

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: San Francisco Bay Regional Water
Quality Control Board
1515 Clay St., Ste. 1400
Oakland, CA 94612

Project Title: ZOA Storm Drain Line and Outfall Replacement Project

Project Location - Specific: 37.544533 latitude, -122.018269 longitude; ZOA Oakland Air Route Traffic Control Center at 5125 Central Avenue, Fremont.

Project Location - City: Fremont **Project Location - County:** Alameda County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project: The project will replace an aging storm drain line from the ZOA Oakland Air Route Traffic Control Center that discharges runoff to the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District Zone 5, Line F-1 Channel. To avoid conflicts with neighboring property uses, the location of the storm drain outfall will be moved 80 feet downstream of the existing outfall.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Federal Aviation Administration

Exempt Status:

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080b(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080b(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080b(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption (State Type and Section Number): Class 1 – Existing Facilities (Section 15301)
- Statutory Exemption (State Code Number): _____

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The project is consistent with a Class 1 categorical exemption under Section 15301 of the CEQA guidelines for the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

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

Lead Agency Contact Person: Brian Wines **Telephone:** 510-622-5680

Signature: Brian K. Wines **Date:** November 17, 2021 **Title:** Water Resource Control Engineer