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Project Title

Sierra Vista Replacement Domestic Well

Check Document being Filed:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) or Negative Declaration (ND)
- Notice of Exemption (NOE)
- Other (Please fill in type):

Notice of Exemption - Inyo County

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: (Public Agency): Inyo County Environmental Health Department
1360 N. Main St.
Bishop, CA 93514

County Clerk
County of: Inyo
PO Drawer L
Independence, CA 93526

(Address)

Project Title: Sierra Vista Replacement Domestic Well

Project Applicant: Donald Kunze, 2619 Sierra Vista Way, Bishop, CA 93514 - 8P 07/22/24
(760) 937-0128

Project Location - Specific:

Sierra Vista Way, Bishop, CA (APN 011-340-31)

Project Location - City: Bishop Project Location - County: Inyo

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project consists of drilling a new domestic drinking water well as a replacement for an aging and failing well. No additional ground water use is anticipated as part of this well replacement project. The existing, failing well will be destroyed under permit. The new domestic well will provide better quality water and greater reliability.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inyo County Environmental Health Department

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Donald Kunze

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: Sec. 15302, Subsection (c)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The improvements associated with the project meet the requirements for a categorical exemption under Section 15302. Replacement or Reconstruction - Class 2, Subsection (c) specifically covering the replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems and/or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Sarah Petersen, R.E.H.S. Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 760-878-8489

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: [Signature] Date: 7/19/2024 Title: Director

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: _____
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.