

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Tehama

From: (Public Agency): Tehama County Environmental
633 Washington Street Rm 36

Red Bluff, CA 96080

(Address)

Project Title: Park Fire, Poison Oak Trail

Project Applicant: Tehama County Environmental Health

Project Location - Specific:

Poison Oak Lane, APN 081-030-008, Park Fire Debris and Haz tree cleanup

Project Location - City: Paynes Creek

Project Location - County: Tehama

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project allows for wildfire debris removal resulting from the Park Fire, a State Declared Emergency in Butte and Tehama Counties. Wildfire debris, to include hazardous trees is a public health concern.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Tehama County Environmental Health

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Tehama County Environmental Health

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: _____

☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Governor proclaimed State of Emergency for Tehama County due to Park Fire.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Tia Branton, Director

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 530 527-8020

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: *Tia Branton*

Date: 9/30/2026

Title: Director

☒ 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: _____

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