

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
County Clerk
County of: Fresno
2221 Kern Street
Fresno, CA 93721

From: (Public Agency): City of Huron
36311 S. Lassen Ave/P.O. Box 339
Huron, CA 93234
(Address)

Project Title: Temporary Application to Appropriate Surface Water Flows for Underground Storage

Project Applicant: City of Huron

Project Location - Specific:

The proposed project is located on approximately 6,698 acres in and around Huron.

Project Location - City: Huron Project Location - County: Fresno

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed project is for the diversion and storage of up to 13,513 acre-feet of water from the west-side detention basin at the terminus of the Arroyo Pasajero for irrigation and municipal use for the City of Huron and the Arroyo Pasajero Mutual Water Company.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Huron

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Huron

Exempt Status: (check one): Governors Executive order B-39-17, Flood Control Measures

- 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:
Statutory Exemptions. State code number: Executive Order B-39-17

Reasons why project is exempt:

CEQA suspension per Governors Executive order B-39-17, dated April 6, 2017 for projects that enhance the ability of a local or State agency to capture high runoff events for local storage or recharge, consistent with water rights priorities and protections for fish and wildlife.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Neal Costanzo Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 945-2241

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: 12-30-21 Title: City's Legal Counsel

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: