State of California Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research **FROM**: Department of Parks and Recreation

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PROJECT TITLE: Issue ROE to SMUD for New Underground Electrical Line

LOCATION: Folsom Lake State Recreation Area **COUNTY:** Sacramento

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Issue a Right of Entry (ROE) Permit to SMUD to access Folsom Lake State Recreation Area for the purpose of installing a new underground electrical line.

All work conducted in association with the ROE permit will comply with all State and Federal environmental laws, including but not limited to the Endangered Species Act, California Environmental Quality Act, Section 5024 of the Public Resources Code, and all conditions identified in the Right of Entry Permit; and be coordinated with the Gold Field District's staff as identified in the Right of Entry Permit.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Gold Fields District

EXEMPT STATUS:

☐ Categorical Exemption Class: 5 Section: 15305

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of minor alterations in land use limitations in areas with an average slope of less than 20%, which do not result in any changes in land use or density and is included as "issuance of temporary use permit" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR §15300.4.

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