

Notice of Exemption

COUNTY OF
SAN BERNARDINO

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From: San Bernardino County
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Project Description

APN:	0230-051-14 & 15
PROJECT NO.	PER-2022-00013
APPLICANT:	San Gabriel Water Company
PROPOSAL:	The Fontana Water Company (FWC) Regional Domestic Water Facilities will be located on the existing FWC Plant F7 on Cherry Avenue, as shown on the attached figure. The FWC Regional Domestic Water Facilities being proposed are a 551 gallon per minute domestic water well, a 2.15 million gallon domestic water above ground steel storage reservoir, a 4,551 gallon per minute domestic booster station and 4,240 lineal feet of 16-inch diameter domestic water transmission main along Cherry Avenue that will connect to the FWC Juniper Pressure Zone south of the site. The proposed domestic water well will take groundwater from the FWC Baseline Zone and will be stored in the water storage reservoir. The booster station will pump the stored water through the 16-inch domestic water transmission main into the FWC Juniper Zone. The Regional Domestic Water Facilities will provide service to the Speedway Commerce Center II and will also serve the unincorporated area of San Bernardino County that is within the Fontana Water Company service area. The estimated population that will be served by the Regional Domestic Water Facilities in the unincorporated area of San Bernardino County is 40,000 with an estimated area of 4,450 acres. The project schedule is two (2) years with estimated completion by October 2024.
COMMUNITY:	Fontana
LOCATION:	8334 Cherry Avenue

Applicant

San Gabriel Water Company
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Fontana, CA 92335
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Phone

Representative

Same as applicant
Name
Address

DATE FILED & POSTED

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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: 15303. New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures – Water mains, sewage, electrical, gas, and other utility extensions including street improvements, to serve individual customers.
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____
- Other Exemption: _____

Reasons why project is exempt: The proposed project meets the Categorical Exemptions guidelines and has been determined to be exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The project has been found categorically exempt per Section 15303. New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures because the exemption applies to the expansion of public utility facilities.


Signature: Steven Valdez

Planning Manager
Title

December 22, 2022
Date

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