

Notice of Exemption

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- To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814
- Tulare County Clerk
Room 105, Courthouse
221 South Mooney Boulevard
Visalia, California 93291

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Lead Agency: Tulare County C/O Resource Management Agency
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Applicant(s): Rick Garcia
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Tulare, CA 93274
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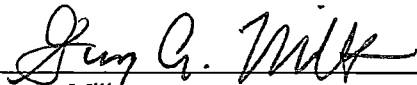
Project Title: Minor Modification, MIM 24-021 (PSP 78-025), Garcia
Project Location - Specific: 12521 Avenue 200, Tulare, CA 93274, APN 191-170-001
Project Location- Section, Township, Range: Sec. 32, T. 20S, R 25E MDB&M
Project Location - City: Near Tulare **Project Location - County:** Tulare
Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: Minor Modification to PSP 78-025 to update the Site Plan to reflect the addition of an earthen berm in an existing lagoon, a lift station, and three (3) wastewater processing beds to the existing Dairy facility.


Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- General Rule: CEQA guidelines 15061 (b)(3)
- Categorical Exemption: CEQA Guidelines Class 1 Section 15301 Existing Facilities (c)
- Categorical Exemption: Section 15302 Replacement or Reconstruction of Existing Structures/Facilities
- Categorical Exemption: Section 15305 Minor Alterations to Land Use Limitations

Reasons why project is exempt: Project is categorically exempt, from review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the State CEQA Guidelines, pursuant to Title 14, Cal. Code Regulations Section 15301, Class 1, pertaining to Existing Facilities and, therefore, is not subject to CEQA. The Planning Director finds there is no substantial evidence that said Minor Modification will have a significant effect on the environment and determines that the Notice of Exemption for said Minor Modification reflects the independent judgment of the County and has been completed in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act and the State Guidelines for the Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Tulare, Resource Management Agency
Project Planner: David Alexander **Area Code/Telephone:** 559-624-7138

Signature:  Date: 5/30/24 Title: Chief Environmental Planner
 Gary A. Mills

Signature:  Date: 5/30/24 Title: Environmental Assessment Officer
 Reed Schenke

- Signed by Lead Agency Date received for filing at OPR: _____
- Signed by Applicant Date Sent to the Tulare County Clerk: _____