

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
County Clerk
County of: Sonoma County Clerk
2300 County Center Drive, Ste 177
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

From: (Public Agency): Town of Windsor
9291 Old Redwood Hwy
Windsor, CA 95492
(Address)

Project Title: Hiram Lewis Pickleball Courts

Project Applicant: Town of Windsor

Project Location - Specific:
9680 Brooks Road South, APN 161-070-054

Project Location - City: Windsor Project Location - County: Sonoma

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The Project includes the construction of four new pickleball courts in Hiram Lewis Park adjacent to existing tennis courts. The courts would be constructed in an area covered in lawn, which would be removed. Five landscape trees also would be removed. A section of pathway would be constructed to provide access to the pickleball courts from existing pathway. Perimeter fencing 10-feet in height and a gate to provide access to the courts also would be installed.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Windsor Town Council

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Town of Windsor Parks and Recreation Department

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 15301 (Existing Facilities) and Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land)
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) based on the following: The pickleball courts would be installed at an existing community park. This community park is intended to provide active recreation uses for use by the community and would expand the recreation uses at the park. The pickleball courts would be constructed adjacent to existing tennis courts. Lawn and five landscape trees would be removed. Minor grading on land with a slope of less than 10% would occur to construct the courts and pathway connection.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Olivia Lemen Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 707-838-5383

If filed by applicant:

- 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: [Signature] Date: 10/12/2021 Title: Town Manager

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR:
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.