

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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Department of Water
Resources, San Joaquin Field
Division
4201 Sabodan Street, Bakersfield, CA 93313

County Clerk
County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: CM Storage Access Road

Project Applicant: Department of Water Resources, San Joaquin Field Division

Project Location – Specific:
An access road will be constructed from the San Joaquin operations and maintenance (SJO&M) storage yard (35°00'48.6"N 118°58'40.5"W) to an existing asphalt road (35°00'51.8"N 118°58'34.9"W).

Project Location – City: Bakersfield Project Location – County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
A 600 ft access road will be constructed in between the SJO&M storage yard and an existing asphalt road. This access road is necessary to allow for large loads to turn around.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: DWR - San Joaquin Field Division

- Exempt Status: **(check one)**:
- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
 - Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
 - Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)); 15301 (b)
 - Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: _____
 - Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
This project consists of maintenance activities that support the function of the California Aqueduct and water delivery within the State Water Project.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Elizabeth Maldonado Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 661-858-5662

- If filed by applicant:**
1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
 2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: *Elizabeth Maldonado* Date: 7/30/2020 Title: Environmental Scientist

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: _____
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.