

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
County Clerk
County of: San Bernardino
222 West Hospitality Ln.
San Bernardino, CA 92415

From: (Public Agency): Victor Valley Transit Authority
17150 Smoke Tree Street
Hesperia, CA 92345
(Address)

Project Title: VVTA Hydrogen Fueling Facility Project

Project Applicant: Victor Valley Transit Authority (VVTA)

Project Location - Specific:

The project would be located in the City of Hesperia at the southeast corner of Live Oak Street and E Avenue.
The assessor's parcel number is APN 0410-121-06.

Project Location- City: Hesperia Project Location - County: San Bernardino County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project would consist of hydrogen fueling equipment installation, civil grading, and civil-roadway improvements (Appendix 1-Figure 1). The lot is approximately 1.6 acres. The System would have the fueling capacity to serve up to 20 buses every 5 to 7 days and serve up to 20 cars daily. In December 2018, CARB adopted their Innovative Clean Transit (ICT) regulation, which requires all public transit agencies in the state to gradually transition to a 100-percent zero-emission bus fleet by 2040. The project would serve as a hydrogen fueling station for VVTA's bus fleet and one pump would be for public use.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Victor Valley Transit Authority (VVTA)

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Marie Downing

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:
Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 21080.25(b)(6)

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COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
CALIFORNIA
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project would construct infrastructure to charge or refuel zero-emission transit buses, it is being carried out by a public transit agency (VVTA) that is subject to, and in compliance with, the State Air Resources Board's Innovative Clean Transit regulations (Article 4.3 (commencing with Section 2023) of Chapter 1 of Division 3 of Title 13, of the California Code of Regulations) and the project is located on property owned by the transit agency.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Marie Downing Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (760) 995-3575

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

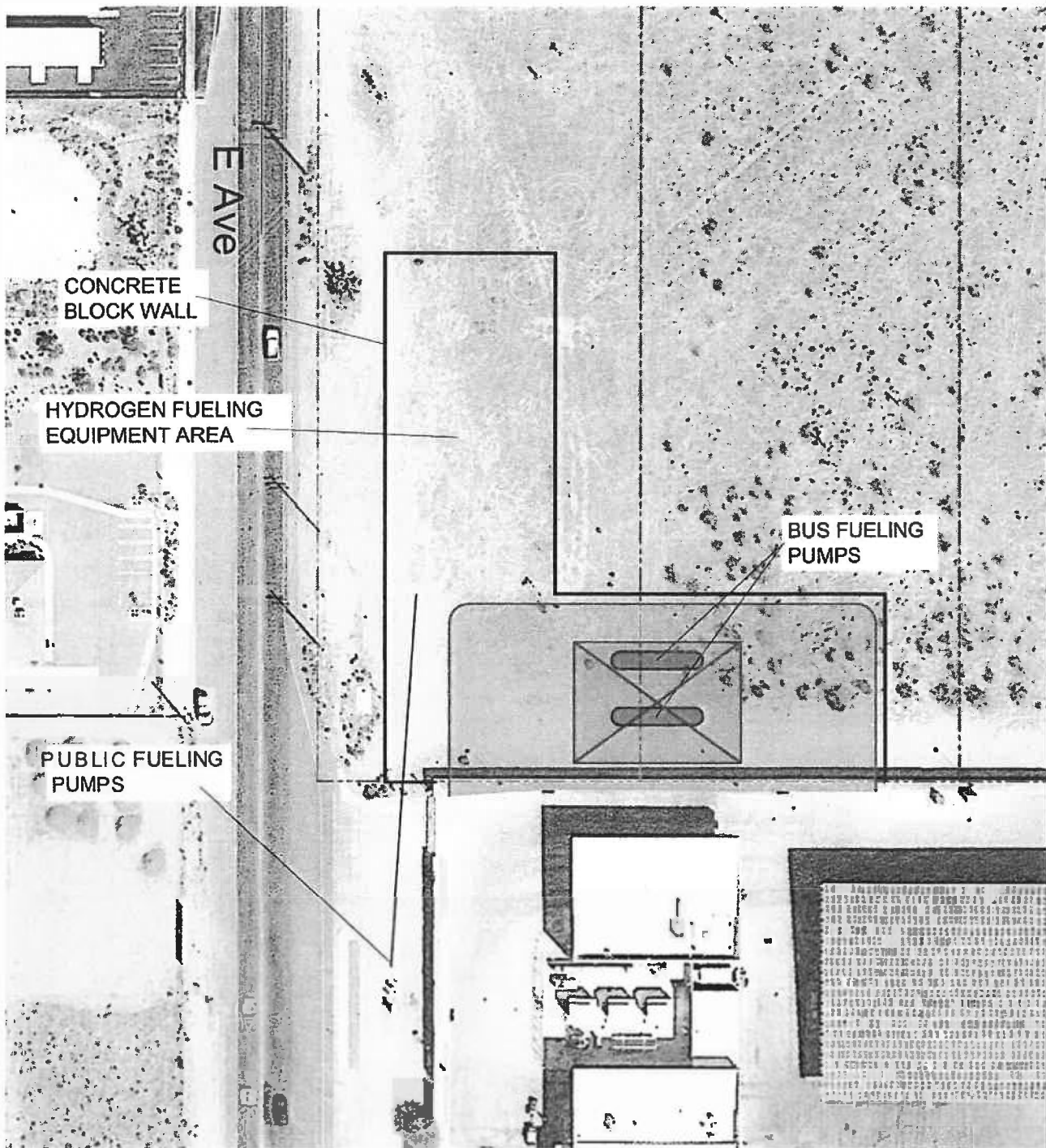
Signature: Marie Downing Date: 1/30/2023 Title: Grants Manager

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR:

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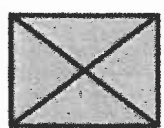


CONCRETE  
BLOCK WALL

HYDROGEN FUELING  
EQUIPMENT AREA

PUBLIC FUELING  
PUMPS

BUS FUELING  
PUMPS



PUMP ISLAND  
CANOPY



PCC ROADWAY/CURB  
SIDEWALK

Hesperia Bus Fueling  
Conceptual Layout  
9-9-22 1" = 50'





State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2023 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE**  
**CASH RECEIPT**  
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/23) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:  
 36 — 02082023 — 081  
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (if applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY Victor Valley Transit Authority	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 02082023
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING San Bernardino	DOCUMENT NUMBER	

PROJECT TITLE  
 VVTA Hydrogen Fueling Facility Project

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME Victor Valley Transit Authority	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (760) 995-3575
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 17150 Smoke Tree Street	CITY Hesperia	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 92345

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency     School District     Other Special District     State Agency     Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$3,839.25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0.00
  - Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,764.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0.00
  - Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$1,305.25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
  - Exempt from fee
    - Notice of Exemption (attach)
    - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
  - Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)
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- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 0.00
  - County documentary handling fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 50.00
  - Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT METHOD:

Cash     Credit     Check     Other    **TOTAL RECEIVED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ 50.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Jessica Ruiz Deputy Clerk
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