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**Marin County Department of Public Works
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Attn: Rachel Reid, Environmental Planning Manager Coordinator

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Marin County
Environmental Coordination and Review

March 30, 2023

1. **Project Name:** Goodhill Road Retaining Wall
2. **Project Location:** The project is located adjacent to the property address at 511 Goodhill Road in the Town of Kentfield, Marin County, CA.
3. **Project Description:** The severe storm events of January 2023 triggered a slip out of the downhill side of the roadway embankment at 511 Goodhill Road, in Kentfield. The lane on the side of the slide was immediately closed to traffic. Subsequent storms have continued to cause the roadway to drop, and a permanent repair has been initiated. The project will install a 70 linear foot retaining wall to preserve the structural integrity of the roadway and reopen the lane to traffic. Work will include constructing the concrete retaining wall with tieback anchors, pavement grinding, asphalt paving, clearing and grubbing, drainage improvements, guardrail installation, and related work. All work will be done during the daytime with traffic control.
4. **Public Agency Approving Project:** Marin County Department of Public Works
5. **Project Sponsor:** Marin County Department of Public Works
6. **CEQA Exemption Status:** Statutory Exemption Section 15269. Emergency Projects (b) Emergency repairs to public or privately owned facilities necessary to maintain services essential to the public health, safety and welfare.
7. **Reasons for Exemption:** This project includes actions taken to stabilize the embankment and protect the existing County roadway from failure and massive erosion into the creek below. The actions to be taken are essential to the safety and welfare of the residents in the immediate neighborhood and further downstream.

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