

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:**

Governor's Office of Planning and Research  
State Clearinghouse  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812

**FROM:**

State Water Resources Control Board  
Division of Financial Assistance  
1001 I Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER:** 2020050143

**PROJECT NUMBER:** 8310-210

**PROJECT TITLE:** Grayson Wastewater Treatment Plant Screening Installation Project (Project)

**PROJECT LOCATION:** The Project is located directly northeast of the town of Grayson. The Project site is bounded by agricultural uses to the north, south, west, and the San Joaquin River to the east. The Project site is an improved wastewater treatment plant with lagoons and leech fields.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is a Responsible Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project referred to internally as Grayson Wastewater Treatment Plant Screening Project. The Project includes the replacement of a manual screen with a mechanical screen at the headworks of the Grayson Wastewater Treatment Plant and will provide electrical power to the screen control panel.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT:** The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on August 19, 2024, and determined that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act. The Grayson Community Services District will be carrying out the Project.

**CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:**

**Class 1: Existing Facilities**

(California Code of Regulations, title 14, division 6, chapter 3, article 19, section 15301)

**REASON WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** The Project has been determined to meet the requirements of the exemption selected above and will not have a significant impact on

water quality. The Project involves minor alteration of existing facilities and will have negligible to no expansion of capacity.

**LEAD AGENCY:** Grayson Community Services District

**LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON:** Ignacio Lopez

**PHONE NUMBER:** (209) 652-1229

Records of the financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. 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 to exempt projects.

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