrical connections for the new fire pumps and fire alarm monitoring panel. Work will also involve approximately 700 LF of trench for a 10" water main from the existing water tank to the Chapel building. The trench would be approximately 4'x2' (depth x width).

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:**

Department of Veterans Affairs

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:**

Victoria Chua, Project Director I, DGS-RES-PMDB 916-376-3868

**Exempt Status:**

Categorical Exemption., Class: 1a Section: 15301

**Reason Why Project Is Exempt:**

This exemption allows for the interior or exterior alterations involving such things as interior partitions, plumbing, and electrical conveyances that involve negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. The State confirms that no exceptions apply which would preclude the use of an exemption for this project.

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