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Office of Planning and Research P.O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 Via US Mail and email: state.clearinghouse@opr.ca.gove	Marin Municipal Water District 220 Nellen Ave Corte Madera, CA 94925 Attn: Michael Ban, P.E., Environmental and Engineering Services
County Clerk County of Marin 3501 Civic Center Drive, Suite 234	Division Manager
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Project Title: Porteous Tunnel Pipeline Replacement Project

Project Location - Specific: Marin Municipal Water District Watershed Lands (APN 197-120-04), Fairfax, CA

Project Location – County: Marin

Project Description: The Porteous Tunnel Emergency Pipeline Replacement Project will include maintenance, repair, and minor alterations to the Porteous Tunnel facilities and replacement of approximately 250 feet of pipeline to ensure continued supply of safe drinking water to Ross Valley. Specific project activities include minor grading of two existing access roads to facilitate construction access, improvements to the tunnel structure, replacement of a damaged pipeline, and the installation of pipeline appurtenances (blow-offs, valves, etc.). The Project will not expand system use or capacity.

Public Agency Approving Project: Marin Municipal Water District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Marin Municipal Water District

CEQA Exemption Status: The Project is Categorically Exempt pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15301 (b) "Existing Facilities" (Class 1), CEQA Guidelines Section 15302 (c) "Replacement or Reconstruction" (Class 2), and CEQA Guidelines Section 15269 (b) "Emergency Projects".

Reason for Exemption: The Project is exempt under CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (b) as it includes the operation, repair, and minor alteration of existing public facilities involving no expansion of use. The Project is also exempt under CEQA Guidelines Section 15302 (c) because it will replace or reconstruct an existing utility in the same location and with the same purpose and capacity as the structure being replaced. The Project is exempt under CEQA Guidelines Section 15269 (b) because it involve emergency repairs to publicly owned service facilities necessary to maintain essential public health, safety and welfare.

Project Approval: The Marin Municipal Water District Board of Directors approved Resolution No. 8597 at a meeting of the Board of Directors on September 15, 2020.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Michael Ban, P.E., Environmental and Engineering Services Division Manager

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