

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 1416 Ninth Street P.O. Box 942896 Sacramento, CA 94296-0001

PROJECT TITLE: APM Installation at TSRA and Donner Memorial SP

LOCATION: Tahoe State Recreation Area & Donner Memorial State Park

COUNTY: Placer County & Nevada County

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Install a total of two (2) new self-contained, accessible automated pay machines (APM) and appropriate regulatory signage, at Tahoe State Recreation-Gatekeepers Unit (TSRA) and Donner Memorial State Park, to allow visitors to pay day use fees and support administrative services.

**TSRA:** Install one (1) new ADA compliant APM with cellular connectivity on new pad, adjacent to established ADA parking and route of travel;

- Trench 8' long x 6" wide x 24" deep from existing splice location to new APM pad location;
- Excavate 3' long x 3' wide x 3' deep of native material and pour new concrete APM pad;
- Backfill excavated trench, compact, and cap with appropriate material (i.e., concrete, asphalt, pavers dirt) and blend to existing features in likeness and elevation;
- Drill and set anchor bolts into the existing cement pad and attach new APM; and
- Install APM regulatory signage on the existing adjacent lamp post.

**Donner MSP:** Install one (1) new ADA compliant APM with both solar and cellular capabilities on existing cement pad, adjacent to established ADA parking and route of travel:

- Drill and set anchor bolts into the existing cement pad and attach new APM; and
- Install APM regulatory signage adjacent to the new APM on either the existing No Parking signpost or bolt a new signpost onto the existing cement pad next to the APM.

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

## NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Sierra District

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## EXEMPT STATUS:

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section
- Categorical Exemption
  - Class: 3, 4 & 11 Section: 15303, 15304, 15311

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; the minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water and/or vegetation which does not involve the removal of healthy mature scenic trees; and the construction, or placement of minor structures accessory to existing institutional facilities, included as "Construction or installation of park facilities, such as kiosks" and "Installation of fee collection devices" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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