

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

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**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:** Nature Trail Split Rail Fence Addition

LOCATION: Sugarloaf Ridge State Park (Nature Trail) COUNTY: Sonoma

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Build a new 60-foot section of split rail fence along the Nature Trail in Sugarloaf Ridge State Park to provide for safety along a trail section with a steep drop-off. Work will drive seven 1 ½" steel posts about two feet into the ground spaced ten feet apart, install wood split rail posts over the steel posts, and then install wood split rails between the posts.

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: 3 & 4 Section: 15303 & 15304

## **REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

Project consists of the construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; and minor public alterations in the condition of land which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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