CEQA # 13589
District # 22-11

State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Diablo Range District
15751 Tesla Road
Livermore, CA 94550

PROJECT TITLE: Hollister Hills State Vehicular Recreation Area Lodge Camp Ramada

LOCATION: Hollister Hills State Vehicular Recreation Area   **COUNTY:** San Benito

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Project will construct a wooden shade ramada over existing day use picnic tables and fire ring located at Hollister Hills State Vehicular Recreation Area to protect visitors from the elements. Work will:

- Use an auger to excavate four (4) 12-inch diameter x 18-inch deep post holes set 10 feet apart;
- Backfill each hole with concrete and set one (1) Simpson strong tie attachment into the concrete;
- Use SDS screws to attach 6 in x 6 in wood posts to the Simpson attachments;
- Attach horizontal wood beams between the posts and attach metal roofing; and
- Scatter excavated materials on site.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Diablo Range District

EXEMPT STATUS:
Categorical Exemption   *Class:* 1, 3 & 4   *Section:* 15301, 15303 & 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the operation, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; construction and location of a limited number of new, small facilities or structures; and minor public or private alterations in the condition of land and vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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