

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Ventura

800 South Victoria Avenue

Ventura, CA 93009

From: (Public Agency): United Water Conservation District
1701 N. Lombard Street, Suite 200
Oxnard, CA 93030

(Address)

Project Title: Emergency Power Supply for UWCD Drinking Water Treatment and Supply Facilities Project

Project Applicant: United Water Conservation District

Project Location - Specific:

The project consists of the installation of three new standby generators at three UWCD

Project Location - City: Piru, Santa Paula Project Location - County: Ventura

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project consists of the installation of three new standby generators at three UWCD facilities: 1) Lake Piru Water Treatment Plant and 2) Flocculation Building, and 3) Santa Paula Tower in the City of Santa Paula. The generators will automatically turn on in the event of a power outage to maintain supply of potable water and maintain safe operation of the reservoir and water treatment during outages.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: United Water Conservation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: United Water Conservation District

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: Existing Facilities §15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Based on an examination of the proposed project, this project qualifies for the following exemptions under the California Environmental Quality Act:

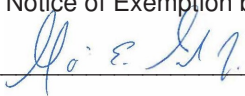
§15301. Existing Facilities: The project, including the installation of the new generator, consists of the minor alteration of an existing facility that provides public utility services (water), involving no expansion of use beyond that currently existing.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Mauricio E. Guardado Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (805) 525-4431

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: June 3, 2021 Title: General Manager

■ Signed by Lead Agency ■ Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____