<b>Notice of Exemption</b>
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From:

Department of Fish and Wildlife 1701 Nimbus Road Rancho Cordova, CA 95670



Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814

**Project Title:** Dogtown Rd (Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. CAL-42910-R2)

**Project Location:** The project is located at an unnamed pond, in the County of Calaveras, State of California; Latitude 38.094868, Longitude -120.561021 (WGS 84 datum, decimal degrees); Assessor's Parcel Number 057-001-048-000.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number CAL-42910-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Jonathan Niemuth.

The project is limited to the removal of up to 500 linear feet of cattails and installation of a pump to divert up to 200 gallons per minute of purchased water for the purpose of irrigation and recirculation.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: Jonathan Niemuth

## **Exempt Status:**

Categorical Exemption. Type − Class (1 & 4); California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections (15301 & 15304)

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The project is exempt under section 153031 because it involves the minor alteration of existing private topographical features with negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. The project is exempt under section 15304 because it involves minor alterations to land which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees.

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