

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

<p>TO:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of San Bernardino 385 North Arrowhead Avenue, 2nd Fl. San Bernardino, CA 92415</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814 Attn: State Clearinghouse</p>	<p>FROM: City of San Bernardino 290 North "D" Street San Bernardino, CA 92401</p>
<p>Action Title:</p>	<p>Award of Agreement for Construction of Connector Pipe Screen Project (All Wards)</p>
<p>Applicant:</p>	<p>City of San Bernardino</p>
<p>a) Action Location – City:</p>	<p>City of San Bernardino</p>
<p>Action Location – County:</p>	<p>San Bernardino County</p>
<p>Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of action:</p>	<p>On November 20, 2024, the City Council of the City of San Bernardino approved Award of Agreement for Construction of Connector Pipe Screen Project (All Wards) "Agreement".</p> <p>The Agreement would allow for the construction of catch basin screen throughout various locations in the City's storm drain system. The Agreement would allow the City to issue United Storm Water Inc. a "Notice to Proceed", initiating the process to commence the construction of catch basin screens.</p>
<p>Name of Public Agency approving action:</p>	<p>City of San Bernardino</p>
<p>Name of Person or Agency undertaking the action:</p>	<p>City of San Bernardino</p>
<p>Exempt status: (check one)</p>	
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption.</p>	<p>State CEQA Guidelines § 15301</p>
<p>Reason why action was exempt:</p>	<p>The Agreement is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities ("Class 1"). Class 1 exemption allows minor alteration of existing public facilities or mechanical equipment involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. This includes minor alterations to existing facilities of publicly owned utilities used to provide sewerage or other public utility systems.</p> <p>Here, the Project involves construction of catch basin screens at existing catch basin locations to prevent debris from entering the catch basins. The Project would not expand the existing use of these catch basins; rather, it would involve a negligible change to alleviate the impacts of debris in conformance with the Trash Amendments.</p>

	None of the "exceptions" to the categorical exemptions apply under State CEQA guidelines § 15300.2.
Contact Person:	Azzam Jabsheh, City Engineer
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Signature:  _____

Date: 12/5/24

Title: City Engineer

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing: _____

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