

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: [X] Office of Planning & Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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From: Plumas County Public Works Department
1834 East Main Street
Quincy, CA 95971

[X] Plumas County Clerk
520 Main Street, Room 102
Quincy, CA 95971

Project Title: Construction of Motorized OHV Route to Crystal Lake

Project Applicant: Plumas County

Project Location: This project is located near Quincy, California, on Mt. Hough proper. The legal land description is as follows: Township 25 North, Range 10, section 8 (MDBM), Plumas County, California. See attached map.

Description of Nature, Purpose or Beneficiaries of Project: This project involves the reconstruction of a 0.5 mile motorized OHV trail to Crystal Lake which will replace an existing motorized OHV trail which is overly steep and is creating erosion and sediment control problems.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Plumas County

Name of Person Carrying Out Project: Bob Perreault, Director – Plumas County Public Works

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: 15061(b)(3)
 Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt: The County finds that this project is not subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) (there is no possibility the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment). This determination is supported by the analyses performed by the USFS and their determination that this project is Categorically Excluded from Documentation per FSH 1909.15, Chapter 30, 32.2 (1) (36CFR 220.6(e)(1)).

Lead Agency: Plumas County Department of Public Works

Contact Person: Mark Crews

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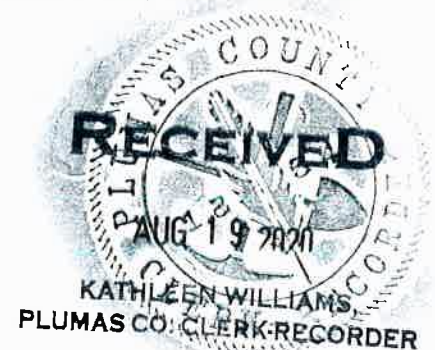
Signature: *Tracy Ferguson*
Signed by Lead Agency

Title: Planning Director Date: 8/18/2020

Certificate of Posting

I hereby certify that from 8/19/2020 to 9/18/2020 I posted a copy of this Notice of Exemption in the office of the Plumas County Clerk (30 days).

By *Sue Cliff / Deputy* on 8/19/2020
Kathleen Williams, County Clerk /Deputy



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