



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  
Diablo Range District  
15751 Tesla Road  
Livermore, CA 94550

**PROJECT TITLE:** Marsh Creek State Historic Park Emergency Septic System Excavation and Repair

**LOCATION:** Marsh Creek State Historic Park      **COUNTY:** Contra Costa

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** The purpose of this emergency repair project is to excavate and replace the failed septic tank and inlet pipe at Marsh Creek State Historic Park near the residence at Marsh Creek. Work used heavy equipment and hand tools by State Park staff to:

Excavate a failed septic tank and inlet pipe and install a new 1,250-gallon septic tank.

Replace 30-foot inlet pipe with black ABS plastic pipe and ensure the tank inlet is at the proper level to maintain the proper rise and run of the inflow and outflow.

Repair gray water system to connect to outflow system.

Backfill excavated area with sand and cap with non-native, clean capping soil already on sight.

Install new poly risers with covers to preserve the opening for maintenance.

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

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Diablo Range District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

☒ Emergency Project

Section: 15269(b) and (c)

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** *Emergency repairs to publicly or privately owned service facilities necessary to maintain service essential to the public health, safety or welfare. Emergency repairs include those that require a reasonable amount of planning to address an anticipated emergency.*

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