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Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
County of: Mendocino
501 Low Gap Rd. Room 1020
Ukiah, CA 95482

From: (Public Agency): City of Fort Bragg
416 N. Franklin St.
Fort Bragg, CA 95437
(Address)

Project Title: Coastal Development Permit 7-25 (CDP 1-25), Design Review 6- 25 (DR 6-25)

Project Applicant: City of Fort Bragg

Project Location - Specific:

Noyo Headlands Park–South End & North End of Coastal Trail (008-010-35 & 018-430-11)

Project Location - City: Fort Bragg Project Location - County: Mendocino County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Install Scenic Tower Viewer Binoculars in two locations on the Coastal Trail. Location 1: Near South Coastal Trail entrance. Location 2: Near North Coastal Trail entrance. These would be installed on a small concrete pad in each location. Height 60-63 inches. Each set would include one standard viewer head and one ADA Accessible viewer head.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Fort Bragg

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Fort Bragg

Exempt Status: **(check one):**

- ☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- ☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- ☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 15303(e); 15311; and 15061(b)(3)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Categorically Exempt from CEQA Pursuant to §15303(e) (New Construction of Small Accessory Structures), §15311 (Accessory Structures), and §15061(b)(3) (Common Sense Exemption)

Lead Agency Contact Person: Sarah Peters Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 707-961-2823

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: Sarah Peters Date: 11/17/2025 Title: Associate Planner

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____