## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** County Clerk, County of Contra Costa

555 Escobar Street, Martinez, CA 94553

**FROM:** Central Contra Costa Sanitary District (Central San)

5019 Imhoff Place, Martinez, CA 94553

PROJECT TITLE: Central San Steam Renovations, Phase 1

PROJECT LOCATION-SPECIFIC: 5019 Imhoff Place

PROJECT LOCATION-CITY AND COUNTY: Unincorporated Martinez, Contra Costa

County

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The Steam Renovations Phase 1 addresses critical needs of the Central San treatment plant's steam system, including improvements to the boiler and deaerator feedwater pumps, and waste steam exchangers. The project will also address safety-related improvements for the boiler feedwater and blowdown sampling equipment, boiler chemical system, and specific boiler feedwater piping and valves found to be rated below operating pressure.

**ENTITY OR PERSON UNDERTAKING PROJECT:** Central San

**PUBLIC AGENCY:** Central San

**LEAD AGENCY**: Central San

**EXEMPT STATUS:** CEQA Guidelines Sections 15301 and 15302

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: At its March 4, 2022 meeting, the Central San Board of Directors independently found that the project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under Central San's CEQA Guidelines Section 15301, since it involves repairs, maintenance, and minor alterations to an existing sewage facility with no increase in capacity; and Section 15302, since it involves replacement of existing public facilities at the same location and with the same purpose. Any capacity increases are for non-growth inducing, wet weather purposes.

**DATE:** March 8, 2022

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**Environmental Coordinator**