

**CEQA # 14241  
District Project # 25-14**



**State of California – The Resources Agency  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
Diablo Range District  
15751 Tesla Road  
Livermore, CA 94550

**PROJECT TITLE:** Live Oak Campground Conduit Burial

**LOCATION:** Mount Diablo State Park

**COUNTY:** Contra Costa

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** The purpose of this project is to excavate a trench for an additional utility line in a previously disturbed alignment in the Live Oak Campground at Mount Diablo State Park to correct the current non-compliant power system for the resident. Work will be completed by State Parks staff during dry conditions. Work will:

- Use heavy equipment to excavate an approximately 70-foot long x 24-inch wide x 30-inch deep trench;
- Place a 1.5-inch PVC electrical conduit in the trench alongside the existing conduit and backfill with excavated materials;
- Disconnect the old conduit, remove the existing hazardously spliced line, and pull new wire through the existing and newly placed conduit;
- Separate conductors into appropriately rated arc/ground fault pairs;
- Use a screw/washer assembly to install new a subpanel below the existing meter on wooden support post; and
- Use liquid tight flexible metallic conduit to connect both the new and existing conduits to the new subpanel.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Diablo Range District

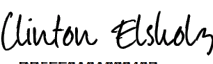
**EXEMPT STATUS:**

Categorical Exemption      *Class:* 1, 3 & 4      *Section:* 15301, 15303 & 15304

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels; construction and location of a limited number of new, small facilities or structures; and minor public or private alterations in the condition of land and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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