

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk

County of: Siskiyou

From: (Public Agency): _____
Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District
215 Executive Ct., Suite A. Yreka CA 96097

(Address)

Project Title: Meamber Fish Screen

Project Applicant: Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District

Project Location - Specific:

1317 Montague-Grenada Road. -122.538448, 41.709230

Project Location - City: Montague

Project Location - County: Siskiyou

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The landowner, Don Meamber and Barbara Hull own adjoining parcels and divert from a shared irrigation diversion and pump station on the Shasta River near the town of Montague, CA. The project will replace an existing tube screen that does not meet current NOAA standards. It will be replaced with a cone screen, and associated appurtenances to allow for continued legal riparian diversion of irrigation flows from the Shasta River. Benefits will include continued agricultural diversion for the landowner as well as improved protection for salmonid species at all life stages that utilize the river environment.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Shasta Valley Resource Conservation District

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: 15333
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project will replace an existing fish screen with minimal disturbance to the bed or bank of the Shasta River. A small area will be dewatered and concrete will be poured to anchor the new cone screen in the intake bay of the pump station. The project is less than 5 acres and is primarily being implemented to protect habitat and environmental conditions for salmonid species. The North Coast Water Quality Control Board will issue the General 401 Certification For Small Habitat Restoration Projects Notice of Applicability. SHRP projects are eligible for a NOE Notice of Exemption status.

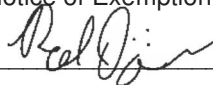
Lead Agency

Contact Person: Ayn Perry

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 530-572-3120

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: 7/24/24 Title: SVRCD Dist Manager

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____