

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency) Department of Water Resources
Division of Operations and Maintenance
715 P Street, Sacramento CA 95814

County Clerk
County of _____

(Address)

Project Title: SBA MP 35.11 Pipeline Leak Repair and Gate Installation

Project Location - Specific:

O&M Delta Field Division (DFD), South Bay Aqueduct (SBA), Mile Marker 35.11 to 35.3

Coordinates: LAT 37°28'11.84"N LONG: 121°53'54.83" W. Cross Street: Scott Creek Road

Project Location – City: Fremont Project Location – County: Alameda

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

DFD staff and a contractor will make a repair to a SBA pipeline leak via dewatering and placing a weko seal. All repair work will occur within the pipeline vault and no earth work will occur for the repair. The pipeline leak is located at SBA MP 35.11. In order to access the pipeline repair site, DFD will be installing a barbed wire fence and chain-link gate along an existing dirt access road. DFD will install 3, 3-inch round pipe posts approximately 3-feet vertically into the ground to install the gate. Equipment/materials will be placed along the existing dirt pipeline access road. Project limits are within the DWR right of way.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Water Resources

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Department of Water Resources

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: _____
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The State Water Project provides significant and critical services to many Californians. This project is exempt because it involves emergency repair activities to SWP facilities. This project will not result in impacts to special status species or habitat.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Todd Percival Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 902-7817

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: Todd Percival Date: 10/30/2024 Title: Environmental Coordinator, DWR

- Signed by Lead Agency Date received for filing at OPR: _____
- Signed by Applicant

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