



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM: Mono County Community Development
PO Box 8
Bridgeport, CA 93517

Project Title: Mono County Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) Restoration
Project Applicant: Mono County
Project Location - Specific: Mono County (county wide)
Project Location - City: N/A
Project Location - County: Mono

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project will restore areas impacted by illegal Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) activities on unauthorized routes and will install regulatory/restoration signage in prior-disturbed areas to confine OHV use to authorized routes. This project will improve sustainable recreation/OHV opportunities by restoring natural areas and resources that have been negatively impacted by OHV trespass and preserving legal OHV riding opportunities. Methods include rock-armoring/delineating legal OHV routes, vertical mulching, grubbing, and restoring unauthorized routes to promote natural regeneration, and maintaining/installing erosion control structures, fencing, barricades, and/or seasonal-closure gates to prohibit trespass and protect natural and cultural resources. This project will benefit recreationists by preserving legal OHV riding opportunities; will reduce maintenance activities on roads designated suitable for use by "street legal vehicles only"; and will protect natural/cultural resources impacted by unauthorized activities. Signage and mapping products will be developed and implemented to support these outcomes and installed as part of this project. Project activities will be funded in part by CA State Parks Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division "Restoration" grant funding (pending award).

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Mono County

Exempt Status: (check one)

- [X] Not a Project & No Effects (Sec. 15378(b)(4); 15061(b)(3))
[] Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
[] Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
[] Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 15301(c) - Class 4: Minor Alterations to Land
[] Statutory Exemptions. State code number:
[] Project Consistent with a Community Plan, General Plan, or Zoning (15183)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project qualifies as Categorical Exemption 14CCR 15301 - Class 4: Minor Alterations to Land. This class consists of minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry and agricultural purposes. This project is intended to improve existing conditions to restore forested and natural areas to an untrammled condition by confining these activities to authorized routes and restoring areas impacted by OHV trespass.

Posted 5/19/2022 thru 6/20/2022

Lead Agency Contact Person: *Tony Dublino*

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: *(760) 932-5440*

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: _____



Date: _____

5-18-22

Title: _____

Dir of Public Works

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2022 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/22) Previously DFG 753.5a

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RECEIPT NUMBER:
 26 — 05/19/2022 —
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

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LEAD AGENCY Mono County	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL tdublino@mono.ca.gov	DATE 05/19/2022
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING Mono	DOCUMENT NUMBER MC 22-008	

PROJECT TITLE
Mono County Off-Highway vehicle (OHV) Restoration

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME Mono County	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL tdublino@mono.ca.gov	PHONE NUMBER (760)932-5459
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS P.O. Box 8	CITY Bridgeport	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 93517

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency School District Other Special District State Agency Private Entity


CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$3,539.25 \$ _____ 0.00
- Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,548.00 \$ _____ 0.00
- Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$1,203.25 \$ _____ 0.00
- Exempt from fee
 - Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
- Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ _____ 0.00
- County documentary handling fee \$ _____
- Other \$ _____ 0.00

PAYMENT METHOD:

Cash Credit Check Other **TOTAL RECEIVED** \$ _____ 0.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Mono County Senior Deputy Clerk
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