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: 2022 Danville Sewer Renovation Phase 4, District Project 8466

PROJECT LOCATION-SPECIFIC: <u>Danville</u>: Bolero Ct, Bolero Dr, Bridgewater Dr, Burleigh Pl, Del Amigo Rd, El Capitan Dr, Emerald Dr, Gardina Ct, Greenbrook Dr, La Questa Dr, Linda Mesa Ave, Paraiso Dr; <u>Alamo</u>: Camille Ave, Escondido Ct, Forest Ln, Stone Valley Way, Vernal Ct, Vernal Dr (see Attachment 1)

PROJECT LOCATION-CITY AND COUNTY: Danville and Alamo, Contra Costa County

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project will replace or rehabilitate deteriorated sewer infrastructure that is at the end of its useful life and in poor condition. The project will generally renovate approximately 9,200 feet of small diameter public sewers, manholes, and other related work within public rights-of-way and private easements.

ENTITY OR PERSON UNDERTAKING PROJECT: Central San

PUBLIC AGENCY: Central San

LEAD AGENCY: Central San

EXEMPT STATUS: CEQA Guidelines Section 15302 and Section 15061(b)(3)

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: At its May 26, 2022, meeting, the Central San Board of Directors independently found that this project is exempt from CEQA under Central San CEQA Guidelines Section 15302 because it involves replacement of existing facilities at substantially the same locations, purpose, and level of activity as the facilities being replaced. Any capacity increases are for non-growth inducing, wet weather purposes. The project also is exempt under Central San CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3), since it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment. This certainty is based on Central San's experience with numerous sewer construction projects of this nature, the relatively short distance involved, and Central San's mitigating construction specifications. These specifications are standardized general and special conditions that are made part of the Project bid documents to address environmental considerations, such as protecting trees and riparian areas, as well as compliance with applicable federal, state, county, district, municipal and local laws, ordinances, orders, and regulations.

CONTACT PERSON: Russell B. Leavitt, (925) 768-3430

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE**: _____ **Date**: _____ **June** 8, 2022

Environmental Coordinator

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Danville Sewer Renovations Phase 4 District Project 8466

Map Date: 4/6/2022

