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601 NORTH ROSS STREET, 5th FLOOR
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA 92701

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Project Title: Approve Contract for Groundwater Control and Monitoring Systems Services at Central Region Landfills (OC Waste & Recycling Log #726)	
Project Location – Specific Gothard, Cannery Closed Landfills	
Project Location – City Huntington Beach	Project Location – County Orange County
Project Description: Approval of the contract with CES will provide operation and maintenance services of leachate, groundwater, and water supply systems at Central Region Landfills including closed sites to support regulatory compliance and post-closure maintenance activities. Services may include maintenance and repair of the potable/non-potable water system; leachate collection and removal system; groundwater extraction system; pump and groundwater monitoring wells; and as-needed services to support regulatory compliance.	
Public Agency Approving Project: Orange County Board of Supervisors	Date of Decision September 12, 2023 400 W. Civic Center Dr. Santa Ana, CA 92701
Public or Private Applicant: OC Waste & Recycling, 601 N. Ross Street, 5 th Floor, Santa Ana, CA 92701	
Exempt Status: (Check One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial [CEQA Guidelines Section 15268]	<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory [Type and Section Number]:
<input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency [Section 15269 (a) & (b)]	
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project [Section 15269 (a) & (b)]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption (Classes 1, 4, 7 & 8)
<input type="checkbox"/> Gen. Rule [Sec. 15061(b)(3)]	
Explanation of Exempt Status: The proposed action is Categorically Exempt (Class 1) from the provisions of CEQA pursuant to Section 15301 of the CEQA Guidelines, since Class 1 (Existing Facilities) consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographic features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. The proposed action is separately and independently Categorically Exempt (Class 4) from the provisions of CEQA pursuant to Section 15304 of the CEQA Guidelines, since Class 4 (Minor Alterations to Land) involves minor alterations to land. The proposed action is separately and independently Categorically Exempt (Class 7) from the provisions of CEQA pursuant to Section 15307 (Actions by Regulatory Agencies for Protection of Natural Resources), since Class 7 consists of actions taken by a public agency for the protection of natural resources. The proposed action is separately and independently Categorically Exempt (Class 8) from the provisions of CEQA pursuant to Section 15308 (Actions by Regulatory Agencies for Protection of the Environment), since Class 8 consists of actions taken by a public agency for the protection of the environment. Contract approval allows for operation and maintenance of water systems at Central Region closed landfills. Contract work at closed sites will only serve to enhance environmental protection and site integrity in conformance with environmental protection requirements pursuant to monitoring, reporting and compliance agreements with regulatory entities for ongoing closed site maintenance, which is consistent with a Class 1, Class 4, Class 7 and Class 8 Categorical Exemption determination.	
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NOTE: Exempt of County Fees per Government Code Section 6103

Signature: Aimee Halligan

Title: Regulatory Compliance Manager

Date: September 14, 2023