

Notice of Exemption

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From:

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Project Title: Webb Canyon Retaining Wall Project (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-SCL-50601-R3)

Project Location (Santa Clara County): The project is located at an unnamed tributary to Golf Creek, tributary to Alamitos Creek, bordering approximately 100 feet of Webb Canyon Drive in Almaden Quicksilver County Park, in unincorporated Santa Clara County, State of California; Latitude 37.201459, Longitude -121.863751; Assessor's Parcel Number 581-27-006.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-SCL-50601-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to San Jose Water Company, as represented by Jared Lewis.

The project will restore vehicle access to a municipal water tank by repairing storm-damage to a culvert outflow structure and by installing a new retaining wall around the culvert to abate erosion downslope and adjacent to Webb Canyon Drive.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: San Jose Water Company (as represented by Jared Lewis)

Exempt Status:

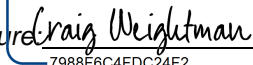
Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Types:

- Class 1(c); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301;
- Class 3; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15303; and
- Class 4; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 14304.

Reasons why project is exempt: The project includes repair with minor alteration of existing structures (an existing road's culvert outflow, involving negligible or no expansion of existing former use). The project includes new construction of small structures (a retaining wall for existing road/slope stabilization). The project includes minor alterations to land which do not include removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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Signature:  Date: 10/25/2024
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