

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION
(Categorical)

TO: Governor's Office of Planning and Research FROM: State Water Resources Control Board
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SCH#:

WATER SYSTEM #: 5410015

PROJECT TITLE: Operation of the City of Tulare (City)- New Well and Tank (Willow Glen Development) Project (Project)

PROJECT LOCATION: A new rock road West of Highway 63 and North of Cartmill Avenue and Mooney Blvd. in the City of Tulare within Tulare County.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The City constructed a 28-foot tall, 1.5 million-gallon water tank, a 392-foot² masonry electric/chlorination building, and a 575-foot² booster pump station. The City also drilled Well 47, a 1,100 gallon per minute well. The City installed a 75 ft² emergency generator, a 42 foot² transformer, and electrical lines. A six-foot tall approximately 512-foot long chain-link fence and 20-foot wide, 240-foot long L-shaped access road with two gates was also installed. Less than one mile of 18-inch or less diameter piping was laid to connect the chlorination system to the well piping, the well to the tank, the tank to the booster pump station, and the booster pump station to the rest of the water system. Less than 800-feet of 54-inch diameter or less piping was also installed to provide for drainage, sanitary sewer, clean out, irrigation, and stormwater. The Project was constructed to provide water for a Willow Glen development.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT AND CARRYING OUT PROJECT: This is to advise that the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has issued a drinking water supply permit 03-24-19PA-017 for the above described Project on December 4, 2019. A record of permit issuance for the Project is available to the general public at the State Water Board, Division of Drinking Water District Office noted above.

Categorical Exemption Status:

Class 1 Existing Facilities
(California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15301)

Reason why Project is exempt: The Project falls under a Class 1 exemption, as it is an existing public utility facility and construction of the facility is complete, (Section 15301 b).

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