

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
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County Clerk  
County of: Orange  
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From: (Public Agency): City of Seal Beach  
211 Eighth Street  
Seal Beach, CA 90740

(Address)

Project Title: Hellman Ranch Water Line Rehabilitation Project

Project Applicant: City of Seal Beach

Project Location - Specific:

Northeast of Pacific Coast Highway at First Street

Project Location - City: Seal Beach Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The City of Seal Beach plans to rehabilitate an existing 18-inch water main which has experienced recent failures and resulting outage of community water service. The water line will be accessed at eight locations to allow for insertion of a pipeline liner which will extend the life of the pipeline.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Seal Beach

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Seal Beach

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: 15301 - Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

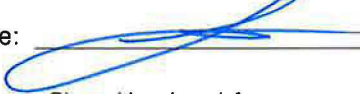
The City of Seal Beach has determined the project to be categorically exempt in accordance with section 15301b (Existing Facilities) - Class 1, as an existing facility owned by a publicly owned utility used to provide water service to the City of Seal Beach. The proposed project would not increase the capacity of the existing water line.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Iris Lee Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (562)431-2527

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:  Date: 8/8/2022 Title: City 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: \_\_\_\_\_