

Notice of Exemption

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From (Applicant/Lead agency):
Orange County Sanitation District
10844 Ellis Avenue
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

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Project Title: ACTIVATED SLUDGE CLARIFIER REPAIRS AT PLANT NO. 2, Project No. FR2-0018

Project Applicant: Orange County Sanitation District, 10844 Ellis Ave. Fountain Valley, CA 92708

Project Location (specific): 22212 Brookhurst Street (Cross Street: Brookhurst & Bushard)

Project Location - City: Huntington Beach

Project Location — County: Orange

Description of Project: The purpose of this project is to perform maintenance by replacing the chain and flight collector mechanisms within six rectangular clarifiers.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project:

Orange County Sanitation District
10844 Ellis Avenue
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:

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Exempt Status: (check one)

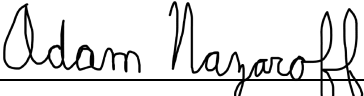
- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
 Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
 Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
 Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: CEQA Guidelines Class 1 § 15301
 Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1 categorical exemptions set forth in California Code of Regulations sections 15301. Section 15301 (Class 1) exempts from CEQA “the operation, repair, maintenance ... or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities ... involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency’s determination” including “(b) Existing facilities of both investor and publicly-owned utilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services.”

The project is exempt because it involves maintenance with the replacement of existing facilities involving no expansion of use or capacity.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Adam Nazaroff Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (714) 593-7854

Signature:  Date: 2/23/22 Title: Engineering Supervisor

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