## **Notice of Exemption**

Appendix E

<b>To:</b> Office of Planning and Research P.O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044	From: (Public Agency): 11999 Palm Drive	City of Desert Hot Springs
	Desert Hot Springs, CA 92240	
County Clerk	<del></del>	
County of: Riverside 2724 Gateway Drive		(Address)
Riverside, CA 92507		
Project Title: Desert Hot Springs MDP - Line C-1  Project Applicant: City of Desert Hot Springs		
Project Location - Specific: The project is located in the City of Desert Hot Springs within the existing Panorama Dr, Calle Amapola, Hacienda Ave, Redbud Dr and Deodar Ave right of way generally between Deodar Ave to the North and Panorama Dr to the South. The proposed projectis located within Township 3 South. Range 5 East. SBBM. Section 33 of the Seven Palms Vallev 7.5 Minute US Geological Survey (USGS) Topographic		
Project Location - City: Desert Hot Sprin	ngs Project Location - 0	County: Riverside
Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:		
The proposed project consists of the construction and subsequent maintenance of approximately 4,600 linear feet of underground storm drain (24 -60 inch reinforced concrete pipe) and catch basins. The purpose of the project is to provide flood protection to the adjacent residences.		
Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Desert Hot Springs		
Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Desert Hot Springs		
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:  Statutory Exemptions. State code number: PRC §21080.21-Public Right -of-Way Projects		
Reasons why project is exempt:		
The proposed project meets the CEQA statutory exemption cited above stating that CEQ A does not apply to any project of less than one mile in length within a public street or highway or any other public right-of-way for the installation of new pipeline or the maintenance, repair, restoration, reconditioning, relocation, replacement, removal, or demolition of an existing pipeline. For purposes of this exemption, "pipeline" includes subsurface facilities but does not include any surface facility related to the operation of the underground facility.		
Lead Agency Contact Person: Michael Garvey  Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 760.329.6411 extension:		
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: Michael Garvey	Date: 11-30-2023 -	Title: Associate Engineer
■ Signed by Lead Agency □ Signed by Applicant		
Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.  Date Received for filing at OPR: N/A		