

Notice of Exemption

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To: County Clerk
County of El Dorado
360 Fair Lane
Placerville, CA 95667

From: El Dorado Irrigation District
2890 Mosquito Road
Placerville, CA 95667

Project Title: Sly Park Recreation Area Boat Launching Facilities Upgrade Project

Project Location - Specific: USGS 7.5' Sly Park Quadrangle- Township 10N, Range 13E, Sections 9 and 18

Project Location - Community: Pollock Pines **County:** El Dorado County

Description of Project: The El Dorado Irrigation District (District) proposes to make improvements at two boat launch facilities (BLFs) within the Sly Park Recreation Area (SPRA) located in the community of Pollock Pines. The project involves accessibility upgrades to comply with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards including installation of ADA compliant restrooms, parking stalls, and fish cleaning stations at each BLF. The project would also increase safety for boaters and anglers by widening the boat ramp at the Doolittle BLF to provide multiple launch lanes at lower lake levels, widening the launch ramp turnaround at the Stonebraker BLF, installing lighting at both BLFs and restrooms, and installing animal-resistant garbage enclosures. The project is also intended to decrease wait times for launching, providing facilities commensurate with SPRA's boating visitation, and updating signage to provide boating safety and aquatic invasive species information.

The District proposes to complete the necessary improvements to the BLFs in three phases over a period of multiple years as follows:

- Phase 1 - Doolittle BLF: Widen the boat ramp to provide a total of three launch lanes at lower lake levels
- Phase 2 - Doolittle BLF: Replace the vault restroom, add an ADA-compliant vehicle-trailer parking stall, install a fish cleaning station, create an ADA-compliant path of travel, chip seal and re-stripe the parking area, add security lighting, install bear resistant garbage enclosures, and install an information kiosk and project signage
- Phase 3 - Stonebraker BLF: Widen the boat ramp upper turnaround, replace the vault restroom, add chip seal and re-stripe the parking area, replace the fish cleaning station, install solar lighting, install bear resistant garbage enclosures, and install an information kiosk and project signage

The following equipment would be necessary to complete the project:

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| • Excavator | • Crane | • Suction Pump |
| • Dump Truck | • Flat Bed Truck | • Cement Mixer |
| • Barge | • Sweeper | • Cement Pump |
| • Work Truck | • Generator | • Miscellaneous Hand |
| • Front Loader | • Cement Truck | Tools |

Phase 1 activities to widen the boat ramp at the Doolittle BLF will involve work below the ordinary high-water mark of Jenkinson Lake and may also involve in-water work depending on the lake elevation at the time of construction. Activities would include excavation of silt and debris from the area where the new boat launch lanes will be constructed. Once excavation is complete crews would install concrete matting to form the boat launch lanes and add riprap along the end to stabilize the structure. A new concrete anchor would be installed to guide the floating dock as water levels fluctuate. Work would be performed from a floating barge and/or long reach excavator from the shoreline. A silt curtain will be installed around the work area in the reservoir to help contain turbidity generated during construction activities. Phase 1 project activities would be scheduled to begin in the fall when the reservoir is at its lowest elevation and when recreational use at the SPRA is typically low.

Phase 2 and 3 activities would involve adding ADA-compliant amenities (i.e., vehicle-trailer parking, vault restrooms), installing a fish cleaning station, applying chip seal and striping to parking areas with ADA-compliant paths of travel, adding security lighting, installing bear resistant garbage enclosures, and installing an information kiosk and project signage. Activities would include demolition of old components, installation of new infrastructure, and finishing work (e.g., paving and striping), Phase 2 project activities would be scheduled to begin in the fall when recreational use at the SPRA is typically low.

Name of Public Agency Approving and Carrying Out Project: El Dorado Irrigation District

Exempt Status:

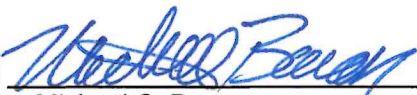
- ☒ Categorical Exemption: Class 1 – Existing Facilities (CCR, Title 14, Sec. 15301)
- ☒ Categorical Exemption: Class 3 – New Construction of Small Structures (CCR, Title 14, Sec. 15303)

Reasons why project is exempt: the project qualifies for a Class 1 CEQA Categorical Exemption as the maintenance and repair of existing facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use (CEQA Guidelines §15301) and for a Class 3 CEQA Categorical Exemption for new construction of small structures (CEQA Guidelines §15303). None of the applicable exceptions to these exemption, as identified under CCR, Title 14 section 15300.2, apply to this project, including an area of critical concern, cumulative impact, significant effect due to unusual circumstances, scenic highways, hazardous waste sites, and historical resources.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Michael C. Baron

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Signature:

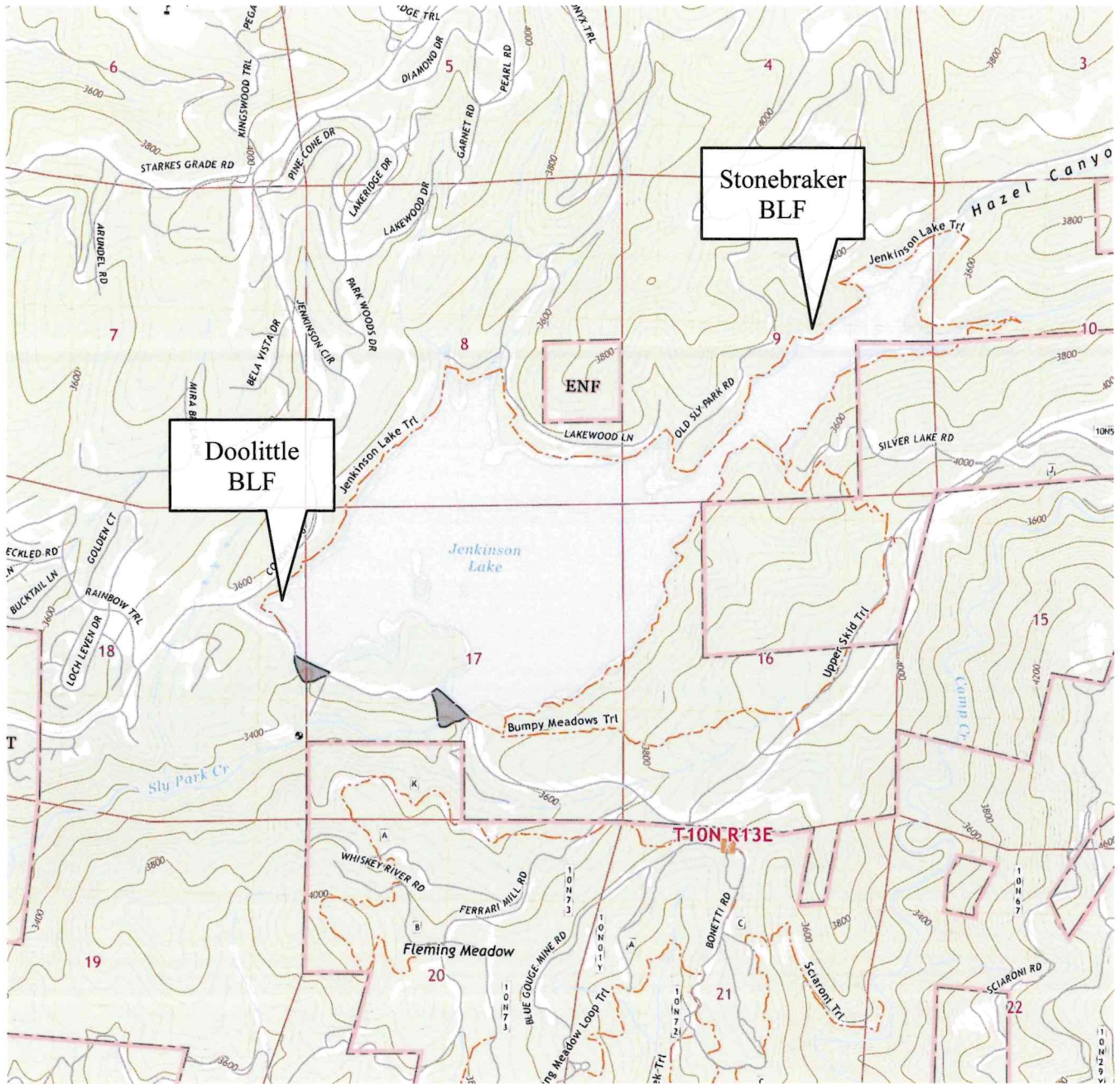


Date: 11/12/2025

Name: Michael C. Baron

Title: Environmental Review Analyst

☒ Signed by Lead Agency



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State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:
09--11122025-096

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL mbaron@eid.org	DATE 11/12/2025
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING EL DORADO	DOCUMENT NUMBER FW2025-0096	

PROJECT TITLE

SLY PARK RECREATION AREA BOAT LAUNCHING FACILITIES UPGRADE PROJECT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME EL DORADO IRRIGATION DISTRICT	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL mbaron@eid.org	PHONE NUMBER (530) 642-4188
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 2890 MOSQUITO ROAD	CITY PLACERVILLE	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95667

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$4,123.50	\$ _____
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,968.75	\$ _____
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,401.75	\$ _____

☒ Exempt from fee

☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)

☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$ _____
☒ County documentary handling fee		\$ _____ \$50.00
☐ Other		\$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☒ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ _____ \$50.00

SIGNATURE

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AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Janelle K. Horne Recorder-Clerk, by Hailey Cisneros, Dpty