

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812

FROM:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Financial Assistance
1001 I Street, 16th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: 2022040229

PROJECT NUMBER: 0900308-001P

PROJECT TITLE: Quintette Service Corporation Infrastructure Enhancement Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: Within the community of Quintette, California 95634 in El Dorado County

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is a Responsible Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project. The Project includes conducting a planning study and investigation that includes an assessment of existing water supply, water treatment, and distribution infrastructure. A test well is being considered as part of the planning Project. The development of California Environmental Quality Act documents will also occur during this phase. The objective of the eventual construction project is to replace the current spring source with a new well and upgrade other components of the water system.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on June 2, 2023 and determined that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act. Quintette Service Corporation, Inc will be carrying out the Project.

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:

Class 6: Information Collection

(California Code of Regulations, title 14, division 6, chapter 3, article 19, section 15306)

REASON WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: The Project has been determined to meet the requirements of the exemption selected above and will not have a significant impact on water quality. The Project qualifies for exemption because the Project scope involves

planning and feasibility studies and/or data collection, research, experimental management and resource evaluation activities which will not result in any significant adverse water quality impacts.

LEAD AGENCY: El Dorado County

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Bryan Vyverberg

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Records of the financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. Pursuant to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) Code, Section 711.4(d)(1), the CDFW environmental review filing fees do not apply to exempt projects.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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