

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County of: Yolo
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By Jaramirez, Deputy



Project Title: China Bend Acquisition

Project Applicant: River Partners

Project Location - Specific:
38.904112, -121.805968 (project center)

Project Location - City: Knights Landing (15 mi) Project Location - County: Yolo

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

River Partners will acquire fee title to 1,002 acres (Yolo County APNs 053-040-001, 053-040-002, 053-040-003, 053-110-001, and 053-110-004) known as the China Bend Property for conservation purposes with funding from California Department of Water Resources Central Valley Tributaries Program. This project will benefit fish and wildlife as well as local communities.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Yolo County Resource Conservation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: River Partners

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: Section 15313: Acquisition of Lands for Wildlife Conservation Purposes
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

River Partners is purchasing fee title to 1,002 acres to with the intent to preserve fish and wildlife habitat and establish new habitat at this location in the future with additional funding, permitting and CEQA coverage.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Maggie Blankinship Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 209-872-3744

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

Signature: Heather Nichols Date: 2/27/2023 Title: Executive Director
Signed by Lead Agency

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

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