

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: South Orinda Sewer Renovations Phase 8 Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0043-R3)

Project Location (include county): The project location includes three (3) separate locations. They are as follows:

Location 1: The project is located at Moraga Creek, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California; Latitude 37.85132, Longitude -122.16394; Section 11, Township 1S, Range 3W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Oakland East; Assessor's Parcel Number 272-026, 272-230-030.

Location 2: The project is located at a tributary to Moraga Creek, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California; Latitude 37.85094, Longitude -122.16438; Section 11, Township 1S, Range 3W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Oakland East; Assessor's Parcel Number 272-230-003.

Location 3: The project is located at San Pablo Creek, in the County of Contra Costa, State of California; Latitude 37.87106, Longitude -122.17708; or Section 11, Township 1S, Range 3W, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) map Oakland East; Assessor's Parcel Number 269-032-009.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2020-0043-R3, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

The project is limited to replacement of aerial sewer pipe in three (3) locations at Moraga and San Pablo Creeks. At Moraga Creek, approximately 80 feet of six-inch steel pipe will be removed along with supporting structures. New eight-inch steel pipe of approximately 75 feet will be installed along with supporting structures. At a tributary to Moraga Creek, 75 feet of six-inch steel pipe will be removed along with supporting structures and 82 feet of new eight-inch steel pipe and supporting structures will be installed. At San Pablo Creek, approximately 46 feet of six-inch steel pipe and supporting structures will be removed and installing 54 feet of new eight-inch steel pipe and supporting structures will be installed.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Central Contra Costa Sanitary District

Exempt Status:

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

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is exempt because it consists of replacement of existing structures where the new structures will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced.

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