

Notice of Exemption

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From:
Department of Fish and Wildlife
Region 1 - Northern
601 Locust Street
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1400 Tenth Street
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Project Title: Little Cow Creek Tributary Bank Stabilization Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement, EPIMS-SHA-24526-R1I)

Project Location (include county): The project is located at the northeast side of an unnamed tributary to Little Cow Creek, a Class I anadromous tributary to Cow Creek in the county of Shasta, state of California; Latitude 40.570636N, Longitude -122.246468W; The project is accessible by street address 9714 Hidden Lane, Palo Cedro, CA, 96073. Assessor's Parcel Number 059-300-22-00.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement, EPIMS-SHA-24526-R1I, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Julie Ann Bickford.

The project is limited to the installation of forty linear feet of rip-rap rock slope protection (RSP) to stabilize an eroding streambank and preserve existing oak trees. No native vegetation will be removed for project activities.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Julie Ann Bickford

Exempt Status:

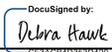
Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption.

- Type – **Class 1; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301**, Operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.
- Type – **Class 4; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15304**, Minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry and agricultural purposes.

Reasons why project is exempt: The bank stabilization project will create minor alterations to private land to prevent additional damage from active erosion at a segment of streambank. The project will help maintain the integrity of the bank and existing oak trees. There will be no expansion of use of the bank. The project will not result in the removal of any trees.

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