

Notice of Exemption

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From:

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Project Title: Llagas Creek Cleanup 2 (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SCL-32895-R3)

Project Location (Santa Clara County): The Project is located within Morgan Hill, Santa Clara County, California. The coordinates for the approximate center of the Project are 37.09126° N latitude and -121.6363° W longitude (NAD 83). The Project area stretches 1497 feet to the east of the intersection of Santa Teresa Blvd and Llagas Creek. The Assessor's Parcel Numbers are 779-03-140 and 779-33-051.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SCL-32895-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Robert Manrubia.

The Project is limited to removal of fallen dead vegetation, including branches and leaves, along 1,380 lineal feet of the northern bank of Llagas Creek. Work will not occur within the wetted portion of the channel. Work will be done with hand tools. Any chipping of removed material will occur outside the riparian area and disposed outside of the riparian area.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Robert Manrubia

Exempt Status:

Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (1); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301 (h)

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project is maintenance of existing native growth, with no expansion of existing use, limited to removal of fallen dead vegetation. Living native vegetation will not be modified.

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