

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

<input type="checkbox"/> Office of Planning and Research P. O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044	<b>FROM:</b> Name: Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District (Public Agency) Address: 31315 Chaney Street, Lake Elsinore, CA 92530 Telephone: (951) 674 - 3146
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Riverside County Clerk County Clerk's Office P.O. Box 751 Riverside, CA 92502-0751 2724 Gateway Drive Riverside, CA 92507	

1. Project Title:	Goetz Road Intertie Project with Eastern Municipal Water District Project (EMWD)
2. Project Applicant:	Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District (EVMWD)
3. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15' or 7 1/2' topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	Goetz Road at Canyon Lake Drive North, Canyon Lake, CA
4. (a) Project Location – City: Canyon Lake	(b) Project Location – County: Riverside
5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:	This project will construct an intertie connection between the Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District (EVMWD) and Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD). The intertie will provide EVMWD the flexibility to supplement water supply to the District while the Canyon Lake Water Treatment Plant is offline. The interconnection will have a bidirectional meter installed to enable either water district to supply water in an emergency.
6. Name of Public Agency approving project:	Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District
7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity:	Elsinore Valley Municipal Water District 31315 Chaney Street, Lake Elsinore, CA 92530
8. Exempt status: (check one)	
(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial project.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Not a project.	State CEQA Guidelines 15050(c)(2)-(3)
(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))
(d) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))
(e) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption. State type and section number:	§15303, Class 3 Exemption, New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures

(f) <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:	
(g) <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Explanation:	
9. Reason why project was exempt:	This project consists of installation of an intertie connection (with bidirectional meter) between (2) existing water mains owned by EVMWD and EMWD. Work is within the public right-of-way and previously impacted areas. The project involves construction of a small facility where only minor modifications are made to the water main with no increase to capacity.
10. Lead Agency Contact Person: Telephone:	Parag Kalaria, Interim Director of Engineering & Water Resources 951-674-3146
11. If filed by applicant: Attach Certificate of Determination (Form "B") before filing.	
12. Was a public hearing held by the Lead Agency to consider the exemption? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If yes, the date of the public hearing was:	

Parag Kalaria  
Signature

Date: February 22, 2024

Parag Kalaria  
Name

Title: Interim Director of Engineering & Water Resources

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing:

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Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.