

Notice of Exemption

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From:

Department of Fish and Wildlife

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Project Title: 724557 - Warm Springs - Santa Clara (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SCL-41145-R3)

Project Location (Santa Clara County and Alameda County): Agua Caliente Creek (37.493842, -121.931919), unnamed stream channel (37.46975, -121.918089), Calera Creek (37.446224, -121.908916), Berryessa Creek (37.437804, -121.901418), unnamed stream channel (37.407728, -121.8957), Coyote Creek (37.377665, -121.89573), and Guadalupe River (37.334642, -121.899475).

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SCL-41145-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Boldyn Networks US LLC (FKA Mobilitie LLC), as represented by Eric Andresen.

The Project includes installation of a total of approximately 2,300 linear feet of 2-inch fiber optic cables across streams by horizontal directional drilling (HDD) or attachment to existing bridges, as listed in the table below. HDD bore pits are located within existing paved roadways and are outside of the riparian area.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Boldyn Networks US LLC (FKA Mobilitie LLC)

Exempt Status:

Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (3) California Code of Regulations, title 14, section (15303(d))

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project includes construction of a new utility extensions of reasonable length.

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