

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: Secondary Treatment VFD Replacements at Plant No. 2, Project FE19-08

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

Project Location (specific): 22212 Brookhurst St, Huntington Beach, CA 92646

Cross Street: Brookhurst St. / Bushard St.

Project Location - City: Huntington Beach

Project Location — County: Orange

Description of Project: This project consists of maintenance activities which replaces fourteen (14) Variable Frequency Drives (VFDs) ranging from 50hp to 300hp along with associated cables, conductors in the Secondary Treatment area at Plant No. 2, and installation of vibration monitoring.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Orange County Sanitation District
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Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Orange County Sanitation District
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Exempt Status: (check one)

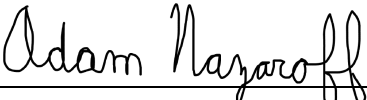
- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
 Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
 Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
 Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: CEQA Guidelines Class 1 § 15301
 Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

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, mechanical equipment, ... involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use” 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 activities to maintain existing facilities involving no expansion of use or capacity.

Lead Agency

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

Signature:  Date: 3/14/2022 Title: Engineering Supervisor

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