

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:**

Governor's Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:**

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**Project Applicant:** Water System Name

**Project Title:** La Cumbre Mutual Water Company Well 16 Replacement Project (Project)

**Project Location:** 4101 State Street, Santa Barbara, 93110

**Project County:** Santa Barbara

**Project Description:** The Division of Drinking Water is permitting the operation of Well No. 22 as a new water supply well which will replace old Well No.16 at 4101 State Street in Santa Barbara. The new well will be constructed approximately 75 feet west of Well 16. Well 16 will be converted into a groundwater monitoring well for the measurement of water level data in the Foothill Groundwater Basin of Santa Barbara County.

**Public Agency Approving the Project:** State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board)

This is to advise that the State Water Board has issued a domestic water supply permit amendment for the above-described Project on September 13, 20225. A record of approval for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water district office listed above.

**CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION STATUS:**

**Class 1: Existing Facilities** Cal. Code of Regs., section 15301

**Class 2: Replacement or Reconstruction** Cal. Code of Regs., section 15302

**Reason Why the Project Is Exempt:** The Project is the replacement of an existing structure at an existing facility where the structure will have the substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced. None of the exceptions listed in section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines would apply to the proposed Project.

Signature: *Adrian Dela Calzada* Date: 9/13/2024

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