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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

File Ref: A3872

Item: 05

Title: Issuance of General Lease – Public Agency Use – A3872

Location: Sovereign land in the Petaluma River, adjacent to 6 Copeland Street, Petaluma, Sonoma County.

Description: Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Public Agency Use beginning May 1, 2023, for a term of 20 years, for the removal of an existing partial boat dock, and construction, use, and maintenance of a boat dock, gangway, and three pilings.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): The City of Petaluma

Exempt Status:

[√] Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 2, REPLACEMENT OR RECONSTRUCTION (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, 2905, subd. (b))

Reasons for exemption:

Issuance of a 10-year General Lease – Public Agency Use for the above-mentioned structure(s) will cause only a minor physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption(s) apply(ies).

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