

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: Department of Fish and Wildlife
Wildlife Conservation Board
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, CA 99244-2090

County Clerk (County of): N/A

Attention: Jen Stanfield

Project Title: One Tam Forest Conservation

Project Applicant: Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB)

Project Location – Specific: APN(s)

Angel Island State Park, Tiburon; China Camp State Park, San Rafael

Project Location – City: Multiple public park properties

Project Location – County: Marin

CEQA Region: N. CA

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Benefits of Project:

To consider the allocation for a grant to the Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy for a cooperative project with the California Department of Parks and Recreation, the National Parks Service, and Marin Municipal Water District for forest health treatments on approximately 1,100 acres on several properties in Marin County to increase forest health and biodiversity while decreasing vulnerability to wildfire and climate change. WCB Project Tracker ID: 2023238.

Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Fish and Wildlife, WCB

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out the Project: Rebecca J. Fris, Deputy Executive Director, WCB

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Sec. 15268):
- Declared Emergency [Sec. 15269 (a)]:
- Emergency Project [Sec. 15269 (b) and (c)]:
- Categorical Exemption. State Section number and type: Section 15301 - Existing Facilities; Section 15304 - Minor Alterations to Land
- Statutory Exemptions, State code Number:
- Other:

Reasons why this project is exempt:

Project consists of the operation, maintenance or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels and minor public or private alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes, and is included as "resource management projects" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Rebecca J. Fris

Area Code/Telephone Extension: (916) 212-5637

If filed by applicant: 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a notice of exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes, (by this notice) No

Signature:  **Title:** Deputy Executive Director **Date:** 2/16/2024

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Section 21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resources Code

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WCB Board Meeting Folder