

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County of: Humboldt
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From: (Public Agency): Westhaven CSD
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Westhaven CSD Disinfection Byproducts Reduction Project-
Project Title: Test Wells and Geotechnical Borings

Project Applicant: Westhaven CSD

Project Location - Specific:
Test wells are proposed at APNs 514-132-008 and 514-133-001 in Westhaven.
Geotechnical borings are proposed at APN 513-181-014 at WCSd's water treatment facility-4th Ave Westhaven.

Project Location - City: Westhaven Project Location - County: Humboldt

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Install 2 temporary test wells and 3 geotechnical borings as part of a planning grant effort to identify solutions to the disinfection byproducts problem, to benefit District water users. The CSD will be using State Revolving Funds to conduct the planning study.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Westhaven CSD

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Westhaven CSD

- 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: Class 5 and 6 (sec 15305 and 15306)
[] Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
The temporary test wells and geotechnical borings are to collect information for a planning study. The merger would not change land use/density. Project would not cause a serious or major disturbance or impact an environmental resource of hazardous or critical concern. After the installation of test wells and geotechnical borings all disturbed areas will be restored to pre-project conditions. No exceptions to exemptions apply.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Paul Rosenblatt Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 707-677-0798

- 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: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 5/4/2020 Title: General Manager

[X] 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.
Date Received for filing at OPR:

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