



**LOS ANGELES COUNTY  
SANITATION DISTRICTS**  
*Converting Waste Into Resources*

County Sanitation District No. 2 of  
Los Angeles County  
1955 Workman Mill Road  
Whittier, CA 90601

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**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**To:** County Clerk, County of Los Angeles  
12400 East Imperial Highway  
Room 2001  
Norwalk, CA 92650

**Project Title:** Sanitation Districts Solid Waste System Rate Ordinance

**Project Location:** Puente Hills Materials Recovery Facility, 2808 Workman Mill Road, Whittier, CA 90601  
Nearest Cross Street: 60 Freeway  
South Gate Transfer Station, 9530 Garfield Avenue, South Gate, CA 90280  
Nearest Cross Street: Imperial Highway

**Project Description:** Prescribe fee and charge rates for the operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement of the above referenced refuse transfer facilities.

**Public Agency Approving Project:** County Sanitation District No. 2 of Los Angeles County

**Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** County Sanitation District No. 2 of Los Angeles County

**Exempt Status: (check one)**

- Ministerial
- Declared Emergency
- Emergency Project
- Categorical Exemption
- Statutory Exemption – Exempt from CEQA under Section 15273 of State Guidelines for Implementation of CEQA and under Section 21080(b)(8) of the Public Resources Code.

**Reasons Why**

**Project Is Exempt:** CEQA does not apply to the establishment, modification, structuring, restructuring, or approval of rates, tolls, fares, or other charges that are for the purpose of: funding operating expenses, including employee wage rates and fringe benefits; purchasing or leasing supplies, equipment, or materials; meeting financial reserve requirements; or obtaining funds for capital projects, necessary to maintain service within existing service areas.

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**Dates Notice Posted:**

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