

21-2025-159
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: Marin Resource Conservation District
P.O. Box 1146 / 80 4th Street
Pt. Reyes Station, CA 94956

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Project Title: 2025 Riparian Restoration Projects

Specific Project Location: 2025-01: 3501 Middle Road, Petaluma CA 94952
2025-09: 6195 Chileno Valley Road, Petaluma, CA, 94952
2025-10: 6901 Point Reyes Petaluma Road, Petaluma, CA 94952
2025-11: 1000 Marshall Petaluma Road, Petaluma CA 94952

Project Location: Stemple Creek, Lagunitas and Walker Creek Watersheds, Marin County

Description of Project:

2025-01: A roughly 950 linear foot riparian corridor will be stabilized using waddles and erosion control fabric, and planted with approximately 300 plants to improve drainage, slow the spread of water, and increase native species populations.

2025-09: A roughly 675 linear foot riparian corridor will be planted with approximately 256 plants as a continuation of a large, multi-phase project to increase wildlife habitat, reduce erosion, sequester carbon, and increase connectivity with adjacent riparian habitat.

2025-10: A roughly 1,200 linear foot riparian corridor will be planted with approximately 349 plants to reduce erosion, enhance habitat, and increase native plant populations.

2025-11: A roughly 555 linear foot riparian corridor will be planted with approximately 505 plants to increase riparian and oak woodland vegetation, support wildlife, sequester carbon, and reduce erosion.

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By Shelly Scott Deputy

Temporary fencing will be installed to protect the plants at all sites but 2025-11, where permanent fencing exists.

Name of Lead Agency Approving the Project: Marin Resource Conservation District

Name of Applicant, Person, or Agency Carrying Out Project: Marin Resource Conservation District

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Applicant Address: P.O. Box 1146, 80 4th Street, Pt. Reyes Station, CA 94956

Exempt Status –

Class and Guidelines Section: All listed projects fit exemption status Class 33— CCR §15333 (small habitat restoration)

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

These projects will revegetate, stabilize, and enhance riparian corridor habitat through planting of native riparian vegetation. Planting projects will be installed by hand, are less than five acres in size and include native plants. They will increase flora species diversity and thus expand capacity to support a wider variety of vulnerable wildlife species, including special status species, migratory birds, and pollinators. There are no hazardous materials in the project areas.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Nancy Scolari, Executive Director (415) 663-1170

Signature:



Date:

10/08/2025

signed by Lead Agency

signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: _____