

# Notice of Exemption

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From: (Public Agency) Department of Water Resources  
Division of Operations and Maintenance  
715 P Street, Sacramento CA 95814

(Address)

County Clerk  
County of \_\_\_\_\_  
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Project Title: SBA Annual Erosion Repair (OM-DFD-2023-012)

**Project Location - Specific:**

SWP Facility: South Bay Aqueduct (SBA). Mile Markers: MM 3.30 (Primary Side), MM 10.60 (Primary Side), MM 15.80 (Secondary Side), MM 15.97 (Primary Side).  
Coordinates: MM 3.30: 37°45'51.03"N, 121°40'32.08"W. MM 10.60: 37°41'8.74"N, 121°41'3.41"W. MM 15.80: 37°39'12.34"N, 121°44'00.32" W. MM 15.97: 37°39'18.06"N, 121°44'14.08" W.  
Cross Streets: Dyer Road, Marina Ave., Wentle St, Lupin Way

Project Location – City: Livermore Project Location – County: Alameda

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:**

DWR Staff staff will break down, fill, and repair areas of erosion along the primary and secondary sides of the South Bay Aqueduct. Erosions will each be broken down with a backhoe and compacted by roller. Approximately 30 yards of native soil fill material and 50 yards of ¾" road base will be used for backfill. Areas will be compacted around road drains. MM 10.60 will be broken down, backfilled, and compacted to grade with 100 tons of fill dirt used for erosion fill. A culvert may be installed to direct water to drain properly. Soil is stored at the Dyer or Patterson Yards. All equipment and work are within the DWR ROW.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Department of Water Resources

**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: Class 1, Existing Facilities, Section No. 15301(b)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reasons why project is exempt:**

The State Water Project provides significant and critical services to many Californians. This project is exempt because it involves routine maintenance activities. This project will not result in impacts to special status species or habitat. The Categorical Exemption Class 1 will be used for CEQA compliance as this activity will be implemented without any environmental impacts.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Jennifer Worsley Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 902-7189

**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: Jennifer Worsley Date: 4/11/2023 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist (Spec)

- Signed by Lead Agency Date received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_
- Signed by Applicant