

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Sonoma

From: (Public Agency): _____

Sonoma Resource Conservation District

1221 Farmers Lane, Suite F, Santa Rosa, CA 95405

(Address)

Project Title: Nuns 2 - Bouverie Preserve Sediment Reduction Project

Project Applicant: Sonoma Resource Conservation District

Project Location - Specific:

13935 Highway 12

Project Location - City: Glen Ellen

Project Location - County: Sonoma

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

An undersized failing culvert that conveys an unnamed ephemeral stream that merges into Stuart Creek will be replaced with an armored fill crossing. In addition, 75 linear feet of unsurfaced road draining to the project area will be treated with outsloping, eliminating an inboard ditch, and installation of one rolling dip and one critical dip. The project will mitigate drainage issues and reduce sediment erosion into Stuart Creek, improving aquatic habitat.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Sonoma Resource Conservation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Sonoma Resource Conservation District

Exempt Status: (check one):

- ☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- ☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- ☐ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 1 - §15301 , Class 33 - §15333
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is being funded through a grant from the state Water Resources Control Board to reduce sediment delivery into Sonoma Creek Watershed. This project is routine road drainage and stormwater maintenance that will reduce sediment entering into Stuart Creek, a tributary of Sonoma Creek, and help improve fish habitat.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Anya Starovoytov

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If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Signature: Valerii O Date: 3/12/2021 Title: Executive Director

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____