

**Notice of Exemption**

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**From:**  
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1400 Tenth Street  
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**Project Title:** Sonoma Mountain Ranch LLC (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2019-0156-R3)

**Project Location:** The project is located at 3100 Sonoma Mountain Road, Petaluma, on Carriger Creek, in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0156-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Sonoma Mountain Ranch LLC.

The project is limited to clearing of invasive aquatic vegetation from four separate ponds, the replacement of a liner in one pond with a new 0.04-inch liner, and the addition of a 0.04-inch thick liner to a second pond. Twelve native riparian willow trees will also be removed as part of this project.

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

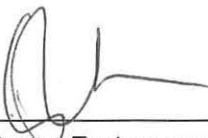
**Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:** Sonoma Mountain Ranch LLC

**Exempt Status:**

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (1); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section (15301)

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Project is maintenance of an existing facility.

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*Signature:*  \_\_\_\_\_ *Date:* October 24, 2019

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