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LEAD AGENCY Inland Empire Utilities Agency		LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 10212024
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING San Bernardino		DOCUMENT NUMBER	
PROJECT TITLE			

IEUA Brine Sewer System (BSS) and Regional Sewer System (RSS) Collection System Manhole Upgrade/Repair Project

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME Inland Empire Utilities Agency		PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (909)993-1600
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 6075 Kimball Avenue		CITY Chino	STATE CA
		STATE CA	ZIP CODE 91708

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

- Local Public Agency
 School District
 Other Special District
 State Agency
 Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR) | \$4,051.25 | \$ | 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) | \$2,916.75 | \$ | 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW | \$1,377.25 | \$ | 0.00 |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exempt from fee | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of Exemption (attach) | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CDFW No Effect Determination (attach) | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy) | | | |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) | \$850.00 | \$ | 0.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee | | \$ | 50.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | | \$ | |

PAYMENT METHOD: **#4306**
 Cash Credit Check Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE X	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Alicia Meza, Deputy Clerk
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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: **San Bernardino County**
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
385 North Arrowhead Avenue
San Bernardino, CA 92415

From: **Inland Empire Utilities Agency**
6075 Kimball Avenue
Chino, CA 91708

And
Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation
State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

DATE FILED & POSTED

Posted On: 10-21-24

Removed On: 11-26-24

Receipt No: 36-10212024-803

Project Title: IEUA Brine Sewer System (BSS) and Regional Sewer System (RSS) Collection System Manhole Upgrade/Repair Project, Projects No. EN25026 and EN25041

Project Location: The BSS and RSS manholes for the collection systems are located generally within roadways and engineered disturbed areas in the City of Ontario, City of Chino Hills, City of Chino, City of Upland, and unincorporated areas in San Bernardino County.

Project Location - City: Ontario, City of Chino Hills, City of Chino, and City of Upland

Project Location - County: San Bernardino

Description of Nature, Purpose,

and Beneficiaries of the Project: IEUA proposed to upgrade/repair up to 66 BSS and RSS manholes located along existing collection systems located generally within the existing paved roadways and other disturbed areas at the locations referenced above. The repairs/upgrades will consist of replacing these manholes and repairing/upgrading them for safety purposes, and to prevent them from becoming a traffic hazard.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inland Empire Utilities Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Inland Empire Utilities Agency

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Sections 21080(b)(1); 15268)
- Declared Emergency (Sections 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Sections 21080(b)(4); 15269(b))
- Categorical Exemption (Section 21084; 15301(b))

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Reasons why project is exempt: The State CEQA Guidelines provide a series of categorical exemptions for projects that have been deemed to have minimal impacts on the environment. The proposed repair/upgrade to the BSS and RSS collection systems manholes in the areas referenced above have been determined to have no potential to cause significant adverse effects on the environment and will ensure that the collection and transport of brine and wastewater can continue to operate in an efficient and safe manner. Categorical Exemption Class 1 exempts "the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment...involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. (b) Existing facilities of both investor and publicly owned utilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services...." The exceptions to the issuance of categorical exemptions have been evaluated for the proposed project locations to further substantiate the use of a Categorical Exemption, Class 1, for this project. The proposed BSS and RSS manhole repairs/upgrades have been determined **not** to have a potential to cause significant adverse environmental effects. Therefore, this proposed action is not forecast to cause any potential for significant adverse environmental impacts and qualifies with the requirements for Class 1 Exemption.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Pietro Cambiaso

Telephone: (909) 993-1600

Signature: *Pietro Cambiaso*

Title: Manager of Compliance
and Sustainability

Date: 10/15/24

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