



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

RECEIPT NUMBER:  
49-07112024-216

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

**SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.**

LEAD AGENCY SONOMA COUNTY REGIONAL PARKS	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 07/11/2024
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COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING SONOMA	DOCUMENT NUMBER 24-0711-01
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PROJECT TITLE  
HOOD MOUNTAIN REGIONAL PARK – POWERLINE EASEMENT TO PG&E

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME SONOMA COUNTY REGIONAL PARKS	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (707) 565-2041
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PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 2300 COUNTY CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 120A	CITY SANTA ROSA	STATE CA	ZIP CODE 95403
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**PROJECT APPLICANT** (Check appropriate box)

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

**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**

- |   |            |          |
|---|------------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)  | \$4,051.25 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)                                   | \$2,916.75 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW | \$1,377.25 | \$ _____ |

- Exempt from fee  
      Notice of Exemption (attach)  
      CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)  
 Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

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|---|----------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) | \$850.00 | \$ _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee   |          | \$ 50.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other  |          | \$ _____ |

**PAYMENT METHOD:**

- Cash   
  Credit   
  Check   
  Other

**TOTAL RECEIVED**    \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Christina Prado-Mendoza, Deputy County Clerk-Recorder
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This notice was posted on 07/11/2024 and will remain posted for a period of thirty days through 08/11/2024

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# NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**To:** County Clerk, Sonoma County  
585 Fiscal Dr., Room 103  
Santa Rosa, California 95403

**From:** Sonoma County Regional Parks  
2300 County Center Drive, Suite 120A  
Santa Rosa, California 95403

The Sonoma County Regional Parks Department, pursuant to Section 23A-11 of the Sonoma County Code, determines that the following project is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act:

**HOOD MOUNTAIN REGIONAL PARK – Powerline Easement to PG&E**

**Project Title**

Hood Mountain Regional Park 051-190-010

**Project Location - Specific** **APN**

Santa Rosa Sonoma

**Project Location - City** **Project Location - County**

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** Sonoma County Regional Parks will grant a non-exclusive easement to PG & E for the purpose of replacing the overhead powerlines burned in the 2020 Glass Fire with underground lines to restore service to 8050 Pythian Road. The easement will be a 10-foot-wide path along the original power line alignment. The granting of the easement and installation of underground power lines will not interfere with current or future park facilities. Granting the easement is an administrative step necessary to the installation of the power lines, and has no other purpose, Sonoma County Regional Parks considers the undergrounding of the power lines on the existing alignment as the whole of the project to be assessed under CEQA.

Sonoma County

Sonoma County Regional Parks Department

**Public Agency Approving Project**

**Person or Agency Carrying Out Project**

**Exempt Status**

- Ministerial [§21080(b)(1); §15268; §15266(b)(c)]
- Declared Emergency [§21080(b)(3); §15269(a)]
- Emergency Project §21080(b)(4)
- Statutory Exemption §15260-15285
- General Rule §15061(b)(3): Review for Exemption
- Categorical Exemption

Deva Marie Proto, County Clerk  
BY: *CPM*  
Christina Prado-Mendoza, Deputy Clerk

**Reasons why project is exempt:** This project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Section 15302(d) of Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3 of the California Code of Regulations (conversion of overhead electric utility distribution system facilities underground) because the new power lines will be located on the same site as the original overhead lines being replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity.

**Karen E.  
DavisBrown**

Digitally signed by Karen E.  
DavisBrown  
Date: 2024.07.10 17:01:30 -07'00'

**Contact Person:** Karen Davis-Brown, Park Planner II  
Sonoma County Regional Parks Department

**Telephone Number:** (707) 565-2041

**Date:** July 10, 2024