

**Notice of Exemption**

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**From:**  
Department of Fish and Wildlife  
Region 1 – Northern  
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1400 Tenth Street  
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**State Clearinghouse Number:** N/A

**Project Title:** St. Onge Streambank Restoration (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0471-R1)

**Project Location (include county):** The project is on Janes Creek tributary Humboldt Bay, in the town of Arcata, County of Humboldt, State of California; on Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 507-071-005 at 3240 West End Road.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Permittee will replace streambank soil and revegetate and will maintain an existing bridge crossing Janes Creek. Native riparian vegetation will be planted and maintained to restore disturbed area. Permittee shall not work in the stream past October 31 of each year except for riparian revegetation maintenance. A 25 feet wide stream side buffer from the top of the wetted stream channel on each side of the stream shall be maintained after instream work is complete.

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

**Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:** Stephen St. Onge

**Exempt Status:**

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1; California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15301

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Activities will be conducted in a manner to protect instream flows and water quality in North Fork Janes Creek. There would be no significant adverse impact on endangered, threatened, or rare species or their habitat pursuant to §15065. There are no hazardous materials at or around the project site that may be disturbed or removed. The project will not result in impacts that are significant when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.

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