## **Notice of Exemption**

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Department of Fish and Wildlife 1701 Nimbus Road Rancho Cordova, CA 95670



**Project Title:** Library Park Seawall Replacement (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0273-R2)

**Project Location:** The project is located along the shoreline of Clear Lake at 200 Park Street in the City of Lakeport, County of Lake, State of California; Latitude 39.043082, Longitude -122.913018. The project is located at Library Park between the First Street Boat Ramp and the Third Street Boat Ramp.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0273-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the City of Lakeport

The project is limited to the installation of a new sheet pile seawall (approximately 550 feet long) in front of the existing damaged concrete and masonry seawall which failed during the 2017 storms due to undermining and erosion. The new sheet piles will be driven as close to the existing seawall as practical and the void between the existing wall and new wall will be backfilled. The wall will have a concrete cap approximately two feet above the 100-year flood level to provide protection to the park facilities from wave action. It is anticipated that the sheet pile will be installed using vibratory hammers on the park side of the wall supported by excavators or cranes. Maximum pile depth below lakebed will be 25 feet. The project also includes the replacement of a set of concrete stairs to provide swimmer access to the beach and lake. The concrete sidewalk adjacent to the seawall on the park side will also be replaced

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: City of Lakeport

**Exempt Status:** 

**Reasons why project is exempt:** This project involves reconstruction of an existing seawall where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced.

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