Notice of Exemption

California Envirnmental Quality Act

TO: X County Clerk
County of Siskiyou
510 North Main St.
Yreka, CA 96097

TO: X State of California
Office of Planning & Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: City of Montague
PO BOX 428
Montague, CA 96064
phone: (530) 459-3030

Project Title: Montague Wastewater Plant Improvement Exploratory Wells

Project Location Specific: City of Montague Wastewater Treatment Plant

Project Location - City - County: City of Montague, Siskiyou County

Project Description:

Based on the concern regarding potential hydraulic connectivity between the wastewater treatment ponds and the Oregon Slu, a groundwater study will be conducted. The study will consist of installation of three to four monitoring wells in upgradient and downgradient locations around the ponds, with the downgradient wells being located between the treatment ponds and the Oregon Slu. Constituents likely to be sampled include pH, dissolved oxygen, BOD, TSS, total Kjeldahl nitrogen, nitrate+nitrite, total nitrogen, and E. coli bacteria. Samples will be analyzed in a certified analytical laboratory.

Name of Person or Agency Carrying out Project
CITY OF MONTAGUE

Exempt Status (Check One)

- ☐ Ministerial (Section 21080(b)(1); 15268)
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
- ☐ Emergency Project (Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c))
- ☐ Statutory Exemption - Code No: _____
- X Categorical Exemption — Class 6 — Section No: 15306

Reason Why Project is Exempt : The project consists of basic data collection which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource.

Lead Agency Contact Person : David Dunn — Telephone: 530-459-5204

This Notice shall be filed only after approval of an exempt project.

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
3. Attach a $25.00 check made payable to County of Siskiyou.
4. Attach original and two copies of this Notice of Exemption.
5. Attach two self addressed, stamped envelopes.

Signature	Title	Date
	Senior Planner	4-26-2023

Signed by: ☐ Applicant **x Lead Agency**

AFFIDAVIT OF COUNTY CLERK FILING AND POSTING

I declare that on _____ I received and posted this Notice as required by California Public Resources Code Section 2115.2.
Said Notice will remain posted for thirty days from the filing date.

By _____ Date _____