## **Notice of Exemption**

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



**Project Title:** Gordon Slough Repair and Enhancement Project (Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. YOL-30808-R2)

**Project Location:** The project is located on Gordon Slough in the County of Yolo, State of California; the Gordon Slough Erosion Repair Project, Project 1, will be located at 38.69080, -121.87140; the Gordon Slough Flood Vegetation Project, Project 2, will be located at 38.69042, -121.87077; the Gordon Slough Vegetation and Habitat Enhancement Project, Project 3, will be located starting at 38.69571, -121.91291 to where the slough meets Cache Creek at 38.68844, -121.86727.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number YOL-30808-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Cache Creek Conservancy, as represented by Nancy Ullrey.

The Gordon Slough repair and Enhancement Project includes erosion repair along the bank of Gordon Slough, removal of Himalayan blackberry and other invasive plants, and installation of native species.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: Cache Creek Conservancy as represented by Nancy Ullrey

## **Exempt Status:**

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Project consists of private alteration to land without the removal of healthy, mature trees; Project is smaller than 5 acres and is intended to remove invasive plant species and reestablish native plant species within Gordon Slough.

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