

State of California  
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: State Clearinghouse  
Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 222  
Sacramento, CA 95814-3044

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation  
Central Valley District  
22708 Broadway Street  
Columbia, CA 95310

PROJECT TITLE: Fallon Theatre Basement Storage Area

LOCATION: Columbia State Historic Park, [Fallon Theater](#) COUNTY: Tuolumne

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Project will complete repairs at the the Historic Fallon Theatre located inside Columbia State Historic Park to protect and preserve the historic building, protect public health, and improve the visitor experience. Work will;

- Replace the eight (8) fixed panel windows in kind with TM Cobb wood single glazed 4 pane sashes.
- Replace window casing, trims, and sills with in kind with full dimension rough sawn cedar 1"x4" window trim, 2"x4" uprights, and 2"x10" windowsills;
- Use Fortiflash window flashing and exterior grade clear silicone to seal the windows, and window trims against water infiltration; and,
- Outside of the Fallon Theatre, replace in kind the full dimension 4"x6" posts, and the 2"x4" horizontals of the wood fence and repair or replace in kind the 1"x12" full dimension rough sawn fence boards.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Central Valley District

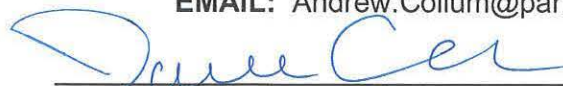
EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption  
Class:1, 2, 3 & 31 Section: 15301, 15302, 15303 &15331

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the operation, repair, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities and topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced; the construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures and is included as "Utility repairs or minor upgrades" and "fencing" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR § 15300.4; and consist of projects limited to maintenance, repair, restoration of historical resources, in a manner consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties with Guidelines for Preserving, Rehabilitating, Restoring, and Reconstructing Historic Buildings (1995), Weeks and Grimmer.

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