

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:

Governor's Office of Planning and Research
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812

FROM:

State Water Resources Control Board
Division of Financial Assistance
1001 I Street, 16th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER: N/A

PROJECT NUMBER: 5200014-001P

PROJECT TITLE: Wilson Acres MWC Infrastructure Rehabilitation Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: City of Red Bluff, Tehama County

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) is the Lead Agency for the Project. The State Water Board's Clean/Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Program is financing the Project. The Project includes development of plans and specifications to replace the aging distribution watermain piping and mechanical well head components, and evaluate the operational effectiveness of the existing pressure tank or replace the existing pressure tank with a new larger tank.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: The State Water Board has approved SRF financing for the Project described above on April 19, 2023 and determined that the Project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act. The Wilson Acres Mutual Water Company will be carrying out the Project.

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:

Class 6: Information Collection

(California Code of Regulations, title 14, division 6, chapter 3, article 19, section 15306)

STATUTORY EXEMPTION STATUS:

Feasibility and Planning Studies

(California Code of Regulations, title 14, division 6, chapter 3, article 18, section 15262)

REASON WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: The Project has been determined to meet the requirements of the exemptions selected above and will not have a significant impact on the environment. The Project includes basic data collection, research, experimental

management, resource evaluation activities and feasibility or planning studies for possible future actions which the State Water Board has not approved or funded.

LEAD AGENCY: State Water Resources Control Board

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Abbygayle Britton

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A record of financing approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Financial Assistance at 1001 I Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. Pursuant to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) Code, Section 711.4(d)(1), the CDFW environmental review filing fees do not apply to exempt projects.

Signature: _____

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