

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION
(For filing pursuant to Public Resources Code, Section 21152)

TO: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

FROM: (Lead Agency)
ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS AGENCY
951 Turner Court
Hayward, CA 94545

X Alameda County Clerk-Recorder
1106 Madison Street, 1st Floor
Oakland, CA 94607

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MELISSA WILK, County Clerk
By  Deputy

Project Title: On-Call Tree Management Within Unincorporated Areas of Alameda County

Project Location - Specific: Various Locations in Unincorporated Alameda County

Project Location - City: Various Unincorporated Area Project Location - County: Alameda

Description of, Nature, and Purpose of Project: The Alameda County Public Works Agency (ACPWA) routinely maintain approximately 471 centerline miles of roadways in the unincorporated areas of Alameda County. County trees in need of trimming or removal may be located on access roads, unincorporated roadways, vacant lots, median islands, and other unincorporated parcels. Tree trimming and tree removal services (emergency or non-emergency) are required on an as-needed basis, year-round. Trees in need of trimming or removal under contract are related to unsafe or deteriorating trees, down trees or branches due to strong wind, or hazardous trees. Trees located near utility and communications lines, service drop lines or fence lines will require occasional maintenance trimming for reduction of fuel management. Tree removal require whole or partial trees that are standing on or have fallen onto ACPWA property and are in need of removal due to disease, old age, flooding potential, right-of-way obstruction, and/or are deemed an imminent threat to public safety. Emergency trees trimming or removal in response to weather events and/or traffic incidents, removal of dead trees, woody debris and other vegetation to reduce volume of flammable fuel as necessary. Tree stump grinding and/or treatment sometimes will also be required.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Alameda County Public Works Agency-R60032-ES1

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Alameda County Public Works Agency

EXEMPT STATUS (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
 Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080 (b)(3); 15269 (a));
 Emergency Project (Sec. 21080 (b)(4); 15269(b)(c));

This is an emergency project as described in the State Guidelines (Sec. 15269, 15359) and/or County Guidelines (Sec. 6.51). Projects undertaken, carried out, or approved by a public agency to maintain, repair, or restore an existing highway damaged by fire, flood, storm, earthquake; and subsidence, gradual earth movement, or landslide, provided that the project is within existing Right-Of-Way of that highway and is imitated within one year of the damage occurring. The Exemption does not apply to highways designated as official state scenic highways, nor any project undertaken, carried out, or approved by a public agency to expand or widen a highway damaged by fire, flood, storm, earthquake, land subsidence, gradual earth movement, or landslide.

- Categorical Exemption (Sec 15301) Existing Facilities:

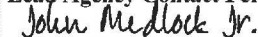
The project is categorically exempt as described in State CEQA Guidelines (Sec. 15301 Existing Facilities): Class 1 consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination and

(Sec 15304 (i) Minor Land Alterations): Class 4 (i) Fuel management activities within 30 feet of structures to reduce the volume of flammable vegetation, provided that the activities will not result in the taking of endangered, rare, or threatened plant or animal species or significant erosion and sedimentation of surface waters.

- Statutory Exemption (state section number):

Reasons Why Project Is Exempt: The proposed project constitutes repair, maintenance, and minor alteration to existing public facilities involving negligible expansion of use, fuel management and volume of flammable reduction activities or define as emergency project per CEQA.

Lead Agency Contact Person: John Medlock, Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (510) 670-5504



3/3/2024 | 12:07 PM PST

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS

Signature

Date

Title

***ENVIRONMENTAL DECLARATION**
(CALIFORNIA FISH AND GAME CODE SECTION 711.4)

LEAD AGENCY: NAME AND ADDRESS
Alameda County Public Works Agency
Attn: John Medlock
951 Turner Court
Hayward, CA 94545

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By MELISSA WILK, County Clerk Deputy

FILE NO.: 24-074

CLASSIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT:

1. NOTICE OF EXEMPTION / STATEMENT OF EXEMPTION

- A – STATUTORILY OR CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT
\$ 50 (Fifty Dollars) – CLERK’S FEE

2. NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

- A – NEGATIVE DECLARATION (MITIGATED)
\$ 2,916.75 – STATE FILING FEE
\$ 50 (Fifty Dollars) – CLERK’S FEE

- B – ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT
\$ 4,051.25 – STATE FILING FEE
\$ 50 (Fifty Dollars) – CLERK’S FEE

3. OTHER (SPECIFY) _____

\$ 50 (Fifty Dollars) – CLERK’S FEE

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APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING AN ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT WITH THE ALAMEDA COUNTY CLERK’S OFFICE.



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2024 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/24) Previously DFG 753.5a

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AC RECEIPT #: 3573923

RECEIPT NUMBER:
01-03/08/2024-074
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS AGENCY	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 03/08/2024
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING ALAMEDA	DOCUMENT NUMBER 24 - 074	

PROJECT TITLE
ON-CALL TREE MANAGEMENT WITHIN UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME JOHN MEDLOCK	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (510) 670-5504
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 951 TURNER COURT	CITY HAYWARD	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 94545

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency
 School District
 Other Special District
 State Agency
 Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$4,051.25 \$ _____ 0.00
- Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,916.75 \$ _____ 0.00
- Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$1,377.25 \$ _____ 0.00
- Exempt from fee
 - Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
- Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)
- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ _____ 0.00
- County documentary handling fee \$ _____ 50.00
- Other \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash
 Credit
 Check
 Other
 TOTAL RECEIVED \$ _____ 50.00

SIGNATURE X	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE SH, DEPUTY CLERK
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ALAMEDA COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER
1106 MADISON STREET
OAKLAND, CA 94607
(510)272-6362

ISSUED TO: IDSD - PUBLIC WORKS AGENCY

RECEIPT # 3573923
DATE 03/08/2024 09:58:47 AM

SERVICE	PGS	QTY	FEE
CASHIERING			
HANDLING FEE	1	1	50.00
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Total Amount Due			\$50.00

ON ACCT 5176			50.00
			=====
Total Amount Paid			\$50.00

Balance for Account #5176 as of
March 08, 2024 09:58:48 AM IS
-\$571.00

MELISSA WILK
County Clerk-Recorder
Deputy: Sandy H