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LEAD AGENCY Frazier Park Public Utility District (FPPUD)

PROJECT TITLE FPPUD Elm Trail Water Tank Replacement Project

PROJECT APPLICANT Frazier Park Public Utility District

PHONE NUMBER (661) 331-2995

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 4020 Park Drive (PO Box 1525)

CITY Frazier Park STATE CA ZIP CODE 93225

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Notice of Exemption

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From: Frazier Park Public Utility District
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09/03/2022
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Project Title: Frazier Park Public Utility District Elm Trail Water Tank Replacement Project

Project Location S Specific: The proposed project is located in the community of Frazier Park, a community located just west of Interstate 5 in Kern County at the intersection of three counties: Kern, Los Angeles and Ventura. The site is located on Elm Trail, just north of Poplar Trail.

Project Location S City: Community of Frazier Park in unincorporated territory of Kern County

Project Location S County: Kern County

Description of Project: The Frazier Park Public Utilities District (District) will consider approval and implementation of the Elm Trail Water Tank Replacement Project to replace the existing badly corroded 200,000 water tank with a new tank. Associated support systems may be modified or updated to support the new reservoir.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Frazier Park Public Utility District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Frazier Park Public Utility District

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sections 21080(b)(1); 15268)
- Declared Emergency (Sections 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Sections 21080(b)(4); 15269(b))
- Categorical Exemption (Sections 21080(b)(9); 21084; 15302, Class 2)

Reasons why project is exempt: The State CEQA Guidelines provide a series of Categorical Exemptions for projects that have been deemed to have minimal impacts on the environment. The proposed replacement of the Elm Trail Water Tank to maintain future water supply to the higher elevations of the District has been determined to have no potential to cause significant adverse effects on the environment and will ensure that the management of water supply to the future service area will be ensured without significant adverse impact on the environment. The Class 2 Categorical Exemption reads *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 of the structure replaced, including but not limited to: (c) Replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems and/or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity.* The proposed action has been determined to fall within the scope of the Class 2 Exemption. Section 15302(c). Therefore, this proposed action qualifies with a Class 2 Categorical Exemption.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Jonnie Allison

Area Code/
Telephone/Ext: (661) 331-2995

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? G Yes G No

Signature: [Signature]

Title: General Manager

Date: 9/29/22