

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(City CEQA Guidelines)

Submission of this form is optional. The form shall be filed with the County Clerk, 12400 Imperial Highway, Norwalk, CA 90650, pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152(b). Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21168(d), the filing of this notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on Court challenges to the approval of the project. Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

LEAD CITY AGENCY AND ADDRESS: Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADPW) 111 N. Hope Street, Room 1044 Los Angeles, CA 90012	COUNCIL DISTRICT 3 – Blumenfield
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PROJECT TITLE Jordan Ave and Valerio Street Mainline Replacement	LOG REFERENCE N/A
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PROJECT LOCATION
7400 Jordan Ave (northern boundary), 7401 Jordan Ave (southern boundary)

DESCRIPTION OF NATURE, PURPOSE, AND BENEFICIARIES OF PROJECT:
 The proposed project consists replacing 5,841ft of ductile iron water main in the LADWP West Valley District, in the Canoga Park neighborhood of the City of Los Angeles. The proposed project will replace 6-inch and 8-inch mainlines through rolling construction with trench sections 2 feet wide and 4 feet deep. Construction is anticipated to begin April 13, 2023. The following section of mainline will be replaced:

6-inch Mainline: 2,512 feet along Valerio St (55-ft ECL Topanga Canyon Boulevard and 31-ft WCL Canoga Avenue)
 665 feet along Owensmouth Avenue (32-ft NCL Valerio Street and 24-ft NCL Wyandotte Street)

8-inch Mainline: 2,664 feet along Jordan Avenue (39-ft NCL Valerio St and 29-ft NCL Hart Street)

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EXEMPT STATUS: (Check One)

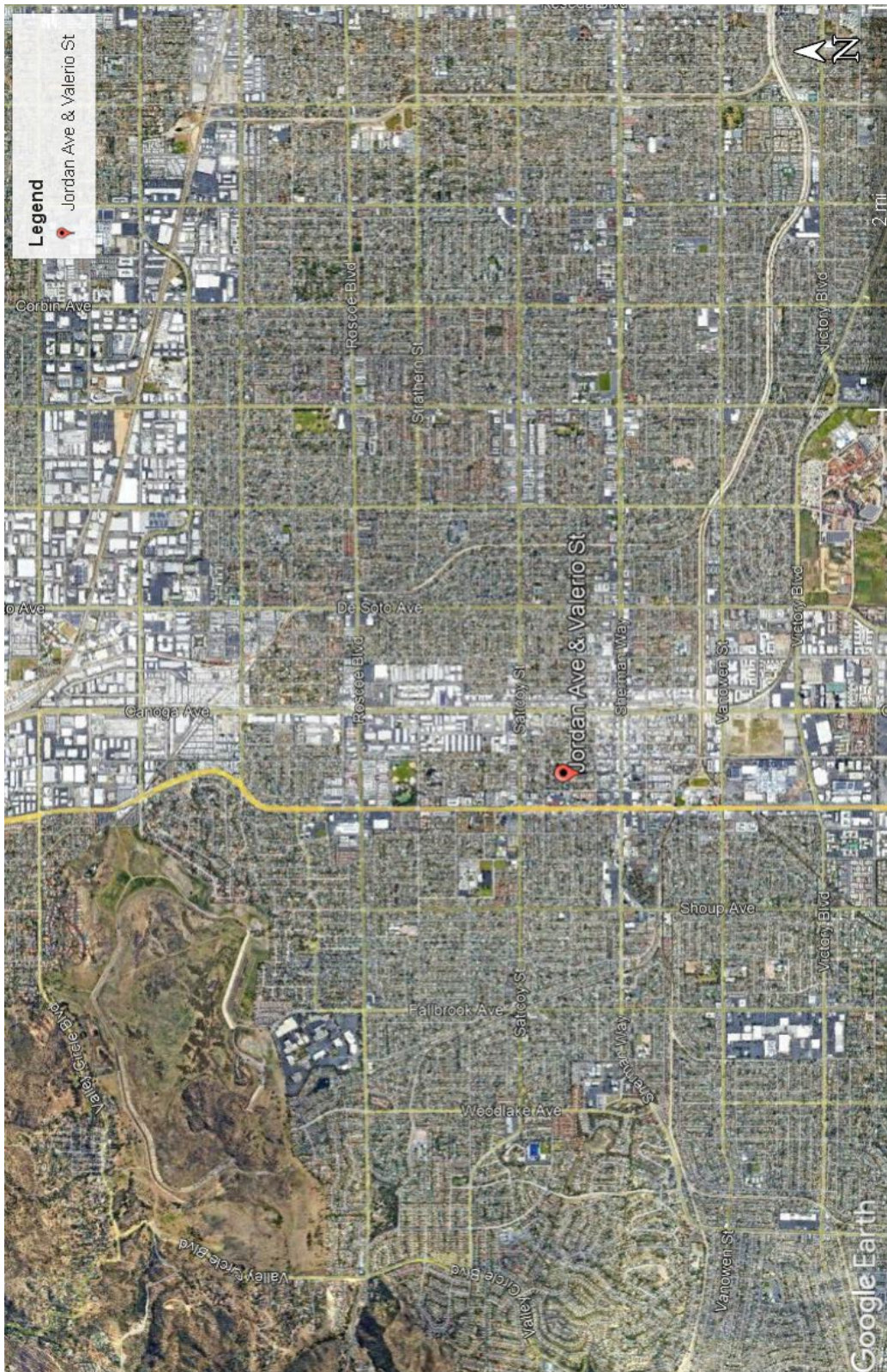
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<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (See Public Resources Code Sec. 21080(b) and set forth state and city guidelines provision)	Art. II, Sec. 1	15060
	Art. III, Sec. 1	Sec. 15300

JUSTIFICATION FOR PROJECT EXEMPTION:
 In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act, this project is Categorically Exempt from CEQA review pursuant to section 15301 (Existing Facilities) and 15302 (Replacement or Reconstruction). Section 15301, Class 1 consists of the operation repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of the existing or former use. Section 15302, Class 2 consists of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced, including the replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems/facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity. The proposal for the Jordan Avenue and Valerio Street Mainline Replacement Project meets the requirements of these exemptions; therefore, no further CEQA review is required.

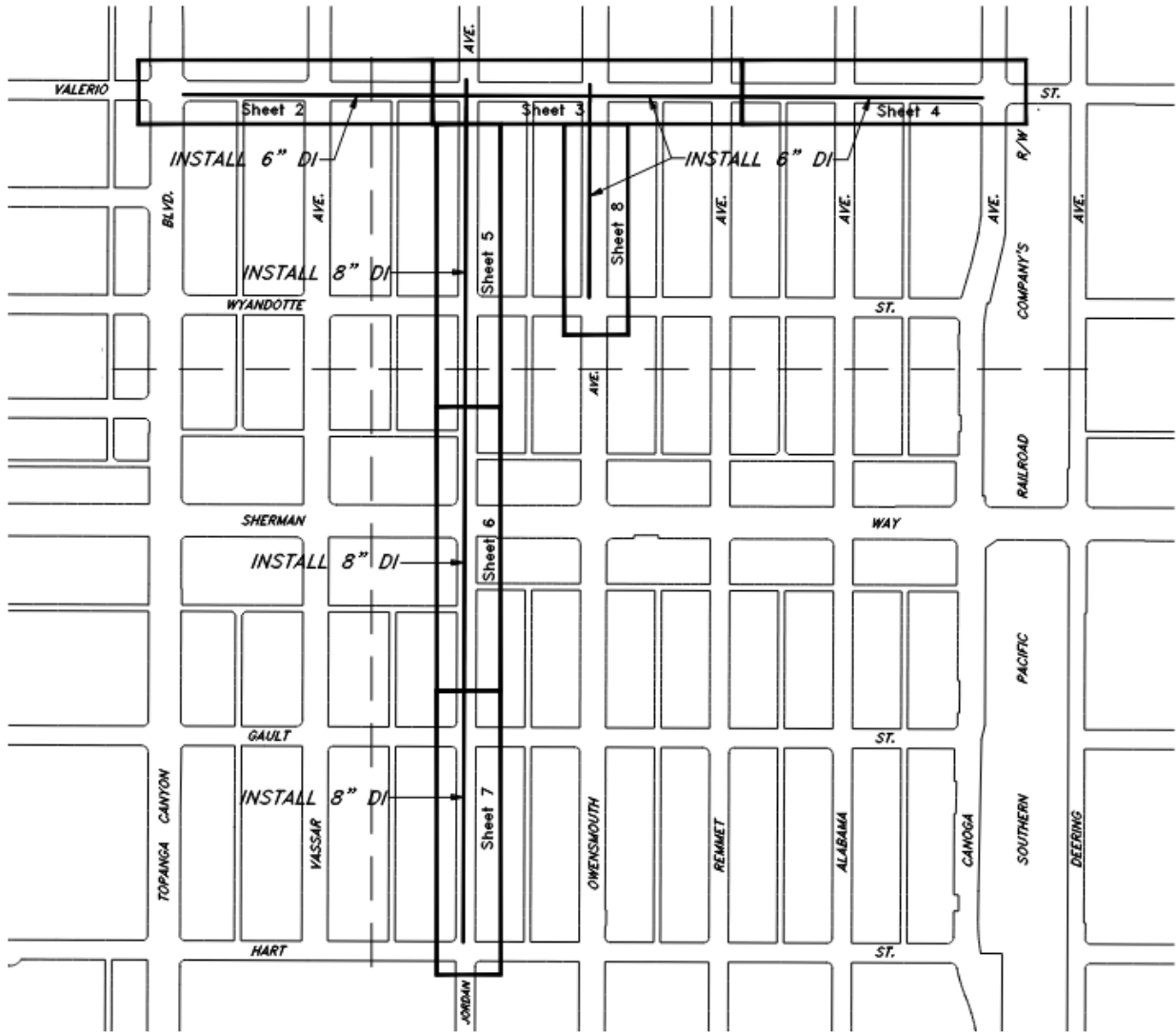
IF FILED BY APPLICANT, ATTACH CERTIFIED DOCUMENT OF EXEMPTION FINDING

SIGNATURE Charles C. Holloway	TITLE: Manager of Environmental Planning and Assessment	DATE 07/26/2022
FEE: \$75.00	RECEIPT NO.	REC'D BY
		DATE

Attachment A: Proposed Mainline Replacement Vicinity Map



Attachment B: Proposed Mainline Replacement Map



LOCATION MAP