## **NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

TO: FROM:	County Clerk, County of Contra Costa 555 Escobar Street, Martinez, CA 94553 Central Contra Costa Sanitary District (Central San) 5019 Imhoff Place, Martinez, CA 94553
PROJECT TITLE: Outfall Monitoring Improvements, District Project 100018	
<b>PROJECT LOCATION-SPECIFIC</b> : From the northern end of the Central San's wastewater treatment plant at 5019 Imhoff Place, Martinez, through the closed Acme Landfill, to a point approximately 1,700 feet into Suisun Bay (see Attachment 1).	
PROJECT LOCATION-CITY AND COUNTY: Unincorporated Martinez, Contra Costa County	
<b>PROJECT DESCRIPTION:</b> The project will construct replacement inclinometers and leveling monuments for an existing, treated wastewater pipeline that historically has experienced settlement in the soft soils through which it runs. The 3.5 mile, 72-inch reinforced concrete outfall pipeline, constructed in 1958, conveys treated wastewater from Central San's wastewater treatment plant to Suisun Bay. The outfall runs primarily underground for nearly 19,000 feet and a submarine section of about 1,700 feet in length. Above the shoreline portion of the outfall, an unvegetated, tidal mudflat extends approximately 1,000 feet from the shore and into the Suisun Bay.	
ENTITY OR PERSON UNDERTAKING PROJECT: Central San	
PUBLIC AG	ENCY: Central San LEAD AGENCY: Central San
<b>EXEMPT STATUS:</b> CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, Existing Facilities	
<b>REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:</b> At its October 21, 2021 meeting, the Central San Board of Directors independently found that this project is exempt from the California Quality Act (CEQA) under Central San's CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, since it involves inor alterations to an existing sewage facility with no increase in capacity.	
LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Russell B. Leavitt, (925) 768-3430	
SIGNATURI	E: DATE: October 21, 2021 Environmental Coordinator

SIGNED BY LEAD AGENCY\_X\_ SIGNED BY APPLICANT\_\_ DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING AT OPR\_\_\_\_\_

## ATTACHMENT 1 - PROJECT LOCATION MAP

