

# 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: Yuba  
 915 8th St, Suite 107  
 Marysville, CA 95901

From: (Public Agency): Yuba County Water Agency  
 1220 F St  
 Marysville, CA 95901  
 (Address)

**ENDORSED FILED**  
 YUBA COUNTY CLERK/RECORDER

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DONNA HILLEGASS, Clerk  
 BY BRIDGETTE EVANS  
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Project Title: Loma Rica Road Browns Valley Culvert Replacement Project

Project Applicant: Yuba County Water Agency

Project Location - Specific:

The project sites are located approximately 10 miles northeast of the City of Marysville, at 39.275950° Latitude, -121.481104° Longitude, 39.301953° Latitude, -121.448024° Longitude, and 39.304440° Latitude, -121.441824° Longitude.

Project Location - City: Unincorporated Project Location - County: Yuba

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Minor construction work to replace three existing culverts under Loma Rica Road. Yuba County is widening Loma Rica Road and purpose of the project is to replace and reconstruct three existing culverts to meet engineering design requirements to support the widened road. Beneficiaries include Browns Valley Irrigation District and their customers.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Browns Valley Irrigation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Browns Valley Irrigation District

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: Replacement or Reconstruction (Section 15302)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project work consists of minor construction work to replace three existing culverts under Loma Rica Road. The project would not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts, expand upon existing uses, and is not barred by any exceptions identified in CEQA Guidelines 15300.2.

Lead Agency  
 Contact Person: Jacob Vander Meulen Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (530) 443-7412

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: Jacob Vander Meulen Date: 03-18-2025 Title: Envrionmental Manager

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: \_\_\_\_\_



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE**  
**CASH RECEIPT**  
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:  
 58 - 03202025 - 7  
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY YUBA COUNTY WATER AGENCY	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 03/20/2025
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING YUBA	DOCUMENT NUMBER 2025FG-00007	

PROJECT TITLE  
 LOMA RICA ROAD BROWNS VALLEY CULVERT REPLACEMENT PROJECT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME YUBA COUNTY WATER AGENCY	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (530)443-7412
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 1220 F ST	CITY MARYSVILLE	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95901

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

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

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$4,123.50 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,968.75 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$1,401.75 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Exempt from fee
  - Notice of Exemption (attach)
  - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
- Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- County documentary handling fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$50.00
- Other 0.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash   
  Credit   
  Check   
  Other   
 TOTAL RECEIVED \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$50.00

SIGNATURE <b>X</b> <i>Bridgette Evans</i>	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE <i>Bridgette Evans</i> Deputy
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**Vendor ID** 00342      **Vendor** County of Yuba, Clerk/Recorder      **03/19/2025**      **Check #** 110130  
**Invoice Number** PID35531-P      **Date** 03/12/2025      **Invoice Amount** \$ 50.00      **Amount Paid** \$ 50.00      **Discount Taken** \$ 0.00      **Write Off** \$ 0.00      **Net Amount** \$ 50.00

Yuba County  
 Donna Hillegass, County Clerk  
 and Recorder  
 915 8th Street, Suite 107  
 Marysville, CA 95901  
 (530) 749-7850

Receipt: 25-3629

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By AGENCY	

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Thank You for Your Business

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