



State of California
 The Natural Resources Agency
 California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

PROJECT TITLE	Sugar Pine Camp Road Automatic Gate		
PROJECT LOCATION	Sugar Pine Camp Rd at Highway 299E	COUNTY	SHASTA
LEAD AGENCY	California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE)		
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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project encompasses the replacement of an existing metal pipe gate with an automatic electric gate on Sugar Pine Camp Road, at the intersection of Sugar Pine Camp Road and Highway 299E. Sugar Pine Camp Road is a paved two lane driveway that accesses Sugar Pine Camp and is approximately 3.5 miles long. The new metal gate will be approximately 36' long by 6' high and will have two control pads installed twenty (20) feet from each side of the gate. Two (2) power poles will be installed to provide power and a phone line to operate the gate. The poles will be installed approximately 8' deep and will be approximately 15' tall and tie in to an existing power and phone line, 50 feet from the gate. Gate installation will require two (2) 3'x3'x1' cement footings for the gate posts and two (2) 2'x2'x1' footings for the control pads. A 1' x 1' ditch will be constructed across the road for the installation of the gate channel and conduit for the electrical power and phone line. The entire project is being conducted within the existing road right-of -ways for Sugar Pine Camp Rd. and Highway 299E.

EXEMPTION STATUS

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption Type/Section: Class, | 15304 (f) Minor Alterations to Land |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Exemption (state code section): | 15301 (c) Existing facilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial (§21080(b)(1); 15268) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency (§21080(b)(3); 15269(a)) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project (§21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)) | |

REASONS PROJECT IS EXEMPT

This project fits within the Class 1 and 4 of Categorical Exemptions described in the CEQA Guidelines. No unusual circumstances exist on this project which would preclude the use of a Notice of Exemption. Field review by CAL FIRE staff confirmed that no exceptions apply which would preclude the use of a Notice of Exemption for this project. The Department has concluded that no significant environmental impact would occur to aesthetics, agriculture and forestland/timberland, air quality, biological resources, cultural resources, geology and soils, greenhouse gas emissions, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, land use planning, mineral resources, noise, population and housing, public services, recreation, transportation/traffic, or to utilities and service systems. Documentation of the environmental review completed by the Department is kept on file at Shasta-Trinity Headquarters, 875 Cypress Ave., Redding, Ca 96001.

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