

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 Northern Buttes District 400 Glen Drive Oroville, CA 95966

PROJECT TITLE: Northern Buttes District Headquarters Fence Relocation

LOCATION: Oroville

COUNTY: Butte

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Relocate and remove sections of chain-link fence at the Northern Buttes District Headquarters within the Lake Oroville State Recreation Area to increase security.

Work will:

- Install approximately 90' of new 6' chain-link security fencing, including privacy slats and three (3) strands of barb wire on top;
- Excavate ten (10) holes 2' x 12" to place fence posts and fill with concrete;
- Remove approximately 100' of concrete walkway;
- Remove approximately 225' of chain-link fence following new fence install;
- Excavate 80'x6'x4" and pour a concrete pathway;
- Remove old tree stumps;
- Landscape area of removed concrete with native plants.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Northern Buttes District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption *Class:* 1, 3 & 4

Section: 15301, 15303 & 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the maintenance or minor alteration of existing public or private structures involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures, included as "fencing and gates" in the Department of Parks and Recreation List of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR§153400.4; and the minor public or private alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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