NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:		Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	FROM:	Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency	
		or		27234 Bouquet Canyon Road	
	\boxtimes	County Clerk/ Registrar-Recorder		Santa Clarita, CA 91350	
		Los Angeles County			
		12400 E. Imperial Highway, Rm 2001			
		Norwalk, CA 90650			
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		Ventura County			
		800 S. Victoria Avenue			
		Ventura, CA 93009			
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1.	Project	Title:		Santa Clara and Honby Wells PFAS Groundwater Treatment Project		
2.	cross s (prefer	treets or a ably a US	n – Identify street address and attach a map showing project site GGS 15' or 7 1/2' topographical by quadrangle name):	The Santa Clara Well is located at 27100 Furnival Avenue, Santa Clarita, CA. The Honby Well is located at 26930 Ruether Drive, Santa Clarita, CA. Location Map attached.		
3.	(a) Project Location – City:			City of Santa Clarita		
	(b)	Project	Location - County:	Los Angeles County		
4.	Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:		ature, purpose, and beneficiaries	On January 4, 2022 the Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency's Board of Directors approved two Resolutions (1) Authorizing The Grant Application, Acceptance, And Execution Of A Funding Agreement For The Santa Clara And Honby Wells PFAS Groundwater Treatment Site Improvement Project and (2) to Award a Materials Purchase Contract for the Santa Clara and Honby Wells PFAS Groundwater Treatment Project with Aqueous Vets.		
5.	Name	Name of Public Agency approving project:		Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency		
6.	Name of Person or Agency carrying out project:		or Agency carrying out project:	Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency		
7.	Exempt status: (check one)					
	(a)		Ministerial project.			
	(b)		Not a project.			
	(c) Emergency Project.		Emergency Project.			
	(d)		Categorical Exemption. State type and class number:	CEQA Guidelines section 15301 and 15303		
	(e) Declared Emergency.					
	(f)		Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:			
	(g)		Other. Explanation:			
8.	Reason why project was exempt:		ject was exempt:	The Project, aka the whole of the action, also qualifies for an exemption under CEQA guidelines Section 15301 Class 1 Minor Alterations to Existing Facilities because it		

		is a minor alteration of an existing public facility and it concerns proposed new mechanical equipment involving negligible or no expansion of use, i.e. no additional extraction of water, beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination; and also qualifies for an exemption under CEQA guidelines section 15303 Class 3 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures because the water main extension and treatment system reflect limited construction of facilities where only minor modifications are made. Further, none of the exceptions listed in Section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines apply.		
9.	Contact Person:	Cheryl Fowler - Management Analyst II		
	Telephone:	(661) 513-1260		
10.	Attach Preliminary Exemption Assessment (Form "A") before filing.			

Signature:	(1)	rot	11	1/
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Date: January 6, 2022

Name: Cheryl Fowler - Management Analyst II, Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency

Date Received for Filing:	Signature (Lead Agency Representative)
(Clerk Stamp Here)	Title