

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Central Valley Flood Protection Board  
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**State Clearinghouse Number:** 2024050428

**Project Title:** Minor Alteration No. WA2024175 Four Drainage Pipe Replacements for Egbert Tract

**Project Applicant (if any):** Reclamation District 536

**Project Location/Address/City/County:** T The project is located within Solano County, north of the City of Rio Vista along RD 536. Egbert Tract, Unit 1, Lindsey Slough Right Bank Levee starting at levee mile 0.00 to levee mile 3.921.

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** To remove and replace four State Plan of Flood Control (SPFC) system drainage pipes. The scope of work consists of full removal and replacement of existing aging drainage pipes and appurtenant structures. Pipe replacement will include open cut removal of the pipe penetration and the installation of a new pipe from access point to access point. New inlet and outlet structures will also be placed at access points with erosion control at waterside pipe ends, which may include riprap, headwalls, and gate structures.

**Public Agency Approving Project:** Central Valley Flood Protection Board (Board)

**Public Agency/Person Carrying Out Project:** Reclamation District 536

**Exempt Status:**

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Sec. 15301, and 15302

**Reasons Why Project is Exempt:**

The project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1, Existing Facilities categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15301), because the activity consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use. No expansion of existing or former use will occur. The project is also exempt from CEQA under Class 2, Replacement or Reconstruction categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, 15302), because the activity consists of replacement and reconstruction of an existing structure in the same site and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the replaced structure. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply.

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*Chris Lief*

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Signature                      Chris Lief, Executive Officer                      Date

- Signed by Lead Agency                       Signed by Responsible Agency

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