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**Notice of Exemption**

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From:  
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Region 1 - Northern  
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**State Clearinghouse Number:**

**Project Title:** Issuance of Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-0537-R1, diversion of Usher Gulch Creek

**Project Location (include county):** The upper point of diversion (POD) is located on United States Forest Service land at Usher Gulch Creek, a tributary to the Trinity River; State of California Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 007-070-48-00, approximate latitude 41.057539, longitude -122.709178, Section 19, Township 37N, Range 07W; the lower POD is located on private parcel APN 007-730-15-00, approximate latitude 41.057713, longitude -122.706507, Section 20, Township 37N, Range 07W; both are located within the Carrville U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) quadrangle, Mt. Diablo meridian, in the town of Trinity Center in Trinity County, CA.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2018-0537-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to John and Julie Eaker.

The Project consists of the continued use of two existing surface water diversions on Usher Gulch Creek for the purpose of domestic use.

**Public Agency Approving Project:** CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

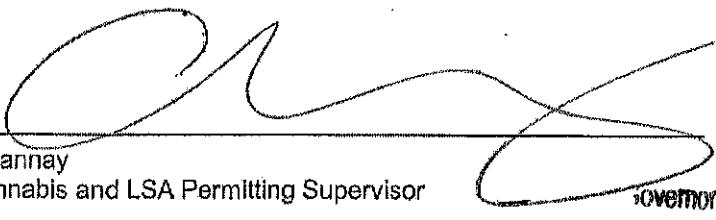
**Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:** John and Julie Eaker

**Exempt Status:**

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption.

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has determined that the Project is categorically exempt from review under CEQA pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Article 19, Section 15301. The project consists of the operation, repair, and maintenance of an existing private facility that involves negligible or no expansion of current use.

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