

To: County Clerk  
County of Humboldt

From: (Public Agency): County of Humboldt  
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Lead Agency (if different from above):

Planner: Andrew Whitney

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Assessor Parcel

Number: 512-231-036-000

Record ID: EH-WWELLA-25-000014

Project Title: Smith Domestic Well

Project Applicant: Rich Well Drilling and Pump Service

Project Location - Specific: 245 Burnt Stump Rd, McKinleyville CA

Project Location - City: McKinleyville Project Location - County: Humboldt

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Construction of a new domestic water well

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Humboldt County DHHS-Division of Environmental Health

Name of Person or Agency Carrying out Project: Rich Well Drilling and Pump Service

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: **15303**
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why the project is exempt:

The project was found exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act for the following reasons. The project is exempt from environmental review per Sections 15303 (New Construction), which applies to new construction or conversion of small structures. Furthermore, none of the exceptions to a Categorical Exemption pursuant to Section 15300.2 apply to the project. Therefore, the project may be found to be exempt from environmental review the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines.

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If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes  No



Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 4/21/2025 Title: Associate Planner

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_ Reference: