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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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From: City of Colusa
County of Colusa
425 Webster Street
Colusa, CA 96074

ROSE GALLO-VASQUEZ
COLUSA COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER

Att: Dave Schwartz

Project Title: Water Well Construction Project

Project Location – Specific: Location #1; South 5th Street, upon APN 015-210-030; Location #2 Jay Street, between 9th and 10th Street at Memorial Park; Location #3 Third Street North of Florimond at Semple Park; Location #4 Colusa Avenue Adjacent and North of Colusa High school; Location #5 Webster between 9th and 10th Street; Location #6 Corner of 6th and Fremont; Location #7 Walnut Ranch Subdivision 3rd Street.

Project Location – City: Colusa County: Colusa

Description of project: The Project includes the following components:

- Location #1 – Drilling a new municipal well with potential of having treatment attached.
- Location #2 and #3 – Placement of iron and manganese treatment on existing city wells
- Location # – Addition of electronic SCADA system to Well #4
- Location #5 and #6 Abandonment of Existing City Wells No. 2 and 3 due to age.
- Location #7 – Abandonment and removal of Walnut Ranch Well due to Arsenic Contamination.

Name of Public Agency approving project: City of Colusa

Name of person or agency carrying out project: David Swartz, PE, City Engineer, Public Works

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));
- X Categorical Exemption, State type and section number: 15302 (c) & 15061 (b) (3)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project is also exempt from further environmental review under CEQA because the City Planning staff has concluded with certainty that the Project would have no significant effect on the environment, pursuant to Guidelines Section 15061 (b) (3), because development of infrastructure within the Project site is subject to:

- All standard best management practices (BMPs);
- Approval of storm water pollution prevention plans;
- Construction hours & noise limitations; and
- Air-quality control plans.

The above prevention measures, plans and regulations will ensure avoidance of any environmental impacts. Additionally, the Project is categorically exempt from environmental review, pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15302 (c), because new utility infrastructure will be replaced on the same site as the infrastructure replaced, will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the infrastructure replaced, with negligible expansion of capacity.

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