

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research State Clearinghouse 1400 Tenth Street, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95814 County Clerk (County of): N/A	From: Department of Fish and Wildlife Wildlife Conservation Board P.O. Box 944209 Sacramento, CA 99244-2090 Attention: Don Crocker
Project Title: Camino Cielo Bridge Replacement Final Design	
Project Applicant: Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB)	
Project Location – Specific: APN(s) The Camino Cielo Road bridge over the Ventura River	
Project Location – City: Approximately 4 miles northwest of the city of Ojai	
Project Location – County: Ventura	
CEQA Region: S. CA	
Description of Nature, Purpose, and Benefits of Project: The project will complete final design plans, specifications and cost estimates for a new bridge across the Ventura River near the intersection of Camino Cielo Road and State Highway 33. These design plans will enable construction of a new bridge to replace an existing three-cell box culvert across the upper Ventura River that is regularly overwhelmed by moderate and high flows. WCB Project Tracker ID: 2021184	
Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Fish and Wildlife, WCB	
Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out the Project: John P. Donnelly, Executive Director, WCB	
Exempt Status: (Check One) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial (Sec. 15268): <input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency [Sec. 15269 (a)]: <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project [Sec. 15269 (b) and (c)]: <input type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption. State Section number and type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Statutory Exemptions, State code Number: Section 15262, Feasibility and Planning Studies	
Reasons why this project is exempt: The project involves only feasibility or planning studies for possible future actions, which the board has not approved, adopted, or funded.	
Lead Agency Contact Person: John P. Donnelly	
Area Code/Telephone Extension: (916) 205-4730	
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? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes, (by this notice) <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Signature: <small>DocuSigned by:</small> <i>John P. Donnelly</i>	Title: Executive Director
Date: 8/30/2022	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Signed by Lead Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Signed by Applicant
Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 21108, 21152, 21152.1, Public Resources Code	SCH #: Posted Date: Date Received for Filing at OPR: