

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: County of Sacramento
County Clerk
600 8th St., Rm 101
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: Sacramento Suburban Water District
3701 Marconi Avenue, Suite 100
Sacramento, CA 95821-5303

PROJECT TITLE: Arcade Creek Crossing Project
PROJECT LOCATION: Within the limits of the City of Citrus Heights. The project is located at Arcade Creek and Indian River Drive.
ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NUMBER(S): 211-0710-016, 211-0710-017, and public right-of-way.
DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT: A 14-inch diameter water pipeline was installed below the bed of Arcade Creek in 1979. Creek channel morphology (change in shape and direction with time) has exposed the pipeline. Pipeline in the creek is now both undermined (fully exposed) and deflected. The project replaces the pipeline's channel crossing of the creek with a bridge crossing of the creek to avoid potential failure of the exposed pipeline and likely subsequent impacts to the natural environment and interruption of water service to customers. The new pipeline would be the same size (capacity) as the existing pipeline; and once attached to the bridge the pipe in the channel would be removed (about 24 linear feet). Disturbed areas of the creek (estimated at 1/2 acre) would be restored.

NAME OF PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT: Sacramento Suburban Water District

NAME OF PERSON OR AGENCY CARRYING OUT PROJECT: David Espinoza, Senior Engineer, Sacramento Suburban Water District, (916) 972-7171

EXEMPT STATUS: (CHECK ONE)

MINISTERIAL (Sec. 21080 (b); 15268);

DECLARED EMERGENCY (Sec. 21080 (b) (3); 15269(a));

EMERGENCY PROJECT (Sec. 21080 (b) (4); 15269(b));

GENERAL RULE (Sec. 15061 (b) (3));

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION - State Type and Section No.: Class 2, Section 15302 - Replacement or Reconstruction

STATUTORY EXEMPTION - State Code Number:

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT AND DOES NOT REQUIRE FURTHER ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION:

The proposed project includes replacement of an existing water pipeline pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15302(c). The existing water pipeline is proposed to be replaced at the same site as the existing water pipeline and involves no expansion of capacity.

SACRAMENTO SUBURBAN WATER DISTRICT

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