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State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
17801 Lake Perris Drive Bld. G
Perris, CA 92571

PROJECT TITLE: Arroyo Restoration Project

LOCATION: California Citrus State Historic Park **COUNTY:** Riverside

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: The project proposes to restore 4.98 acres of native habitat within an area locally known as "The Arroyo "at California Citrus State Historic Park (Cal-Citrus), which currently supports an extensive grove of invasive eucalyptus. The project would reduce the threat of hazardous wildfire as well as reduce the danger to visitors of falling limbs that eucalyptus trees are prone to. The project will consist of phases that include the removal of trees and be followed by habitat restoration.

Further detail about the project and measures to be implemented to avoid and/or minimize impact may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Inland Empire

EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section)
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class:33 *Section:* 15333(d) (1)

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: No potential for significant impact to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the project description including conditions provided by CDPR specialists, then it is exempt under CEQA §15333 - Small Habitat Restoration Projects: Projects not to exceed five acres in size to assure the maintenance, restoration, enhancement, or protection of habitat for plants or wildlife including the revegetation of disturbed areas with native plant species.

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