

Notice of Exemption

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From Placer County Water Agency
P.O. Box 6570
Auburn, CA 95603
(Public Agency and Address)

[X] County Clerk, County of: Placer

Project Title: Highway 49 & Lincoln Way Emergency Pipeline Repair

Project Location - Specific: Intersection of Highway 49 and Lincoln Way

Project Location - City: Auburn Project Location - County: Placer

Description of Project: Caltrans is currently constructing a roundabout at the intersection of Highway 49 and Lincoln Way. During the excavation work of the roundabout, a leak was found on PCWA's treated water main and temporarily repaired. This section is a steel main originally installed circa 1965. Based on the condition and age of the main that was repaired, it is anticipated that the main is failing in other portions of the 230-foot section underneath Highway 49. This emergency repair of the treated water main will be installed within the roundabout construction project, existing roadway corridor and previously disturbed road shoulders.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Placer County Water Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Placer County Water Agency

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268)
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
[X] Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
Categorical Exemption. State type and section number:
Statutory Exemption. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt: This work consists of emergency repairs to publicly owned service facilities necessary to maintain service essential to public health, safety or welfare. Emergency repairs include those that require a reasonable amount of planning to address the anticipated emergency. Specific actions necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency. (Guidelines Article 18, Section 15269 (b)(c)).

Lead Agency Area Code/
Contact Person: Jeremy Shepard, Director of Technical Services Telephone/Extension: 530-823-4850

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: Heather Trejo Date: 10/31/23 Title: Environmental Scientist

[X] Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR:

[] Signed by Applicant