

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency) CA Dept. of Water Resources
1416 9th Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

County Clerk
County of San Joaquin

(Address)

Project Title: Corral Hollow Creek Sediment Removal

Project Location - Specific:

The project is located at Corral Hollow Creek, in the County of San Joaquin, State of California; Latitude 37.674107, Longitude -121.445162.

Project Location – City: Unincorporated Tracy Project Location – County: San Joaquin County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The purpose of the project is to remove sediment from Corral Hollow Creek under chute and creek bed. Sediment will be removed so that Corral Hollow Creek is returned to its original grade between the underchute and downstream culvert. Vegetation and debris will be cleared from downstream culvert, and existing roads, ramps and staging areas will be maintained. Additional, earthen ramps will built up for creek access and removed when activities are complete. Maintenance of Corral Hollow Creek will ensure unimpeded flow of Corral Hollow Creek under the California Aqueduct and through the downstream culvert, so that water can pass without putting strain or risk to State Water project infrastructure, life, or property.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: 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: Class 1: 15301(b); Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The State Water Project provides significant and important services to many Californians. This project is exempt because it involves routine maintenance activities on existing facilities. This project will not result in impacts to special status species or habitat. This activity can be implemented without any significant environmental impacts to biological or cultural resources. Categorical Exemption Class 1 exempts the Corral Hollow Creek Sediment Removal project from CEQA.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Sarah Zorn Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 873-5267

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: Sarah Zorn Date: 7/16/2024 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist (S

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

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