NOTICE OF EXEMPTION BIG BEAR LAKE DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND POWER

To: San Bernardino County Clerk of the Board 385 North Arrowhead Avenue San Bernardino, CA 92415 From: City of Big Bear Lake Department of Water and Power 41972 Garstin Drive Big Bear Lake, CA 92315

Project Title: _____City of Big Bear Lake Department of Water and Power (BBLDWP): 2023 Wolf Pipeline Replacement Project

Project Location: <u>The proposed 6 pipeline alignments are located in the City of Big Bear Lake.</u> <u>The new 8" and 12" pipelines will be installed on Sheephorn Road, Luna Road, Buffalo Trail, Siskiyou Drive, Clubview Drive, and Wolf Road.</u> <u>Total length of new pipelines is about 3,500 lineal feet within existing public road rights-of way.</u>

Project Location - City: ____City of Big Bear Lake

Project Location - County: San Bernardino

Description of Nature, Purpose,

and Beneficiaries of the Project: ______The purpose of the proposed project is to install replacement water lines along six roadways. This will ensure adequate water supply to the users along these alignments, including adequate fire flow.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Big Bear Lake Department of Water and Power

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Big Bear Lake Department of Water and Power

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Sections 21080(b)(1); 15268)
- Declared Emergency (Sections 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Sections 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c))
- Categorical Exemption (Sections 21084; 15301(a)
- _ ✓ Statutory Exemption (Section 15282 (k))

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Reasons why project is exempt: <u>The State CEQA Guidelines provide a series of Statutory Exemptions</u> for actions that have been deemed by the State Legislature **not** to be subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), i.e. not a project under the CEQA Statute. The proposed action is the installation of approximately 3,500 feet of replacement pipeline (8-inch and 12-inch diameter) that would allow continued delivery of adequate water supply along the length of these replacement pipelines. Statutory Exemption 15282 states: (k) The installation of new pipeline or maintenance, repair, restoration, removal, or demolition of the existing pipeline as set forth in Section 21080.21 of the Public Resources Code, as long as the project does not exceed one mile in length. The proposed action has been determined to fall within the scope of Statutory Exemption 15282(k). Therefore, this proposed action is not a "project" subject to CEQA or the State CEQA Guidelines.

Lead Agency Contact Person: <u>Reginald Lamson</u>		Telephone: (909) 866-5050			
Signature: And	Title:	General Manager	Date: 4-26-23		
		DATE FILI Posted On	ED & POSTED		
		Removed On:	6-9-23		
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PROJECT TITLE						
City of Big Bear Lake Department of Water and Power (BBLDWP); 2023 Wolf	Pipeline R	epla	cement Pro	oject	
PROJECT APPLICANT NAME PROJECT APPLICANT				PHONE NUMBER		
Big Bear Lake Dept. of Water and Power				(909)866	6-5050	
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS	CITY	STATE		ZIP CODE		
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CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:						
Environmental Impact Report (EIR)		\$3,839.25	\$	<u> </u>		
Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,764.00	\$		0.00		
Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due of	\$1,305.25	\$				
 Exempt from fee Notice of Exemption (attach) CDFW No Effect Determination (attach) Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt cop 	y)					
Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resource)	es Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$		0.00	
 County documentary handling fee 					50.00	
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