

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: San Bernardino County
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
385 North Arrowhead Avenue
San Bernardino, CA 92415

From: Inland Empire Utilities Agency
6075 Kimball Avenue
Chino, CA 91708

Project Title: IEUA Sewer Line Emergency Repair Project, EN23089.02

Project Location: The proposed project is located in the City of Chino, east of State Highway 71 and south of Riverside Avenue.

Project Location - City: Chino

Project Location - County: San Bernardino

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of the Project: The purpose of the proposed project is to conduct an emergency repair of the IEUA sewer pipeline to prevent a major pipeline breach and released of raw sewage into the San Antonio Creek channel. This will be done by removing a blockage and slip lining the pipeline to maintain future collection capability of the pipeline. This action must be implemented as soon as possible to maintain adequate delivery of the wastewater to the IEUA's Water Reclamation facilities.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inland Empire Utilities Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Inland Empire Utilities Agency

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Sections 21080(b)(1); 15268)
Declared Emergency (Sections 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
Emergency Project (Sections 21080(b)(4); 15269(b))
Statutory Exemption (Section 15269 (b)(c))

Reasons why project is exempt: The State CEQA Guidelines provide a series of Statutory Exemptions for actions that have been deemed by the State Legislature to be exempt from (not subject to) the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The proposed emergency repair of the IEUA sewer pipeline near the San Antonio Creek channel within an existing public right-of-way has been determined to qualify for a Statutory Exemption under Section 15269(b)(c) of the CEQA the statute and the State CEQA Guidelines. Section 15269 exempts (b) Emergency repairs to publicly or privately owned service facilities necessary to maintain service essential for public health, safety or welfare and (c) Specific actions necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency. The proposed repair of the sewer pipeline has been determined to not fall under the jurisdiction of CEQA and the State CEQA Guidelines because these activities fall within the scope of the emergency criteria listed in Section 15289(b)(c). Therefore, this action qualifies with the requirements for an Emergency Project Statutory Exemption in compliance with Section 15269(b)(c) of the State CEQA Guidelines.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Pietro Cambiaso Telephone: (909) 993-1600

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Title: Manager of Compliance and Sustainability Date: 12/21/23

DATE FILED & POSTED

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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:
 36 — 12282023 — 049
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY Inland Empire Utilities Agency	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 12282023
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COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING San Bernardino	DOCUMENT NUMBER
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PROJECT TITLE
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PROJECT APPLICANT NAME Inland Empire Utilities Agency	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (909) 993-1600
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PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 6075 Kimball Avenue	CITY Chino	STATE CA	ZIP CODE 91708
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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	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,764.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,305.25	\$	

Exempt from fee
 Notice of Exemption (attach)
 CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
 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	\$	0.00
<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 Cynthia Merendon, Deputy Clerk
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