



Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

California Environmental Quality Act Notice of Exemption for Clean Water Act Section 401 Water Quality Certification

To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: California Regional Water Quality Control Board
Central Valley Region, Redding Office
364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 205
Redding, CA 96002

Date: 12 September 2024

Project Title:

Red Bluff Telecommunications Site Project (Project)

Project Location - Specific:

Address: Rawson Avenue
Nearest City: Red Bluff, CA
Latitude: 40.10962° and Longitude: -122.25745°

Project Location - County:

Tehama County

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The Project proposes the installation of a new 2.5-foot-diameter by 50-foot-long culvert within an unnamed ephemeral drainage with the purpose of providing access to a small fixed wireless facility that will be constructed within a 208' by 208' acquired area of land.

Name of Public Agencies Approving Project:

State Agency approval for State Water Resources Control Board Water Quality Order No. 2004-0004-DWQ, Statewide General Waste Discharge Requirements for Dredged or Fill Discharges to Waters Deemed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to be Outside of Federal Jurisdiction: California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, Redding Office. WDID No. 5A52CR00238.

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:

Erin Lane
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Exempt Status:

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region has determined that the Project is categorically exempt from review under CEQA pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 14, article 19, section 15304, Minor Alterations to Land. Class 4 consists of minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes.

Reasons why Project is Exempt:

This project is Categorical Exempt under CEQA section 15304 because the project involves minor, private alterations to land, water, and/or vegetation with no removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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