

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Lazy Creek Project. (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS- MEN-16026-R1C)

Project Location: The project is located within the Lazy Creek watershed, approximately 4 miles SE of the town of Navarro, County of Mendocino, State of California; Section 35, T15N, R15W, Mt. Diablo Base and Meridian, in the Philo U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle.

Project Description: The project is limited to 2 encroachments. The encroachments are for replacing failing stream crossings. Work for these encroachments will include excavation, removal of the failing crossings, replacement with new properly sized crossings, backfilling and compaction of fill, and rock armoring as necessary to minimize erosion.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE


Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Mike Powers

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 2; California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15302

Reasons why project is exempt: The project replaces an existing structure 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. There would be no significant adverse impact on endangered, threatened, or rare species or their habitat pursuant to §15065. There are no hazardous materials at or around the project site that may be disturbed or removed. The project will not result in impacts that are significant when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.

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