

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
 P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
 County of: Kings
 1400 W Lacey Blvd.
 Hanford, CA, 93230

From: (Public Agency): City of Corcoran
832 Whitley Ave.
Corcoran, CA 93212
 (Address)

Project Title: Domestic Water Well 05F

Project Applicant: Joseph Faulkner

Project Location - Specific:

In the vicinity of Corcoran, 500 feet west of the intersection of Nevada and 5th Avenue

Project Location - City: Corcoran Project Location - County: Kings

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The City of Corcoran will be drilling a new domestic water well, named Well 05F, in a well site near existing Wells 08C and Well 09B. This is to replace the total well capacity that was lost during the California drought years. This is an important well for the City as the drought continues to cause lower water tables and well yields. The entire community of Corcoran will benefit from such a project, to protect the City's water supplies from running low.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Corcoran

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Joseph Faulkner

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: CCR Title 14, Section 15302 and Title 22, Section 60101 (b)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is a replacement water well to restore previous well capacity that has been lost since the California drought years took place. As such, this project is categorically exempt from CEQA under a Class 2 Replacement or Reconstruction Exemption.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Joseph Faulkner Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 559-992-2151 ext 2301

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: 02/28/2022 Title: Public Works Director

■ 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: _____