

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 212
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From: (Public Agency) Department of Water Resources
Division of Operations and Maintenance
715 P Street, Sacramento CA 95814

County Clerk
County of _____

(Address)

Project Title: Bear Trap Access Road Repair Project (OM-SJFD-2022-002)

Project Location - Specific:

Coordinates: Start 34°51'17.50"N, 118°48'29.88"W, End 34°53'3.32"N, 118°46'46.79"W.

Cross Streets: Bear Trap Rd and I-5. SWP Facility: Pastoria Siphon.

Project Location – City: _____ Project Location – County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

DWR and Contractor will repair Bear Trap Road. The repairs will require removal of existing asphalt roadway. Grindings will be hauled offsite for proper disposal. New aggregate base will be applied before new asphalt placement. Guard rail will be replaced in segments along roadway. Asphalt dike will be reconstructed on both sides of roadway. Striping and road markings will be added to new asphalt. All work is within existing disturbed roadway and DWR right of way.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Department of Water Resources

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: Class 1, Existing Facilities, Section No. 15301(b)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The State Water Project provides significant and critical services to many Californians. This project is exempt because it involves routine maintenance activities. This project will not result in impacts to species or habitat. The Categorical Exemption Class 1 will be used for CEQA compliance as this activity will be implemented without any environmental impacts.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Sara Paiva-Lowry Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-902-7709

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: Sara Paiva-Lowry Date: 7/15/2022 Title: Manager, Environmental Regulatory Compliance

- Signed by Lead Agency Date received for filing at OPR: _____
- Signed by Applicant