



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  
Diablo Range District  
15751 Tesla Road  
Livermore, CA 94550

**PROJECT TITLE:** Water Tank Access Project

**LOCATION:** Carnegie State Vehicular Recreation Area

**COUNTY:** San Joaquin

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** The purpose of this project is to maintain year-round road access to two (2) potable water tanks at Carnegie State Vehicular Recreation Area (SVRA) to comply with daily testing requirements. Project work will place 10-ft x 8-ft articulated concrete block mats along approximately 1,648 feet of existing dirt roads. A State Parks Equipment Operator will use a backhoe to place the mats and support staff will backfill around each mat with road base after placement.

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

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Diablo Range District


**EXEMPT STATUS:**

Categorical Exemption      *Class:* 1      *Section:* 15301

**REASONS WHY 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.

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