

## Notice of Exemption

**To:**

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**From:**

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**Project Title:** Oak Run Creek Low Water Crossing (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SHA-45621-R1)

**Project Location (Shasta):** The project is located on Oak Run Creek, Shasta County; 40.621492°N, 122.10745°W; Section 20, Township 32N, Range 02W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Clough Gulch, Mt. Diablo Base and Meridian; 11875 Oak Run Road; Assessor's Parcel Number 097-420-006-000.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SHA-45621-R1, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Alan Mahoney.

The project is limited to re-grading the sloped roadway approaches to the existing low water crossing, stabilizing the streambank upstream and downstream of the crossing with 24-inch rock slope protection, and seasonal maintenance of the streambed for intermittent farm-related vehicular traffic.

**Public Agency Approving Project:** CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

**Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:** Alan Mahoney

**Exempt Status:**

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. **Type – Class (1); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301** - 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.

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The project is limited to improving and maintaining an existing low water crossing and reduces the amount of sediment entering the stream. There will be no expansion from the existing use. Large, mature vegetation will be retained along the streambanks. The project will not affect special status wildlife or plant species.

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