

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Stanislaus

1021 I St Suite 101, Modesto, CA 95354

From: (Public Agency): Turlock Irrigation District
333 East Canal Drive, Turlock CA, 95380

(Address)

Project Title: Hawkins Substation Communications Tower Modernization

Project Applicant: Turlock Irrigation District

Project Location - Specific:

Lat: 37.579759, Long: -120.645485 (approx. 2 miles north of E Keyes Rd. on Hawkins

Project Location - City: Hickman Project Location - County: Stanislaus County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Replace existing 40ft. self supporting lattice telecommunications tower with a 45ft. monopole.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Turlock Irrigation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Turlock Irrigation 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: 15303 - Class 3, 15301 - Class 1
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

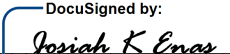
This project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act according to the guidelines in section 15303. A class 3 exemption consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures; This project has been determined to not have a significant effect on the environment and is therefore exempt.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Josiah Enas Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209)-485-6442

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: 8/26/2021 Title: Assistant Electrical Engineer

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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: _____