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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Project Title: Fort Bragg Sherwood Road Culvert Replacement

Project Locations: Fort Bragg Sherwood Rd., CR 419, Milepost 29.54

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project will replace one stream crossing culvert on Fort Bragg Sherwood Road. The existing culvert pipe is heavily corroded and has reached the end of its operational service life. The culvert crossing conveys flows from an un-named ephemeral stream.

The new culvert pipe will be installed at the same location and approximate depth as the existing pipe and has been sized to pass the peak discharge of a 100-year storm event. The new culvert pipe will be backfilled with Class II aggregate base. The road section will be resurfaced to match existing. Concrete headwalls will be installed at the inlet and outlet of the new culvert pipe to protect the road embankments from erosion. The work will be completed during the dry season. It is anticipated that the stream will be completely dry during culvert replacement activities. Heavy equipment will be operated from the road surface. Work will take place within the roadway, and areas immediately adjacent to the roadway (i.e. road shoulders, road embankments). No trees will be removed and disturbance to vegetation will be minimal. Fort Bragg Sherwood Road will remain open with traffic control at the work location during construction. The project will not impact sensitive cultural or biological resources. Beneficiaries of the project are the traveling public.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Mendocino Department of Transportation

Name of Public Agency Carrying Out Project: County of Mendocino Department of Transportation

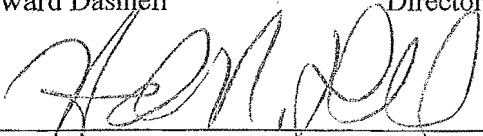
Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial [§15268]
- Declared Emergency [§21080(b)(3); 15269(a)]
- Emergency Project [§21080(b)(4); 15269(b) and (c)]
- Categorical Exemption §15302

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15302, provides a categorical exemption for the replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced.

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