

Fee Exempt GC 27383

**Notice of Exemption**

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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County Clerk

County of: Mendocino

501 Low Gap Road

Ukiah, CA 95482

**From:** (Public Agency): County of Mendocino  
Department of Planning and Building Services  
860 N Bush Street, Ukiah, CA 95482

(Address)

Project Title: Mendocino County Sheriff's 911 Equipment Bunker

Project Applicant: County of Mendocino

Project Location - Specific:

575 Low Gap Road, Ukiah (39.159925, -123.216847)

Project Location - City: Ukiah

Project Location - County: Mendocino

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:**

The project entails the purchase and installation of an approximately 760-square-foot prefabricated bunker-type structure (bunker) to house 911 switching equipment, the replacement of the existing building electrical panels, and a new generator. Following installation of the new bunker, an upgraded dispatch console would be installed. Existing 911 and network switching equipment and back-up systems and servers would be moved into the new bunker from their current location in the basement to the Probation Building. Electrical and telecommunications services would be established to the new bunker and a 300 kilo-Watt emergency generator would be installed to provide back-up power in the event of an emergency.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Mendocino

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: County of Mendocino

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: §15311 (Class 11)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

**The proposed bunker would be an accessory structure to support existing County operations and facilities. The use currently exists in the basement of an adjacent building and would be relocated to the proposed bunker in order to keep the system up-to-date, resilient, and operational**

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Julia Krog, Director

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (707) 234-6650

**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: Julia Krog Date: 7/22/2022 Title: Director

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant