

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(Categorical)

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FROM: State Water Resources Control Board
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Project #: 1510007-001P

PROJECT TITLE: Frazier Park/Lake of the Woods Regional Consolidation Project-Planning

PROJECT LOCATION: Frazier Park/Lake of the Woods area, Sections 33, 34, 35, 36 in Township 9N, Range 20W, and Section 31 in Township 9N, Range 19W, S.B.B. & M. Kern County.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) is the responsible agency. The SWRCB's Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SDWSRF) Program is providing funds for the project. The Frazier Park Public Utility District proposes to conduct a planning project which will include drilling test wells, drafting technical and environmental documents, and analyzing alternatives to address numerous deficiencies in the Frazer Park water system's infrastructure.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The SWRCB approved this project on June 5, 2019 and will be carried out by Frazier Park Public Utility District.

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:

- Class 1 Existing Facilities
(CCR, Title 14, Sec 15301 and Title 22, Section 60101 (a))
- Class 2 Replacement or Reconstruction
(CCR, Title 14, Sec 15302 and Title 22, Section 60101 (b))
- Class 3 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures
(CCR, Title 14, Sec 15303 and Title 22, Section 60101 (c))
- Class 4 Minor Alterations to Land
(CCR, Title 14, Sec 15304 and Title 22, Section 60101 (d))
- Class 6 Information Collection
(CCR, Title 14, Sec. 15306)

"NEPA-LIKE" EXCLUSION STATUS:

- Pursuant to CFR, Title 40, Part 6, Subpart B, Section 6.204(a)(1)(ii).
Information Collection, Planning, Monitoring and Sample Collection

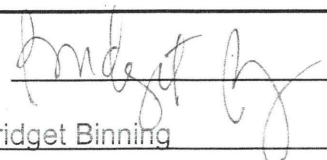
REASON WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. The project has been determined to meet the requirements of the Categorical Exemption selected above, and does not include any of the Exceptions pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15300.2.

Pursuant to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) Code, Section 711.4(d)(1), the CDFW environmental review filing fees do not apply.

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