

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency) CA Department of Water Resources
3500 Industrial Boulevard
West Sacramento, CA 95691

(Address)

County Clerk
County of Solano
675 Texas Street, Suite 1900
Fairfield, California 94533

Project Title: Suisun Marsh Salinity Control Gates Stop Log Concrete Rack

Project Location - Specific:
Project area is along Grizzly Island Road located in Solano, County.

Project Location – City: Suisun City Project Location – County: Solano

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The project proposes to construct a permanent stop log rack in the DWR owned fenced staging area on Grizzly Island west of and adjacent to the Suisun Marsh Salinity Control Gate (SMSCG). Stop logs are utilized at the SMSCG to help control the flow of water. The stop logs were newly fabricated at the beginning of the SMSCG refurbishment project, and were moved from gate to gate during the project. Currently, there are no storage racks for the stop logs. The purpose of the racks is to store the stop logs when they are not in use for maintenance. The project proposes to install a permanent stop log storage rack in the DWR fence yard at the SMSCG that will be used to store three (3) stop logs.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: CA Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: CA Department of Water Resources

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: Section No. 15303
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project was found to be exempt based on the following: Section 15303, Class 3 - (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures) Consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures. The installation of the stop log rack is a minor alteration and relatively small, accessory structure to the existing staging area.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Eric Rinderle Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-902-7007

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

Signature:  Date: 7/15/2024 Title: Senior HEPU Engineer

- Signed by Lead Agency Date received for filing at OPR: _____
- Signed by Applicant