



**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
1416 Ninth Street  
P.O. Box 942896  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Trail Conditions Board(s)

**LOCATION:** Big Basin, Castle Rock, Portola

**COUNTY:** Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, San Mateo

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** The Project will add signs displaying trails conditions to visitors to the parks in order to cut down on visitor confusion and reduce the risk of lost hikers. Work will:

- Excavate two (2) 36" deep postholes per sign;
- Placement of 48"x30"x3" display cases on 2 4"x4" posts for each location;
- Secured in place with road base filler;
- Hand tools only.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Santa Cruz District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

Categorical Exemption

Class: 3 & 11

Section: 15303 & 15311

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Sign installation projects are categorically exempt. Class 3 Section 15303 "construction or installation of... fencing, signs,..." and Class 11 Section 15311 "installation of signs".

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