## **Notice of Exemption**

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Department of Fish and Wildlife 1701 Nimbus Road Rancho Cordova, CA 95670



Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814

**Project Title:** Sutter Creek Maintenance Project (Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. AMA-13940-R2)

From:

**Project Location:** The project is located on Sutter Creek, a tributary to Dry Creek, in the County of Amador, State of California; Latitude 38.352779, Longitude -120.932942; Section 25/26, Township 06N, Range 09E, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Ione, Mount Diablo Meridian.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has Amended Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number AMA-13940-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, City of Ione as represented by Janice Traverso.

The Amendment includes the extension of vegetation removal covered in Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement AMA-13940-R2 from Violet Lane to Mile 5 Bridge.

Public Agency Approving Project: <u>CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE</u>

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: <u>City of Ione as represented by Janice Traverso</u>

## **Exempt Status:**

Categorical Exemption. Type − Class (4); California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections (15304)

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The project is exempt because it consists of minor vegetation removal which does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees.

CDFW Contact Person: Zach Kearns, Environmental Scientist, (916) 358-1134

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_9/20/2023

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