

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: San Antonio Creek Bridge Scour Mitigation Project (EA 04-3J080) (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SON-27123-R3).

Project Location (Sonoma): The Project is located at the San Antonio Creek Bridge (Bridge No. 20-0019Y) on former U.S. Highway - 101 at Post Mile (PM) 0.01 between the cities of Petaluma and Novato in Sonoma County, in the State of California.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SON-27123-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the California Department of Transportation, as represented by Lindsay Vivian.

The Project is limited to the San Antonio Creek Bridge Scour Mitigation Project (Project). The Project will install scour repair and structural improvements to preserve the structural integrity of Abutment 4 at the San Antonio Creek Bridge. The proposed scour mitigation measures include a steel sheet pile wall at Abutment 4 on the creek side. The sheet pile wall will be covered by a concrete cap that will connect back to the existing abutment footing. The sheet pile wall and pile cap will be 160 feet long x 1 inch (0.5 inch for each sheet) wide by 17 feet deep, and 160 feet long by 7 feet and 11 inches wide and 1 foot and 8 inches deep.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation, District 4

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 01; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301.

Reasons why project is exempt: This Project involves the repair and maintenance of an existing public facility involving a negligible or no expansion of the former use prior to construction.

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