



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: 49-12242024-421
STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

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LEAD AGENCY SONOMA COUNTY PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 12/24/2024
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING SONOMA	DOCUMENT NUMBER 24-1224-04	

PROJECT TITLE
DECEMBER 2024 EAST AUSTIN CREEK ROAD EMERGENCY

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME SONOMA COUNTY PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (707) 565-3311
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 400 AVIATION BOULEVARD SUITE 100	CITY SANTA ROSA	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95403

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

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

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

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

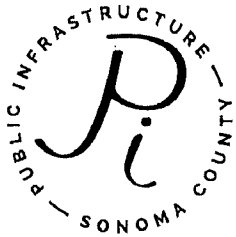
- Exempt from fee
 - Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
- Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ _____
- County documentary handling fee \$ _____ \$50.00
- 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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Sonoma County Public Infrastructure

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Sonoma County proposes to carry out the following project. Pursuant to Section 23A-11 of the Sonoma County Code, it has been determined that this project is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA):

Project Title: December 2024 East Austin Creek Road Emergency

Lead Agency / County Agency of Filing: Sonoma County

Project Proponent (Applicant): Sonoma County Public Infrastructure

Applicant Address: 400 Aviation Boulevard, Suite 100, Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Project Location: East Austin Creek Road (38.515199, -123.065804)

Date of Approval: 11/26/2024

Exemption Filed With: Sonoma County Clerk

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Sonoma County Public Infrastructure will repair a bank failure on East Austin Creek Road. Rain events occurring in November and December 2024 caused erosion and bank slip out of approximately 70 linear feet up to the edge of pavement of East Austin Creek Road in the community of Cazadero. This project consists of installation of rock slope protection to stabilize the bank and maintain the integrity of the roadway. Erosion and sediment control BMPs will be used and installed.

REASON WHY THIS PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

The proposed project is statutorily exempt pursuant to Section 15269 [Emergency Projects]. Section 15269 (b) exempts an emergency repair to publicly owned facilities necessary to maintain service essential to the public safety or welfare; (c) specific actions necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency; (d) a project approved by a public agency to maintain, repair, or restore an existing highway damaged by fire, flood, storm, earthquake, land subsidence, gradual earth movement, or landslide, provided that the project is within the existing right of way of that highway and is initiated within one year of the damage occurring. The proposed project is categorically exempt pursuant to Sections 15301 [Existing Facilities] and 15302 [Replacement or Reconstruction]. Section 15301 (c) exempts the repair or minor alteration of existing highways and streets, sidewalks, gutters, bicycle and pedestrian trails, and similar facilities. Section 15302 (c) exempts the replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems and /or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity. No exceptions listed under Section 15300.2 apply. There is no reasonable possibility that the project would have a significant effect on the environment.

This Notice of Exemption is filed pursuant to the provisions of Sections 15062 of the State CEQA Guidelines.

Contact Person:

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This notice was posted on 12/24/2024
and will remain posted for a period of thirty days
through 01/24/2025

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Deva Marie Proto, County Clerk

BY:
Christina Prado-Mendoza, Deputy Clerk