

State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Northern Buttes District
400 Glen Drive
Oroville, CA 95966

PROJECT TITLE: Banner Pulley System

LOCATION: Weaverville Joss House State Historic Park **COUNTY:** Trinity

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: This project proposes to install a pulley system in the interior of the temple at Joss House State Historic Park to allow for the secure raising and lowering of two long and fragile silk banners that are original historic temple objects. Conservator's will design the pulley system onsite and installation of the system will be overseen by an Historian to determine the best location and method of installation to ensure the finished work does not alter the historic appearance, feel and character-defining elements of the temple's interior.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Northern Buttes District

EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemption
Class: 31 *Section:* 15331

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of projects limited to the maintenance, repair, stabilization, rehabilitation, restoration, preservation, conservation or reconstruction of historical resources in a manner consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties with Guidelines for Preserving, Rehabilitating, Restoring, and Reconstructing Historic Buildings (1995), Weeks and Grimmer.

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