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Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Fire Station 52 Generator Replacement

Project Location: 1520 Arlington Blvd, El Cerrito, CA

Project Description: The project consists of the replacement of an existing 58kW diesel generator with a new 58kW diesel generator.

Name of approving public agency: City of El Cerrito

Project Applicant: City of El Cerrito Fire Department

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. (Section 15301)
- Statutory Exemption.
- Other: **Section 15601(b)(3)**

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of the like for like replacement of an existing 58kW diesel generator with a new 58kW diesel generator. The project requires a building permit and does not require any discretionary approval. The project is statutorily exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under CEQA Guidelines Section 15268 (Ministerial Projects). Issuance of building permits does not include the exercise of discretion, and is presumed to a ministerial action and exempt from review under CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15268(b)(1).

Lead Agency/Contact Person: Sean Moss, City of El Cerrito Planning Division, 10940 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito, CA 94530

Signature:  Date: 9/17/2024 Title: Planning Manager

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: