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Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
County Clerk
County of: Marin
3501 Civic Center Drive Ste. 234
San Rafael, CA 94903

From: (Public Agency): North Marin Water District (NMWD)
PO Box 146 Novato, CA 94948-0146 (mail)
999 Rush Creek Place Novato, CA 94945 (physical)
(Address)

Project Title: Gallagher Ranch (Lagunitas Creek) Streambank Stabilization Project

Project Applicant: North Marin Water District

Project Location - Specific:
The project is within private property of Gallagher Ranch, Parcel #119-050-17, located at 14500 Point Reyes-
Petaluma Road in Point Reyes Station, California.

Project Location - City: Point Reyes Station Project Location - County: Marin

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The project will provide structural streambank stabilization along Lagunitas Creek through log crib wall
construction and riparian plantings. The Project will protect downstream NMWD water supply infrastructure
(wells and a conveyance pipeline) and benefit the creek, providing slope protection and riparian habitat.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: North Marin Water District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: North Marin Water District

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 33, 15333 Small Habitat Restoration
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project would include 170 linear feet of streambank restoration, with a limit of disturbance area of 2 acres.
The project would not exceed 5 acres in size. The purpose of the project is to address existing erosion to
restore and enhance fisheries habitat, which is consistent with the Class 33 Categorical Exemption 15333 Small
Habitat Restoration Projects. Attachment A contains additional reasons why the project fits this exemption.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Drew McIntyre, General Manager Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 415-897-4133

If filed by applicant:

- 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 1/22/2020 Title: GENERAL MANAGER

[X] Signed by Lead Agency [] Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR:

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