

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento. CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation 750 Hearst Castle Rd San Simeon, CA 93452

PROJECT TITLE: Residence 1 K-9 Upgrades Project

**LOCATION:** Morro Bay State Park

COUNTY: San Luis Obispo

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Install a kennel, fencing, and replace an existing, rusted water line.at Residence 1 at Morro Bay State Park to accommodate a State Park Peace Officer K-9. Work will:

- Excavate approximately twenty-five (25) 2-foot deep by 8-inch wide post holes;
- Install twenty-five (25), 8-foot tall, 4-inch by 4-inch pressure-treated wood posts;
- Install approximately 360 linear feet of double support rails;
- Install approximately 180 linear feet of 6-foot-tall fence panels;
- Pour a 20-foot by 15-foot, 4-inch-thick concrete pad for use as a kennel.
- Install approximately seventy (70) linear feet of 6-foot-tall chain-link fence for the kennel.
- Excavate an approximately 180-foot long, 2-foot wide, and 2-foot-deep trench to remove the existing, rusted, ¾-inch, galvanized steel water line and replace with a 1-inch PVC pipe.
- Backfill trench with excavated soils.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: San Luis Obispo Coast

## **EXEMPT STATUS:**

Categorical Exemption Classes: 1, 3 & 4 Sections: 15301, 15303 & 15304

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the operation, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures, included as "Construction or installation of park facilities such as fencing" in the Department of Parks and Recreations list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4; and 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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