

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley, 11020 Sun Center Drive #200
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

County Clerk

County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: UPRR Valley Subdivision MP 143.12 Bridge Pier Replacement Project

Project Applicant: Union Pacific Railroad Company

Project Location - Specific:

39.163622 N, -121.612246 W

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: Yuba

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) proposes emergency replacement of a bridge pier on the Valley Subdivision Milepost (MP) 143.12 bridge. The bridge crosses the Feather River near Marysville, California (39.163622°, -121.612246°). Inspection has identified the need for the immediate replacement of pier B1.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Central Valley Water Board

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Union Pacific Railroad Company

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: C.C.R. tit. 14 § 15269(c)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The Project is exempt as an Emergency Project as it is needed to prevent a risk to public health, safety or welfare. A bridge pier failure would pose significant risk to human safety, and lead to more significant environmental impacts.

Lead Agency Olivia Ilsley Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 464-4673
Contact Person: _____

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: Stephan Jadbak Date: 9/18/2024 Title: Senior Env Scientist

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: _____