

Notice of Exemption**To:**

Office of Planning and Research
 For U.S. Mail:
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From:

Department of Fish and Wildlife
 Bay Delta Region
 2825 Cordelia Road, Suite 100
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**Street Address:**

1400 Tenth Street
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State Clearinghouse Number: N/A

Project Title: 601 Branciforte (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2018-0375-R3)

Project Location: The project is located at Branciforte Creek, a tributary to the San Lorenzo River, in the County of Santa Cruz, State of California; Latitude 36.008278, Longitude -122.009175 or Section 6, Township 11S, Range 1W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Santa Cruz, or 601 Branciforte Drive, Santa Cruz, CA 95060; Assessor's Parcel Number 008-373-09.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2018-0375-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Tyler Lucas.

The proposed project is to construct a single-family home and a separate garage near Branciforte Creek. The project covered in the Streambed Alteration Agreement is limited to the extension of an existing culvert to the top of bank where the original culvert eroded a gully and the installation of a coconut netting and four to eight-inch angular cobble and native plants within the eroded gully. All work will be conducted by hand.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Tyler Lucas

Exempt Status:

Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 3; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15303

Reasons why project is exempt: The proposed project will construct one single-family residence.

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