

Notice of Categorical Exemption

The City of Shasta Lake proposes to carry out the following project. It has been determined that this project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA):

Project Title: 2022 Shasta Lake Hazard Mitigation Plan

Project Applicant: City of Shasta Lake
4477 Main St.
Shasta Lake, CA 96019

Project Location: City-wide

Date of Approval: 5/17/2022

Notice provided to:

Shasta County Clerk- Recorder
1643 Market St.
Redding, CA 96001

California Office of Planning and Research
Via ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/

DESCRIPTION OF NATURE, PURPOSE AND BENEFICIARIES OF THE PROJECT:

The project is adoption of the 2022 City of Shasta Lake Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) and amendment of the Shasta Lake General Plan (GPA No. 22-01). The Disaster Mitigation Act (DMA) of 2000 (Public Law 106-390) requires local governments to develop and adopt pre-disaster mitigation plans to minimize property damage and risk to the public that might result from the effects of natural or man-made disaster. Local communities must prepare LHMPs and update them in accordance with the Federal Act to remain eligible for FEMA mitigation project grants. The related General Plan amendment adopts the LHMP into the General Plan by reference.

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption(s). Section 15061(b)(3) (common sense exemption), and Section 15262 (Feasibility and Planning Studies).

REASON WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

This planning activity is categorically exempt under Title 14 of the Cal. Admin. Code Section 15061(b)(3)(common sense exemption) and Section 15262 (feasibility and planning studies), on a separate and independent basis. The commonsense exemption applies because it can be seen with certainty that the adoption of the LHMP and its' incorporation into the General Plan by reference, will not have a significant effect on the environment. The LHMP is a planning study

which informs the City of vulnerabilities to natural hazards and potential future actions to mitigate risks. Adoption of the LHMP and related General Plan Policy FS-f is not a commitment to any future action, nor is it a decision to approve, adopt, or fund any of the potential mitigation actions identified.

- No exceptions listed under Section 15300.2 apply

This Notice of Exemption is filed pursuant to the provisions of Section 15062 of the State CEQA Guidelines.

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