

# CEQA Notice of Exemption

**To:** County of El Dorado, Recorder-Clerk's Office  
360 Fair Lane  
Placerville, CA 95667

**From:** El Dorado County  
Department of Transportation  
2850 Fairlane Court  
Placerville, CA 95667

**Project Title:** Caldor Fire Right-of-Way Hazardous Tree Removal, FEMA-4619-DR-CA, Project #547043

**Project Locations – Specific:** Caldor Fire burn scar in Grizzly Flats, CA.

**Project Location – City:** Unincorporated

**Project Location – County:** El Dorado

**Description of Project:** The project includes removal of identified dead trees that was burnt in the Caldor Fire. The vegetation presents hazards along the specific segments of the County roadways. There are no areas designated for staging. The contractor may arrange his or her own staging area with private property owners when necessary. The clearing and tree removal activities are limited to the right of way along County maintained roads. Utility relocation is not required and private property right of entry permits will not be needed. Short-term lane closures and traffic delays are anticipated during clearing and vegetation removal activities.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** El Dorado County Department of Transportation

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** El Dorado County Department of Transportation

**Exempt Status:** (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a);
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c);
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Existing Facilities Section 15301 Class 1 (h), Minor Alterations to Land Sec. 15304, Class 4(i) & Actions by Regulatory Agencies for Protection of Natural Resources Sec.
- Statutory Exemption: State Code Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 subsection (h) indicates operation, repair, and maintenance of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use including the maintenance of existing landscaping and native growth.

Class 4 subsection (i) consists of minor alterations to land for fuel management activities provided that the activities will not result in the taking of endangered, rare, or threatened plant or animal species or significant erosion and sedimentation of surface waters.

### Lead Agency

**Contact Person:** Brian Mullens, Deputy Director

**Phone:** (530) 642-4924

**Email Address:** brian.mullens@edcgov.us

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_



**FILED**

**Date:** 4/11/23

APR 12 2023

JANELLE K. HORNE, Recorder-Clerk

By Lana M. Rogers



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2023 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE**  
**CASH RECEIPT**  
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/23) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER: 09--04122023-036
STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY EL DORADO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL brian.mullens@edcgov.us	DATE 04/12/2023
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING EL DORADO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	DOCUMENT NUMBER FW2023-0036	

PROJECT TITLE  
 CALDOR FIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY HAZARDOUS TREE REMOVAL, FEMA-4619-DR-CA, PROJECT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME BRIAN MULLENS	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL brian.mullens@edcgov.us	PHONE NUMBER (530) 642-4924
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS EL DORADO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF	CITY PLACERVILLE	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95667

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency    
  School District    
  Other Special District    
  State Agency    
  Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$3,839.25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,764.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$1,305.25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Exempt from fee
  - Notice of Exemption (attach)
  - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
- Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

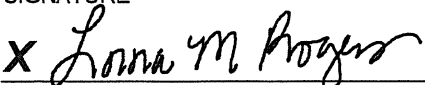
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- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- County documentary handling fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT METHOD:

Cash   
  Credit   
  Check   
  Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$0.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Janelle K. Horne Recorder-Clerk, by Lorna Rogers, Dpty
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