

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Cotta Ferreira Dam Replacement (Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. SJN-17111-R2)

Project Location: The Project is located on Mosher Creek at 7651 East 8 Mile Road, approximately 2 miles northwest of the City of Waterloo, County of San Joaquin, State of California; Latitude 38.058286, Longitude -121.214588; Section 33, Township 03N, Range 07E, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Waterloo, Mount Diablo Meridian.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. SJN-17111-R2, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Stockton East Water District. The project is limited to the replacement of the existing flashboard dam structure across Mosher Creek.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying out Project: Stockton East Water District

Exempt Status:

- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 2; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15302.

Reasons why project is exempt: *Class 2, section 15302;* The Project is exempt because it consists of the replacement of an existing dam structure where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced.

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