NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Marin County
Environmental Coordination and Review

05/28/2024

1. **Project Name:** Fairfax Bolinas Road MP 5.73 Slope Improvements

2. **Project Location:** Fairfax, Unincorporated Marin County

3. **Project Description:** This project involves the construction of 2 emergency retaining walls to be built in phases. Phase 1 will generally involve an 80 LF steel soldier pile retaining wall (shoring system) with steel plate or timber lagging to secure the westbound lane. Phase 2 will generally involve the construction of an approximately 165 LF concrete retaining wall, tiebacks may be required pending soil exploration, compacted fill materials using select imported structural backfill, & repaving approximately 225 feet of the eastbound lane of Fairfax Bolinas Road at Mile Post 5.73.

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 will include emergency repairs to permanently restore eastbound traveled way and restore two-way traffic. This emergency permanent repair is essential to the safety and welfare of the roadway for both drivers and cyclists, residents in the immediate neighborhood, as well as Marin Municipal Water District, who uses this route to delivery chemicals for water treatment.

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