

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:  Office of Planning and Research  
 1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
 Sacramento, CA 95814  
 County Clerk  
 County of [County]

FROM: Department of Water Resources  
 Division of Safety of Dams  
 2720 Gateway Oaks Dr., Ste. 300  
 Sacramento, CA 95833

Leroy Anderson Dam No. 72-9

*Project Title*

Latitude 37.1670, Longitude -121.6303

*Project Location*

Morgan Hill

County of Santa Clara

*Project Location - City*

*County*

Construction of a new emergency outlet and strengthening of existing outlet structure to improve management of the reservoir until the seismic deficiencies of the dam can be fully mitigated.

*Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project.*

Department of Water Resources, Division of Safety of Dams

*Name of Public Agency Approving Project*

Santa Clara Valley Water District

*Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project*

**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: Emergency Project Section 15269, (C)

Statutory Exemption for a specific action necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency.

*Reasons why project is exempt:*

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*Contact Person*

*Area Code/Telephone/Extension*

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

Date received for filing at the OPR:

*Shawn Jones for*  
 Sharon K. Tapia, P.E.

**Division Manager, Division of Safety of Dams**  
**Title**

12/15/2021

**Date**

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