

Notice of Exemption

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

From: (Public Agency): Town of Woodside
P.O. Box 620005
2955 Woodside Road, Woodside, CA 94062

(Address) FILED ENDORSED
IN THE OFFICE OF THE
COUNTY CLERK FOR
SAN MATEO COUNTY, CALIF.

MAR 14 2019

Project Title: Bear Gulch Station 42 Water Tank Replacement

MARK CHURCH, County Clerk

Project Applicant: California Water Service Company (Cal Water)

By: ARSHTOIAN
County Clerk

Project Location - Specific:

Bear Gulch Station 42, between 50 and 60 Stadler Drive, Woodside, CA (cross streets: Skywood Way and Ranch Road)

Project Location - City: Town of Woodside

Project Location - County: San Mateo

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project involves removal of two leaking 60,000 gallon water tanks and installation of a 250,000 gallon steel water tank, driveway upgrades, and associated equipment at Bear Gulch Station 42, located off of Stadler Drive. The purpose of the project is to increase water pressure and provide adequate supply and pressure for emergencies, such as fire. The project location is within the Town's Very High Severity Fire Hazard Zone.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Town of Woodside

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Maurice Francis, Cal Water

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 project is statutorily exempt under CEQA Section 15269(c). The project would increase water capacity and pressure and provide adequate supply and pressure for emergencies, such as fire. The project location is within the Town's Very High Severity Fire Hazard Zone, an area particularly susceptible to severe fires. The project would mitigate loss of, or damage to life, health and property or essential public services, in a situation that has a high probability of occurrence over the short-term.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Jackie Young, AICP CEP Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 650-851-6790

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: Jackie Young Date: 3/14/2019 Title: Planning Director

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.

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