



Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Vineyard Creek Sewer Line and Bank Stabilization (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0070-R3)

Project Location: The Project is located on Vineyard Creek at 14 Angelica Court, Novato, CA 94947, in the County of Marin.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2020-0070-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Novato Sanitary District.

The project is limited to reconstructing and stabilizing approximately 90 linear feet of the left bank and approximately 25 linear feet of the toe of the right bank of Vineyard Creek to protect an exposed 8-inch diameter sewer main pipeline.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Novato Sanitary District

Exempt Status:

Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1 and 33; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301 (b) and 15333

Reasons why project is exempt: The project purpose is to protect an existing utility, a sewer main pipeline. The project will also provide habitat enhancement and restoration through native planting and placement of rootwad structures in the channel in an area less than five acres in size.

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