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RECREATIONAL PIER LEASE

APPLICANTS:

Christopher Cully and Raylene Cully

AREA, LAND TYPE, AND LOCATION:

Sovereign lands in the Sacramento River, adjacent to 6981 Garden Highway, near the city of Sacramento, Sacramento County.

AUTHORIZED USE:

Retention, use, and maintenance of an existing uncovered floating boat dock, two pilings, and gangway as shown on Exhibit A.

LEASE TERM:

Ten years, beginning October 22, 2009.

CONSIDERATION:

No monetary consideration pursuant to Public Resources Code section 6503.5.

SPECIFIC LEASE PROVISIONS:

Liability insurance in the amount of no less than \$500,000.

OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

- 1. Applicants own the uplands adjoining the lease premises.
- 2. The uncovered floating boat dock, gangway, and two pilings were constructed in 2007 without authorization by the Commission. In 2008, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers authorized an after-the-fact permit and amended the permit to include the current dock dimensions and configuration. The Applicants are now applying for a new General Lease Recreational Use, for the docking facilities.
- 3. Applicants qualify for a Recreational Pier Lease because the Applicants are natural persons who own the littoral land that is improved with a single-family dwelling.

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4. Pursuant to the Commission's delegation of authority and the State CEQA Guidelines (Title 14, California Code of Regulations, section 15061), the staff determined that this activity is exempt from the requirements of the CEQA as a categorically exempt project. The project is exempt under Class 3, New Construction of Small Structures; Title 2, California Code of Regulations, section 2905 (c)(1).

Authority: Public Resources Code section 21084 and Title 14, California Code of Regulations, section 15300 and Title 2, California Code of Regulations, section 2905.

5. This activity involves lands identified as possessing significant environmental values pursuant to Public Resources Code sections 6370, et seq. Based upon the staff's consultation with the persons nominating such lands and through the CEQA review process, it is the staff's opinion that the project, as proposed, is consistent with its use classification.

APPROVALS OBTAINED:

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Reclamation District 1000 and Central Valley Flood Control Board

APPROVALS REQUIRED:

City of Sacramento

EXHIBIT:

A. Site and Location Map

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

CEQA FINDING:

FIND THAT THE ACTIVITY IS EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CEQA PURSUANT TO TITLE 14, CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, SECTION 15061 AS A CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT PROJECT, CLASS 3, NEW CONSTRUCTION OF SMALL STRUCTURES; TITLE 2, CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, SECTION 2905 (c)(1).

SIGNIFICANT LANDS INVENTORY FINDING:

FIND THAT THIS ACTIVITY IS CONSISTENT WITH THE USE CLASSIFICATION DESIGNATED BY THE COMMISSION FOR THE

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LAND PURSUANT TO PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTIONS 6370, ET SEQ.

AUTHORIZATION:

AUTHORIZE ISSUANCE OF A TEN-YEAR RECREATIONAL PIER LEASE TO CHRISTOPHER CULLY AND RAYLENE CULLY BEGINNING OCTOBER 22, 2009, FOR THE RETENTION, USE, AND MAINTENANCE OF AN EXISTING UNCOVERED FLOATING BOAT DOCK, TWO PILINGS, AND GANGWAY AS SHOWN ON EXHIBIT A ATTACHED AND BY THIS REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF; NO MONETARY CONSIDERATION PURSUANT TO PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 6503.5; LIABILITY INSURANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF NO LESS THAN \$500,000.