

Notice of Exemption

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

County Clerk
County of _____

(Address)

Project Title: O&M Slope Instability Erosion Repair (OM-DFD-2023-027)

Project Location - Specific:

Bank's Pumping Plant (BAPP), Mile Marker 3.02 to Mile Marker 3.14

Coordinates: LAT: 37°47'57.53"N, LONG: 121°37'15.80"W

Project Location – City: Byron Project Location – County: Contra Costa

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

DWR staff will break down, fill, and repair two areas of erosion on the southern slope behind Bank's Pumping Plant. The erosion at MM 3.14 will be broken down with a backhoe/long-reach excavator and then native soil fill material will be used to compact and reshape the erosion as needed. The erosion located at MM 3.02 is along the southern boundary of the parking lot. K-rails will be moved and debris from the eroded hillside cleared with a backhoe/excavator. Loose soil from the hillside will be re-compacted. All staging and work are within the DWR right of way.

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 to prevent further erosion damage to SWP facilities. 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: 8/10/2023 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist (Spec)

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

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