

**CALIFORNIA STATE LANDS COMMISSION**

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**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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File Ref: Lease 4911; A2770  
Item: 01

**Title:** Issuance of a General Lease – Public Agency Use – Lease 4911

**Location:** Sovereign land in the Sacramento River, adjacent to Assessor's Parcel Number 039-530-018, near Chico, Butte County.

**Description:** Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Public Agency Use beginning January 1, 2020, for a term of 20 years, for the continued use, operation, and maintenance of an existing 63-inch diameter effluent outfall pipeline with 28 diffuser ports, ballast weights, riprap, and maintenance, and inspection of a non-operational 42-inch diameter effluent outfall pipeline with seven diffuser ports.

**Name of Approving Public Agency:** California State Lands Commission

**Name of Proponent (Person or Agency):** City of Chico

**Exempt Status:**

Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2905, subd. (a)(2))

**Reasons for exemption:**

Issuance of a 20-year General Lease – Public Agency Use for the above-mentioned structure(s) will not cause a physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption(s) apply(ies).

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