

RECEIPT # 15148ISS

Notice of Exemption

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From: (Public Agency): Shafter-Wasco Irrigation District
P.O. Box 1168
Wasco, CA 93280

County Clerk
County of: Kern
1115 Truxtun Avenue
Bakersfield, CA 93301

(Address)

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Project Title: Farmers' Cooperative Recharge Project

Project Applicant: Shafter-Wasco Irrigation District

Project Location - Specific:

Along Merced Avenue in Kern County, California

Project Location - City: Unincorporated Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The Project involves replacing approximately 1,700 linear feet of 15-inch-diameter pipe with 24-inch-diameter polyvinyl chloride pipe and installing approximately 150 linear feet of pipe connecting to the existing Farmer's Cooperative 32-acre recharge site. The Project will upgrade the District's existing lateral in order to optimize recharge capacity of the Farmers' Cooperative Recharge facility and meet existing irrigation demand.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Shafter-Wasco Irrigation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kris Lawrence

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: _____
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 21080.21

Reasons why project is exempt:

The Project involves the installation of subsurface water pipeline (less than one mile in length) within a public right-of-way.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Kris Lawrence Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 661-758-5153

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: [Signature] Date: 3-7-22 Title: GENERAL MANAGER

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: _____

Notice of Environmental Document
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and for 30 days thereafter, Pursuant to
Section 21152(C), Public Resources Code
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