

COUNTY RECORDER
Filing Requested by:
Yolo County Resource Conservation District
Name
221 West Court Street
Address
Woodland, CA 95695
City, State, Zip

Filed in County Clerk's Office

Jesse Salinas
Yolo County - Clerk/Recorder

57-05222023-053

05/22/2023
FISH
Pages: 2
Fee: \$ 50.00

By klopez, Deputy



Notice of Exemption

To:

Yolo County Clerk-Recorder
625 Court Street, Room B-01
Woodland, CA 95695

Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814

From:

Yolo County Resource Conservation District
221 West Court Street, Suite 1
Woodland, CA 95695

Project Title: Howat Ranch Carbon Farm Plan Implementation

Project Location – Specific: The Northeast corner of County Road 105 and 32A; Section T08N R3E MDPM, Davis USGS 7.5' Quad

Project Location – City Davis, California

Project Location – County: Yolo

Description of nature and purpose of the Project:

In 2019, the Yolo County RCD (YCRCD) completed a carbon farm plan for 760-acre property owned by the City of Davis. The YCRCD will implement a portion of the carbon farm plan by installing over 2000 feet of hedgerows on the site which will add habitat for songbirds, beneficial insects and other pollinator species. Activities will include weed control, watering, and installing plants on cultivated land adjacent to farm fields. Activities will be carried out with hand tools and the total acreage affected will not exceed 5 acres. Other project components include outdoor education; the planting will be done by high school students from a disadvantaged community. The project is strongly supported by the City of Davis Open Space Commission.

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

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Yolo County Resource Conservation District

Exempt Status:

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number _____
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 4: Minor Alterations to land
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

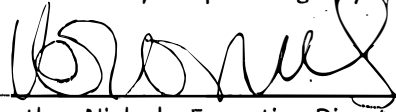
This pollinator and songbird habitat will take place on actively-managed farmland and will not result in any major alteration to the land. No healthy, mature trees will be removed.

Lead Agency Contact: Heather Nichols Phone: (530) 661-1688 ext. 3

If filed by Applicant:

1. Attach a certified document of exemption finding
2. Has a notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

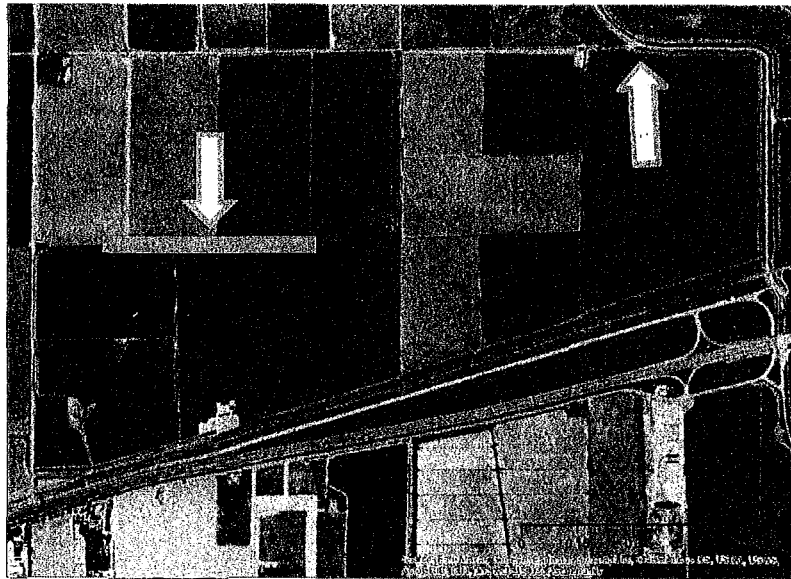
Signature (Lead Agency)



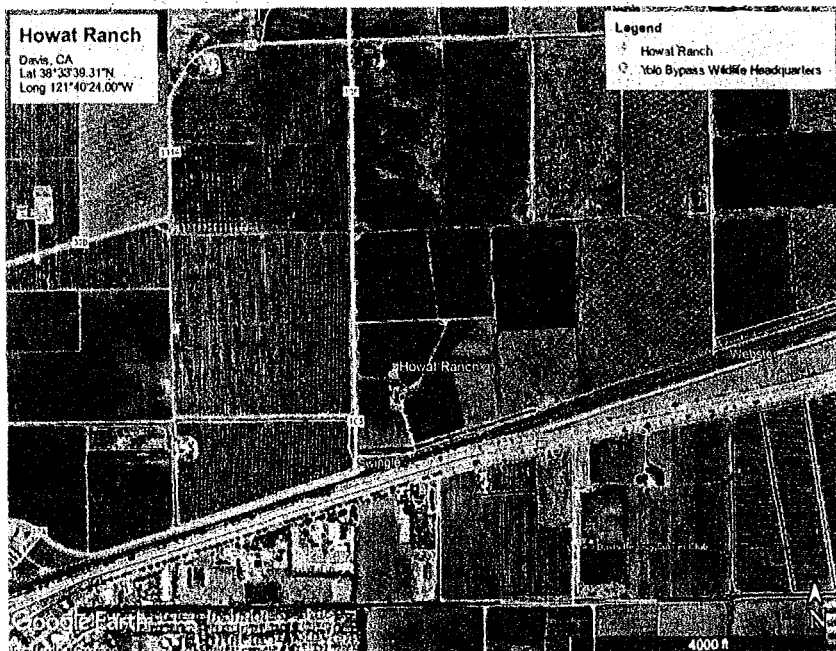
Date: 5/22/2023

Name/Title:

Heather Nichols, Executive Director



Howat Ranch- Hedgerow Development Opportunities; arrows denote first plantings



Project Location



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: 57-05222023-053
STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY YOLO COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL meyer@yolorcd.org	DATE 05/22/2023
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING YOLO	DOCUMENT NUMBER	

PROJECT TITLE
 HOWAT RANCH CARBON FARM PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME HEATHER NICHOLS	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL meyer@yolorcd.org	PHONE NUMBER 530-661-1688 EXT.3
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 221 WEST COURT STREET #1	CITY WOODLAND	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95695

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

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

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:


<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$3,839.25	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,764.00	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,305.25	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exempt from fee		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Exemption (attach)		
<input type="checkbox"/> CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)		

<input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee		\$ 50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Other		\$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

Cash
 Credit
 Check
 Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Karla Lopez, Deputy County Clerk-Recorder
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