NOTICE OF EXEMPTION   2019120617

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SCH#: 201920617

WATER SYSTEM #: 1910240

PROJECT TITLE: Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency (SCVWA) – Valencia Division: 10-Inch Interconnection with SCVWA – Santa Clarita Division (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: Seco Canyon Road, approximately 400 feet north of intersection of Seco Canyon Road and Bouquet Canyon Road, Santa Clarita, CA

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The SCVWA – Valencia Division proposed Project includes the installation of 50 linear feet of 10-inch diameter pipeline to interconnect the water agency's distribution system piping to improve efficiency of water delivery. The project involves temporary construction within the public right of way consistent with City of Santa Clarita traffic control requirements. Construction will take place over 14 days and include limited excavation and a pipeline connection between SCVWA – Valencia Division's 10-inch pipeline and SCVWA – Santa Clarita Division's 14-inch pipeline.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: This is to advise that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has issued a drinking water supply permit **1910240PA-001** for the above described Project on **May 22, 2020.** A record of permit issuance for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water District Office noted above.

Categorical Exemption Status:
- ☒ Class 1 Existing Facilities
  (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15301)
- ☐ Class 2 Replacement or Reconstruction
  (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15302)
- ☐ Class 3 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures
  (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15303)
- ☐ Class 4 Minor Alterations to Land
  (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15304)
- ☐ Class 6 Information Collection
  (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15306)

Reason why Project is exempt: This proposed action qualifies for an exemption under Class 1 Existing Facilities because it is a minor alteration of an existing public facility and it concerns proposed new mechanical equipment involving negligible or no expansion of use, i.e. no additional delivery of water, beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

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Signature: _Shu-Fang Orr_   Date: _May 22, 2020_

Name: Shu-Fang Orr   Title: District Engineer