



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Santa Cruz District
303 Big Trees Park Road
Felton, CA 95018

PROJECT TITLE: Cathedral Redwoods Sign Installation

LOCATION: Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park

COUNTY: Santa Cruz

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Install a new wooden sign at the entrance to Cathedral Redwoods grove in Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park to help establish the grove as a destination in the park and provide a landmark for wayfinding.

Work will:

- Use a posthole digger to excavate two (2) approximately 6in. x 6in. x 2ft. holes;
- Install one (1) 4in. x 4in. post in each hole;
- Backfill with excavated soil to secure the posts; and
- Attach an approximately 32in. x 12.5in. sign.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Santa Cruz District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption

Class: 3 & 4

Section: 15303 & 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new small facilities or structures included as "signs" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR §15300.4; and the minor public or private alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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