

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM:
San Joaquin County Committee on School District
Organization
2922 Transworld Drive
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San Joaquin County Recorder-Clerk
44 N. San Joaquin Street #260
Stockton, CA 95202

Project Title: Unification of the Banta Elementary School District

Project Location - Specific:

The boundaries of the Banta Elementary School District.

Project Location - City: Tracy & Lathrop

Project Location - County: San Joaquin

Description of Project:

The San Joaquin County Committee on School District Organization study of unification of a portion of the Tracy Unified School District to form a Banta Unified School District within the boundaries of the Banta Elementary School District.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: San Joaquin County Committee on School District Organization

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: San Joaquin County Committee on School District Organization

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(a)(1); 15268(b));
- 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: _____

General Exemption: CEQA Guidelines section 15061(b)(3)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of the creation of a new unified school district in the cities of Tracy and Lathrop, California and does not include development activities within the affected territory. The territory is not located in an area of statewide, regional, or areawide concern identified in CEQA Guidelines Section 15206(b)(4).

Lead Agency Contact Person: Janai Stanton, Administrative Services Director

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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: James Mousalimas
James A. Mousalimas

Date: March 18, 2020

Title: Secretary, San Joaquin County Committee on School District Organization

Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR: _____

Date Signed by Applicant: _____

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