



**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION 2019088067**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Underground Power Install at 7720 Cienega Road

**LOCATION:** Hollister Hills State Vehicular Recreation Area      **COUNTY:** San Benito

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Re-install underground power to a trailer pad at 7720 Cienega Road at Hollister Hills State Vehicular Recreation Area to provide electrical services that are up to current code. The project will:

- Use a backhoe to excavate an approximately 18" deep by 18" wide by 225' long trench, hand dig around tree roots to avoid impacts to native oaks and historic walnut trees;
- Install a 2" diameter by 125' long electrical conduit and pull wires through;
- Backfill trench with excavated spoils; and
- Connect new electrical lines to the existing meter box.

**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: 3 & 4    Section: 15303 & 15304*

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures and minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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