

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

The Santa Cruz County Planning Division has reviewed the project described below and has determined that it is exempt from the provisions of CEQA as specified in Sections 15061 - 15332 of CEQA for the reason(s) which have been specified in this document.

Application Number: 231011
Assessor Parcel Number: 109-112-02
Project Location: 471 Hawks Ridge Lane

Project Description: Construct a 2,400 square-foot garage and storage area, attached to a 1,200 square foot Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) by a 440-square foot breezeway.

Person or Agency Proposing Project: Nate Blackmore

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- A. The proposed activity is not a project under CEQA Guidelines Section 15378.
B. The proposed activity is not subject to CEQA as specified under CEQA Guidelines Section 15060 (c).
C. **Ministerial Project** involving only the use of fixed standards or objective measurements without personal judgment.
D. **Statutory Exemption** other than a Ministerial Project (CEQA Guidelines Section 15260 to 15285).
E. **Categorical Exemption**

Specify type: Class 3 - New Construction; Conversion of small structures (Section 15303)

F. Reasons why the project is exempt:

Construction of a residential accessory structure in an area designated for residential uses.

In addition, none of the conditions described in Section 15300.2 apply to this project.

Michael Lam
Michael Lam, Project Planner

Date: January 25, 2024