Notice Of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research

State Clearinghouse 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814 From: Department of Fish and Wildlife WILDLIFE CONSERVATION BOARD Mailing address: P.O. Box 944209 Sacramento, CA 94244-2090

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County Clerk (County of): N/A

Attention: Sadie Smith

Project Title: Sierra Valley Conservation Area, Expansion 4 (Grashuis)

Project Applicant: Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB)

Project Location - Specific: APNs 010-010-077, 078, 082

Project Location - City: Beckwourth

Project Location - County: Plumas

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: A grant to Feather River Land Trust for a cooperative project with the Natural Resources Conservation Service to acquire a conservation easement over 468± acres of land for the protection and preservation of deer range habitat, wildlife corridors, rangeland, grasslands, grazing land and agriculture, and protection of sensitive species.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Fish and Wildlife, WCB

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: John P. Donnelly, Executive Director, WCB Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Sec. 15073):
 - Declared Emergency [Sec. 15071 (a)]:
 - Emergency Project [Sec. 15071 (b) and (c)]:
- Categorical Exemption. State Section number and type:
 - Section 15313, Class 13 and Section 15325, Class 25
 - Statutory Exemptions, State code Number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project involves the acquisition of land for wildlife conservation purposes and the transfer of an ownership interest in land to preserve open space and habitat, including plant or animal habitats.

Lead Agency Contact Person: John P. Donnelly

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 445-0137

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? Xes (by this notice) No

Signature:

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Date: <u>5/22/19</u>

Title: Executive Director

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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