

**Notice of Exemption****Appendix E**

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

From: (Public Agency): Weott Community Services District  
202 Lum Street  
Weott CA 95571

County Clerk  
County of: Humboldt  
825 5th Street #5  
Eureka CA 95501

(Address)

Project Title: Replacement of Raw and Treated Water Transmission Pipelines

Project Applicant: Weott Community Services District

Project Location - Specific:  
CDP of Weott. Tank A site is on APN 095-161-004; 40.321 °N, -123.915°W. No street address. Water treatment plant site is on APN 095-171-001 at 123 Spring Street; 40.321 °N, -123.920°W.

Project Location - City: Weott Project Location - County: Humboldt

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
To benefit CSD customers, replace existing raw water transmission pipeline from Source B to Water Treatment Plant and treated water transmission pipeline from Water Treatment Plant to Tank A. Both pipelines are old and failing and have exceeded their useful service lives.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Weott Community Services District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Weott Community Services District

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: Title 14 Sections 15302 and 15304  
☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

Both pipelines will be constructed in the same location to replace the existing pipes. There is no change in the capacity and purpose of the pipelines, the District's water service area, water supply commitment, or water volume provided. This project will only replace existing infrastructure to meet current engineering standards.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Gary Neumann Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 707-382-8917

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: [Signature] Date: 6 February 2020 Title: General Manager

☒ 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.

Email: abhardwaj@calruralwater.org

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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STATE CLEARINGHOUSE

**12-2020-042**

Recorded - Official Records  
Humboldt County, California  
Kelly E. Sanders, Recorder  
Recorded by:

Pages: 1

Recording Fee: \$ 50.00  
Tax Fee: \$0.00  
Clerk: sc Total: \$50.00  
Feb 26, 2020 at 01:42:55

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County of Humboldt  
Office of the County Clerk-Recorder

825 5th Street, 5th Floor, Eureka Ca 95501  
(707)445-7593 or Toll Free (888)486-2732



**CEQA DOCUMENT DECLARATION**

ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE RECEIPT

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

1. LEAD AGENCY: Weott Community Services District
2. PROJECT TITLE: Replacement of Raw and Treated Water Transmission Pipelines
3. APPLICANT NAME: Weott Community Services District PHONE: 707-382-8917
4. APPLICANT ADDRESS: 202 Lum Street, Weott, CA 95571

5. PROJECT APPLICANT IS A: ☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

6. NOTICE TO BE POSTED FOR \_\_\_\_\_ DAYS.

Email: abhardwaj@calruralwater.org

7. CLASSIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT

a. PROJECTS THAT ARE SUBJECT TO DFG FEES

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|---|-------------|---------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. <u>ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT</u> (PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE §21152)                                   | \$ 3,343.25 | \$ 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. <u>NEGATIVE DECLARATION</u> (PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE §21080(C))                                       | \$ 2,406.75 | \$ 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. <u>APPLICATION FEE WATER DIVERSION</u> (STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD ONLY)                   | \$ 850.00   | \$ 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4. <u>PROJECTS SUBJECT TO CERTIFIED REGULATORY PROGRAMS</u>  | \$ 1,136.50 | \$ 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5. <u>COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEE</u> (REQUIRED FOR a-1 THROUGH a-4 ABOVE)<br>Fish & Game Code §711.4(e) | \$ 50.00    | \$ 0.00 |

b. PROJECTS THAT ARE EXEMPT FROM DFG FEES

- ☒ 1. NOTICE OF EXEMPTION (\$50.00 COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEE REQUIRED) \$ 50.00 \$ 50.00
- ☐ 2. A COMPLETED "CEQA FILING FEE NO EFFECT DETERMINATION FORM" FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH & GAME, DOCUMENTING THE DFG'S DETERMINATION THAT THE PROJECT WILL HAVE NO EFFECT ON FISH, WILDLIFE AND HABITAT, OR AN OFFICIAL, DATED RECEIPT / PROOF OF PAYMENT SHOWING PREVIOUS PAYMENT OF THE DFG FILING FEE FOR THE \*SAME PROJECT IS ATTACHED (\$50.00 COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEE REQUIRED)
- DOCUMENT TYPE: ☐ ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT ☐ NEGATIVE DECLARATION \$ 50.00 \$ 0.00

c. NOTICES THAT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO DFG FEES OR COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

- ☐ NOTICE OF PREPARATION ☐ NOTICE OF INTENT NO FEE \$ NO FEE

8. OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_ FEE (IF APPLICABLE): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

9. TOTAL RECEIVED..... \$ 50.00

\*NOTE: "SAME PROJECT" MEANS NO CHANGES. IF THE DOCUMENT SUBMITTED IS NOT THE SAME (OTHER THAN DATES), A "NO EFFECT DETERMINATION" LETTER FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME FOR THE SUBSEQUENT FILING OR THE APPROPRIATE FEES ARE REQUIRED.

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND ATTACHED TO THE FRONT OF ALL CEQA DOCUMENTS LISTED ABOVE (INCLUDING COPIES) SUBMITTED FOR FILING. WE WILL NEED AN ORIGINAL (WET SIGNATURE) AND (1) COPY. IF THERE ARE ATTACHMENTS, PLEASE PROVIDE ONE SET OF ATTACHMENTS FOR SUBMISSION.

CHECKS FOR ALL FEES SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO: Humboldt County Clerk Recorder

PLEASE NOTE: FEES ARE ANNUALLY ADJUSTED (Fish & Game Code §711.4(b)); PLEASE CHECK WITH THIS OFFICE AND THE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME FOR THE LATEST FEE INFORMATION.

"... NO PROJECT SHALL BE OPERATIVE, VESTED, OR FINAL, NOR SHALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT PERMITS FOR THE PROJECT BE VALID, UNTIL THE FILING FEES REQUIRED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION ARE PAID." Fish & Game Code §711.4(c)(3)

(Fees Effective 01-01-2020)



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2019 ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT**  
DFW 753.5a (REV. 12/01/18) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:

12-2020-042

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

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SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY

WEOTT COMMUNITY SERVICE DISTRICT

LEAD AGENCY EMAIL

ABHARDWAJ@CALRURALWATE

DATE

02/26/2020

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING

HUMBOLDT

DOCUMENT NUMBER

12-2020-042

PROJECT TITLE

REPLACEMENT OF RAW & TREATED WATER TRANSMISSION PIPELINES

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME

WEOTT COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL

abhardwaj@calruralwater.org

PHONE NUMBER

(707) 382-8917

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS

202 LUM STREET

CITY

WEOTT

STATE

CA

ZIP CODE

95571

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☐ Local Public Agency

☐ School District

☒ Other Special District

☐ State Agency

☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

\$3,271.00

\$

☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)

\$2,354.75

\$

☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW

\$1,112.00

\$

☒ Exempt from fee

☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)

☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)

\$850.00

\$

☒ County documentary handling fee

\$

\$50.00

☐ Other

\$

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash

☐ Credit

☒ Check

☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED

\$

\$50.00

SIGNATURE

X 

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

S Carns, Deputy County Clerk-Recorder