

**State of California
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
7806 Folsom-Auburn Road
Folsom, CA 95630

PROJECT TITLE: Folsom Powerhouse Entrance Signs

LOCATION: Folsom Powerhouse State Historic Park **COUNTY:** Sacramento

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Install two (2) new entrance signs at the entrance to Folsom Powerhouse State Historic Park to give greater visibility to the entrance for park visitors. Heavy equipment and hand tools will be used to:

- Remove the existing entrance sign;
- Minimally prune existing nearby trees;
- Excavate four (4) 10 inch wide by 24-inch deep holes;
- Install four (4) 6-in x 6-inch x 7-ft tall posts and back fill with concrete to set; and
- Attach one (1) 74-inch-wide x 48-inch-tall sign to each set of posts.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Gold Fields District


EXEMPT STATUS:

× Categorical Exemption Class: 1, 3 & 4 Section: 15301, 15303 & 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the operation or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures and is included as "Construction or installation of park facilities, such as signs" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4; and minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water and/or vegetation which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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