



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

<p>TO:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Planning and Research P. O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044</p>	<p>FROM: Name: City of Corona, (Public Agency) Utilities Department</p> <p>Address: 755 Public Safety Way, Corona, CA 92878</p> <p>Telephone: 951-736-2234</p>
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clerk of the Board of Supervisors or County Clerk (Include County name) Address: County of Riverside</p>	

<p>1. Project Title:</p>	<p>PFAS Removal Project</p>
<p>2. Project Applicant:</p>	<p>City of Corona – Utilities Department</p>
<p>3. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15’ or 7 1/2’ topographical map identified by quadrangle name):</p>	<p>Well 7A – 917 Circle City Drive Well 8A – 219 S Joy Street Treatment Plant – Quarry/Rimpau City of Corona</p>
<p>4. (a) Project Location – City: City of Corona</p>	<p>(b) Project Location – County: County of Riverside</p>
<p>5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:</p>	<p>The PFAS Removal Project will construct groundwater treatment facilities for the removal of PFAS and 1,2,3 TCP. At Well 7A – install two 14-foot diameter vessels, new 943 SF concrete pad and containment and piping to connect vessels to existing infrastructure. At Well 8A – install six 12-foot diameter granular activated carbon system vessels on 1,700 sq ft new concrete pad west of existing building, including new pipelines connected to existing infrastructure. At Main Plant – install one 12-foot diameter vessel and modify existing vessels. Modifications within the existing building including upgrades to pipelines and valves. Purpose of project: protect public health and safety by removing PFAS and 1,2,3 TCP.</p>
<p>6. Name of Public Agency approving project:</p>	<p>City of Corona</p>
<p>7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity:</p>	<p>Tom Moody City of Corona Utilities Department</p>

8. Exempt status: (check one)	
(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial project.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Not a project.	
(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))
(d) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption. State type and section number:	§15301 Class 1
(e) <input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))
(f) <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:	
(g) <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Explanation:	
9. Reason why project was exempt:	This action is exempt pursuant to §15301 Class 1 which applies to operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. This project involves modifications at existing public utility facility.

10. Lead Agency Contact Person: Telephone: 951-736-2477	Tom Moody
11. If filed by applicant: Attach Preliminary Exemption Assessment (Form "A") before filing.	
12. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
13. Was a public hearing held by the Lead Agency to consider the exemption? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If yes, the date of the public hearing was: Click to enter date	

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Kristian Duarte

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Date: December 20, 2024

Signed by:
Tom Moody

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Tom Moody

Title: Director of Utilities

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing: [Click to enter date](#)

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Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.