

State of Hawaii
DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES
Engineering Division
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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Board of Land and Natural Resources
State of Hawaii
Honolulu, Hawaii

**Declare Project Exempt From Requirements of Chapter 343, HRS, and Title 11,
Chapter 200, Hawaii Administrative Rules
for**

**Job No. H10C658B, Wailua River State Park Comfort Station
Improvements at Smith's Landing, Wailua, Kauai, Hawaii**

The Board of Land & Natural Resources approved the award of the construction contract for the subject project on July 8, 2011. Pursuant to Chapter 343, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), and Chapter 11-200, Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR), the attached Exemption Notification labeled Exhibit A was prepared.

The project consists of renovating the existing men's and women's restrooms to comply with the American with Disability Act (ADA). The interior of the existing restrooms will be demolished and renovated to include two accessible toilet stalls and two accessible lavatories (one of each in the men's and women's restrooms). In addition the project includes a new sidewalk connecting the men's and women's restrooms and reconstructing the roof to meet ADA height requirements.

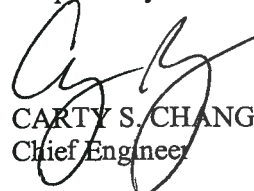
In accordance with Hawaii Administrative Rule Section 11-200-8(A), and the exemption List for the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of State Parks, as reviewed and concurred upon by the Environmental Council on December 4, 1991, the renovations to the existing restrooms is exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment pursuant to Exemption Class No. 1, Item No. 3 states, "Cabins, pavilions, picnic and trail shelters, utility buildings and shed – within developed, maintained portions of State Parks [February 5, 1976]. The new walkway is exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment pursuant to Exemption Class No. 3, Item 18 states, "Construction of park walkways [February 5, 1976].

Refer to attached Exemption Notification labeled Exhibit A.

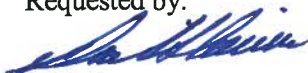
RECOMMENDATION:

Declare that, after considering the potential effects of the proposed project as provided by Chapter 343, HRS, and Chapter 11-200, HAR, this project will probably have minimal or no significant effect on the environment and is therefore exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment.

Respectfully submitted,


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Chief Engineer

Requested by:



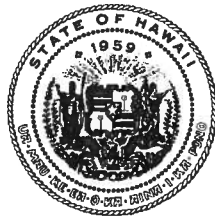
DANIEL S. QUINN, Administrator
Division of State Parks

Approved For Submittal:



WILLIAM J. AILA, JR., Chairperson

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EXEMPTION NOTIFICATION

Regarding the preparation of an environmental assessment pursuant to Chapter 343, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), and Chapter 11-200, Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR).

Project Title:	Wailua River State Park Comfort Station Improvements at Smith's Landing, Wailua, Kauai, Hawaii
Project Number:	Job No. H10C658B
Project Description:	The project consists of renovating the existing men's and women's restrooms to comply with the American with Disability Act (ADA). The interior of the existing restrooms will be demolished and renovated to include two accessible toilet stalls and two accessible lavatories (one of each in the men's and women's restrooms). In addition the project includes a new sidewalk connecting the men's and women's restrooms and reconstructing the roof to meet ADA height requirements.
Chapter 343 Trigger(s)	Use of State Funds
Exemption Class & Description:	<p><u>Exemption Class No. 1 and No. 3</u> of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of State Parks, as reviewed and concurred upon by the Environmental Council on December 4, 1991.</p> <p>Class No. 1 - Operation, repairs, or maintenance of existing structures, facilities, equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion or change of use beyond that previously existing</p> <p>Class No. 3 - Construction and location of single, new, small facilities or structures and the alteration and modification of same and installation of new, small, equipment and facilities and the alteration and modification of same including but not limited to:</p> <p>(A) Single family residences not in conjunctions with the building of two or more such units;</p> <p>(B) Multi-unit structures designed for not more than four dwelling units if not in conjunction with the building of two or more such structures;</p> <p>(C) Stores, offices and restaurants, designed for total occupant load of twenty persons or less, if not in conjunction with the building of two or more such structures; and</p> <p>(D) Water, sewage, electrical, gas, telephone, and other essential public utility services extensions to serve such structure or facilities; and accessory or appurtenant structures including garages, carports, patios, swimming pools, and fences [HAR 11-200-8(a)(3)].</p>

Exemption Item Number and Description:	<u>Exemption Item No. 3 of Class No. 1</u> - Cabins, pavilions, picnic and trail shelters, utility buildings and shed – within developed, maintained portions of State Parks [February 5, 1976]. <u>Exemption Item No. 18 of Class No. 3</u> - Construction of park walkways [February 5, 1976].
Recommendation:	It is anticipated this project will probably have minimal or no significant effect on the environment and is presumed to be exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment

for Paul J. Conroy
 William J. Aila, Jr., Chairperson

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 Date