



State of California – Natural Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Bay Area District
845 Casa Grande Road
Petaluma, CA 94954

PROJECT TITLE: San Francisco Solano Mission Fountain Rehabilitation

LOCATION: Sonoma State Historic Park ([Mission](#)) **COUNTY:** Sonoma

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Rehabilitate the non-historic fountain located in the courtyard of the San Francisco Solano Mission at Sonoma State Historic Park to restore its functionality and appearance. Work will:

- Install decomposed granite to level the surface of the courtyard surrounding rocks that form the collar at the base of the fountain and to the existing surface of the courtyard;
- Fill the trough that encircles the fountain with aggregate base rock topped with decomposed granite;
- Clean the rock walls of the exterior of the fountain;
- Remove the existing bricks, roof tiles and mortar of the fountain and replace with new bricks and mortar;
- Replace a cracked and damaged section of concrete in the fountain's basin;
- Replace the pipe and conduit that runs under the basin;
- Repaint the basin; and
- Add a new centerpiece and/or spray nozzle.

All work will meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Bay Area District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption *Class: 1* *Section: 15301*

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of maintenance and minor alterations of existing public facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing.

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