Print Form

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk
County of: Kern

From: (Public Agency): Kern County Environmental Healt
2700 M Street Suite 300
Bakersfield, CA 93301
(Address)

Project Title: Borel Fire Debris Removal

Project Applicant: Kern County Environmental Health

Project Location - Specific:

This project will be for CalRecycle to complete Fire Debris Cleanup from the Borel Fire.

Project Location - City: Havilah Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
This project allows the Debris Removal teams to facilitate cleanup of all Fire debris and hazard tree removal caused by the Borel Fire.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Kern County Environmental Health

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Cal OES/ CalRecycle

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 Governor Proclaimed a state of emergency for Kern County due to the Borel Fire on July 30, 2024. This CEQA exemption is also outlined in the approved December 17, 2024 Board Letter citing sections 15601(b)(2), 15601(b)(3), 15269 and 1530.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Brody Saleen Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 661-862-8716

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: Brody Saleen Date: 1/16/25 Title: Division Chief

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

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

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

CEQA
Transmittal Memorandum for 2025

Attach **one** transmittal memorandum to the front of the original CEQA document. Clip copies in the back.
1) If notice requires F&W receipt, you must provide a minimum of 3 copies of the notice.
2) If notice does not require F&W receipt, you must provide a minimum of 2 copies of the notice.

TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

LEAD AGENCY Kern County Public Health

PROJECT TITLE Borel Fire Phase II Ash & Debris Cleanup

PROJECT APPLICANT Kern County Environmental Health

PHONE NUMBER (661) 862-8740

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS: 2700 M Street Suite 300

CITY Bakersfield STATE CA ZIP CODE 93301

WORK ORDER # 001 ☐ 30-Day Posting ■ 35-Day Posting ☐ 45-Day Posting ☐ Other _____

CONTACT PERSON Brody Saleen PHONE NUMBER (661) 862-8716

CHECK DOCUMENT BEING FILED:

☐ Notice of Availability.....No Fee

☐ Notice of Intent.....No Fee

☐ Notice of Preparation.....No Fee

☐ Notice of Public Hearing.....No Fee

☐ Other _____ .....No Fee

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR).....$4123.50
- ☐ Previously paid F&W (**must attach F&W receipt**) F&W Receipt Number# _____
- ☐ DFG No Effect Determination (**F&W letter must be attached**).....No Fee
- ☐ County Administrative Fee.....$50.00

☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration or Negative Declaration.....$2968.75
- ☐ Previously paid F&W (**must attach F&W receipt**) F&W Receipt Number# _____
- ☐ DFG No Effect Determination (**F&W letter must be attached**).....No Fee
- ☐ County Administrative Fee.....$50.00

■ Notice of Exemption.....No Fee
- ■ County Administrative Fee.....$50.00

TOTAL $ 50.00

*Additional copies to be returned to: _____
*Method of return: ☐ Hold for pick-up/Call # _____ ☐ Interoffice Mail

PAYMENT METHOD: ALL APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING

■ JV - Trans Code 1602 Dept 4122 Fund 22066 Expense Key 7965
☐ Money Order
☐ Check