

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:**

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**Project Applicant:** Placer County Water Agency – Monte Vista

**Project Title:** Monte Vista Water Treatment Plant Filter Addition Project

**Project Location:** Community of Dutch Flat, CA off Ridge Road

**Project County:** Placer County

**Project Description:** The Monte Vista Water Treatment Plant Filter Addition project consists of the construction of a new redundant filter to conform with state regulations, as well as a backup generator. This will include new concrete foundations, steel canopy, all necessary piping, conduit, valves, and other appurtenances to the existing water treatment plant.

**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 December 18, 2024. 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 3: New Small Construction** Cal. Code of Regs., section 15303

**Reason Why the Project Is Exempt:** The Project is exempt because the Monte Vista Water Treatment Plant Filter Addition project consists of construction and location of limited new small facilities, such as a direct filter vessel, a new electrical backup generator on-site. These facilities meet the criteria of small facilities listed in Section 15303, Chapter 2, Division 4, Title 22 of the California Code of Regulations. The project will also construct distribution lines of less than sixteen (16) inches in diameter, and related appurtenances.

Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_

Title: Sacramento District Engineer