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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Project Title: Routine Maintenance Program (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. 1600-2018-0308-R3, Amendment No. 1)

Project Location (Sonoma County): The project is located at Austin, Badger, Coffee, Colgan, Countryside, North Fork Ducker, South Fork Ducker, Finley, Kawana Springs, Laurel, Lornadell, West Fork Paulin, Poppy, Sierra Park, Spring, and Skyhawk creeks, as well as at tributaries to these creeks, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has amended Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement Notification No. 1600-2018-0308-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the City of Santa Rosa.

The routine maintenance project includes vegetation management including limbing and trimming of tree branches, mowing of banks, and removal of fallen and dead trees as well as willows and cattails from the channel. The project also includes sediment management in and around bridges, culverts, storm drain outlets and diversion structures, as well as within the stream channel and bank. Activities also include minor bridge and road maintenance work, culvert repair, stormwater outfall maintenance, and trash removal.

This project as amended includes new project locations within the City of Santa Rosa. Project activities remain unchanged.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

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Exempt Status:

☐ Statutory Exemption.

☒ Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (1); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301

Reasons why project is exempt: Project is maintenance of existing facilities.

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