



**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  
Gold Fields District  
7806 Folsom-Auburn Road  
Folsom, CA 95630

**PROJECT TITLE:** Shooting Range Paving Project

**LOCATION:** Prairie City State Vehicular Recreation Area

**COUNTY:** Sacramento

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** This project will consist of repairs to the electrical for the lighting systems and paving a portion of the shooting range within Prairie City State Vehicular Recreation Area to improve safety and usability. Work will use heavy equipment and hand tools to complete the following work:

- Dig a 2-foot wide by 2-foot deep by approximately 508-foot long trench and install 1-inch PVC electrical conduit for new electrical;
- Grade and excavate up to 3 inches of existing base material from an approximately 12,600 square foot area of the shooting range;
- Compact the remaining base materials; and
- Install a 3.5-inch deep asphalt pad in the excavated area.

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

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Gold Fields District

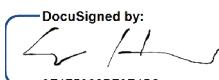
**EXEMPT STATUS:**

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

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the operation, or minor alteration of existing public or private structure, facilities, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond current levels, included as "Utility repairs or minor upgrades" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR §15300.4; construction and location of limited numbers 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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