

**Notice of Exemption**

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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Sacramento, CA 95812-3044  
  
County Clerk  
County of: Sacramento  
3636 American River Dr., Ste. 110  
Sacramento, CA 95864

**From:** (Public Agency): Fair Oaks Water District  
10326 Fair Oaks Blvd.  
Fair Oaks, CA 95628  
  
(Address)

Project Title: Northridge Replacement Well #9

Project Applicant: Fair Oaks Water District (FOWD)

Project Location - Specific:  
8251 Kaula Drive, Fair Oaks, CA 95626

Project Location - City: Fair Oaks Project Location - County: Sacramento

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The FOWD will replace an existing water supply well with a new, more reliable water well to better serve customers, especially during drought conditions. The new well will have a similar capacity as the old well. The old well will be abandoned in accordance with County and State Div. of Drinking Water standards.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Fair Oaks Water District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Fair Oaks Water District

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: 15302, Class 2, Replace/Reconstruct
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project will replace an existing well that would then be abandoned. A Supplemental CEQA Analysis has demonstrated that no adverse effects would occur during implementation of the project, and none of the exceptions to Categorical Exemptions (Sec 15300.2) would be present in or apply to the replacement project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Tom Gray Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-967-5723

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: [Signature] Date: 10-28-2024 Title: General Manager

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

**ENDORSED**  
SACRAMENTO COUNTY

FEB 19 2025

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BY [Signature] DEPUTY