



State of California – The Resources Agency
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
Gold Fields District
7806 Folsom-Auburn Road
Folsom, CA 95630

PROJECT TITLE: NORCOM Outside Facility Upgrade

LOCATION: Northern Communication Center **COUNTY:** Sacramento
Prairie City State Vehicular Recreation Area

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: This project will create a small outdoor break area and install a trailer pad for the incident command trailer located at the NORCOM facility within Prairie City State Vehicular Recreation Area. Work will use heavy equipment and hand tools to complete the following work:

For the Break Area:

- Move cobble and level the ground;
- Dig four (4) 12-inch-wide by 24-inch-deep holes and backfill with concrete for footings; and
- Construct the shade ramada and install artificial turf under the shade ramada.

For the Trailer Pad:

- Remove one (1) oak tree;
- Dig four (4) 12-inch-wide by 24-inch-deep holes and backfill with concrete for metal awning footings;
- Add road base to an approx.15 foot wide by 30-foot-long area to serve as a parking spot for the incident command trailer;
- Remove a section of existing fencing; and
- Pour a 6-inch-deep by 18-inch-wide by 32-foot-long concrete pad and install a track for a 16-foot rolling gate.

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* *Section: 15301 & 15303*

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the operation, maintenance or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels and construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures listed as “Construction or installation of park facilities, such as fencing and gates” in the Department of Parks and Recreation’s list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR § 15300.4.

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