

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
County of: Tulare
221 S. Mooney Blvd., Room 105
Visalia, CA 93291

From: (Public Agency): City of Tulare (Lead Agency)
411 E. Kern Avenue, Tulare, CA 93274
(559) 684-4223

(Address)

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Project Title: Storm Sewer Lift Stations Upgrades Project

Project Applicant: City of Tulare, 411 E. Kern Avenue, Tulare, CA 93274 (559) 684-4233

Project Location - Specific:
3 locations in the City of Tulare: M Street south of College Avenue, West Street and Bardsley Avenue (SE Corner), and south of Tulare High School Farm on Bardsley Avenue.

Project Location - City: Tulare Project Location - County: Tulare

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Project would upgrade up to 3 storm sewer (drain) lift stations. The project would remove the existing pumps and column pipes and replace them with new pumps and column pipes, improving efficiency of storm water being pumped into Tulare Irrigation District's canals/pipes bas on in-place agreements.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Tulare, 411 E. Kern Avenue, Tulare, CA 93274

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Jim Funk, City's Project Manager, (559) 684-4233

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)
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project involves the replacement of existing utility systems and/or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity. These activities match the definition for those declared exempt in CEQA Section 15302 (c). There are no significant environmental impacts that will result from the project.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Mario Anaya Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 684-4223

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? [X] Yes [ ] No

Signature: [Signature] Date: 3/3/2020 Title: Principal Planner

[X] Signed by Lead Agency [ ] Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR:
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.