

Notice of Exemption

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From:

Department of Fish and Wildlife
1701 Nimbus Road
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670



State Clearinghouse Number: 2026031128

Project Title: North Fork Feather River Stream Gage Installation – California Stream Gage Improvement Program (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. PLU-66580-R2)

Project Location: The project will take place at the following five different locations within the County of Plumas, State of California:

- Latitude 40.33987, Longitude -121.31000
- Latitude 40.34224, Longitude -121.30480
- Latitude 40.43317, Longitude -121.35175
- Latitude 40.30409, Longitude -121.25968
- Latitude 40.29944, Longitude -121.26174

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification Number PLU-66580-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, California Department of Water Resources.

At all five locations, the California Department of Water Resources will install a new stream gage assembly. Each stream gage assembly will generally include: (1) a remote terminal unit that consists of a data logger, bubbler unit, battery, and radio equipment housed in a steel enclosure; (2) conduit routed from the remote terminal unit to the streambed where it will terminate; and (3) a staff gage that will be installed in the streambed adjacent to the conduit.

Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Person / Public Agency Carrying out Project:

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Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (4); California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections (15304).

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Categorical Exemption. Type – Class (6); California Code of Regulations, title 14, sections (15306).

Reasons why project is exempt: The project involves water data collection device installations that require minor land alterations and will not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.

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