

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:  Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
 County Clerk  
County of [County]

FROM: Department of Water Resources  
Division of Safety of Dams  
2720 Gateway Oaks Dr., Ste. 300  
Sacramento, CA 95833

Trashrack replacement (Matilija Dam, Dam Number 0086-000)

*Project Title*

Latitude Degrees: 34.4838, Longitude Degrees: -119.3084

*Project Location*

City of Ojai

County of Ventura

*Project Location - City*

*County*

Remove the existing trashrack and replace it with a newly designed trashrack

*Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project.*

Department of Water Resources, Division of Safety of Dams

*Name of Public Agency Approving Project*

Ventura County Watershed Protection District, Dam Owner

*Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project*

**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: Class I, Section 15301, (m)

Minor repairs to existing dam under the supervision of the Department of Water Resources.

*Reasons why project is exempt:*

Nekane Hollister

(916) 820-7831

*Contact Person*

*Area Code/Telephone/Extension*

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

Date received for filing at the OPR:

*Sharon Jones* for SKT

**Sharon K. Tapia, P.E.**

Division Manager, Division of Safety of Dams

Title 6/12/2024

**Date**

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*EJ Malrick* 6/11/2024  
and for DJB & MNH