

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research P0 Box
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County Clerk
County of Napa _____

From: San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality
Control Board
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400
Oakland, California 94612

Project Title:

City of St. Helena, City of St. Helena Wastewater Treatment Plant and Reclamation Plant and Wastewater Collection System- Reissuance of NPDES Permit

Project Location - Specific:

The permit regulates the discharge of treated wastewater to the Napa River (38.5028°, -122.4375°), during wet weather.

Project Location - City St. Helena Project Location - County: Napa County

Description of Project:

Waste Discharge Requirements permit the City of St. Helena to treat an average dry weather flow of up to 0.5 million gallons per day. Discharge to the Napa River is prohibited from June through October each year. During wet weather, discharge to the Napa River is only permitted if the river-to-effluent flow ratio is at least 19:1.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Regional Water Quality Control Board

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));
 Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Section 13389 of the California Water Code
 Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project is adoption of NPDES permit.

Lead Agency: San Francisco Bay Regional Water Board

Contact Person: Robert Schlipf

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (510) 622-2478

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: _____ Date: 4/15/2021 Title: Executive Officer

Michael Montgomery

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: _____