

January 25, 2021

Alameda County Clerk
1106 Madison Street
Oakland, CA 94607

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION FROM CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

LEAD AGENCY: East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD)

PROJECT TITLE: MLK Jr. Regional Shoreline Bay Trail Landscaping Project

PROJECT LOCATION: MLK Jr. Regional Shoreline within Oakland, CA

PROJECT APPLICANT: EBRPD, 2950 Peralta Oaks Court, Oakland, CA 94605

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project would plant 25 trees along the MLK Jr. Regional Shoreline, placing three within the boat ramp parking lot, 19 south of the boat ramp parking lot entrance, and three north of Swan Way and south of the fishing pier where two sections of trail merge and begin to travel northeast. Irrigation would also be installed.

An Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) was previously prepared and completed for the San Francisco Bay Trail Gap and Doolittle Drive Improvements Project in this area.

DETERMINATION: EBRPD has reviewed the project and determined it to be categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the following exemption:

- a. **14 CCR Section 15304(b) – Minor Alterations to Land.** The project consists of minor public alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation including the planting of new landscaping. The proposed activity has been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment.

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