Notice of Exemption

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Department of Fish and Wildlife Central Region 1234 East Shaw Avenue Fresno, California 93710



Project Title: Tassajara Remediation Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-1003-R4)

Project Location: The Project is located within and adjacent to two unnamed tributaries of Tassajara Creek located at 9210 Tassajara Creek Road, west of the community of Santa Margarita, San Luis Obispo County, State of California; Township 29 South, Range 12 East, Section 22, United States Geological Survey (USGS) map Atascadero, MDB&M; 35.386514,-120.681908; Assessor's Parcel Number 070-041-035.

Project Description: The Project includes activities related to the restoration of streams due to impacts created by the unauthorized installation of cisterns, culverts, greenhouses, and pads within and adjacent to two unnamed tributaries to Tassajara Creek.

Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: The Timothy and Monica Wright Trust

Exempt Status:

Signature:

☐ Statutory Exemption

□ Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 4; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15304

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project includes the restoration of unauthorized grading activity within and adjacent to Tassajara Creek and will not include the removal of any trees or shrubs. No significant environmental impacts will result if the Project is completed under the protective features included in Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-1003-R4.

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