

Notice of Exemption

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To: ☐ Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814



County Clerk
County of San Joaquin
44 N. San Joaquin Street, Suite 260
Stockton, CA 95202

From: (Public Agency) Reclamation District No. 2023
P.O. Box 4028
Stockton, CA 95204 (Address)

Project Title: Furnish and Install Pump Replacements and Pump Station Reconstruction

Project Location - Specific: Pump station along north levee of Venice Island which is west of Stockton along 8 mile road

Project Location - City: Approx. 10 mi north-west of Stockton Project Location - County: San Joaquin County

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project involves engineering and construction of levee improvement and rehabilitation activities which generally consists rehabilitating the district pump station and relocating it outside of the levee template. The purpose of this project is to protect against levee failure. The beneficiaries include: landowners within RD 2023, electrical services, fish and wildlife, and users of water from the Delta.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Reclamation District No. 2023 (RD 2023 is also the lead agency)

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Reclamation District No. 2023

Exempt Status: (check one)

- ☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 1 & 2 (Guidelines sections 15301 & 15302, respectively)
☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt: The project consists of the maintenance and/or repair of existing levee improvements which involves negligible or no expansion of said improvements' existing uses and, hence, falls within Guidelines section 15301. The project also consists of the replacement and/or reconstruction of existing levee improvements where the replace and/or reconstructed improvements will be located on the same site as the existing improvements and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the existing improvements and, hence, falls within Guidelines section 15302.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Clayton Mayne-Rizzi Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 478-6525

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Signature: Clayton Mayne-Rizzi Date: 6/10/26 Title: Reclamation District 2023 Engineer

☒ Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR:

☒ Signed by Applicant

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RECLAMATION DISTRICT NO. 2023

Categorical Exemption Resolution

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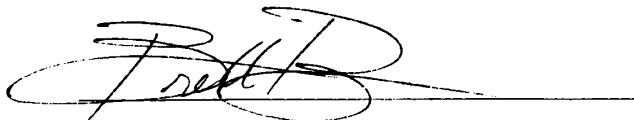
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The District Engineer, President, Secretary or any Trustee is authorized to file with the County clerk a "Notice of Exemption" pursuant to California Administrative Code, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Sections 15262, 15301, and 15304.

CERTIFICATION

I, BRETT G. BAKER, Secretary of the above District, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution duly adopted by the Board of Trustees on November 20, 2025.

Executed on November 20, 2025.


BRETT G. BAKER

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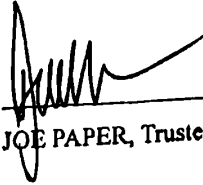
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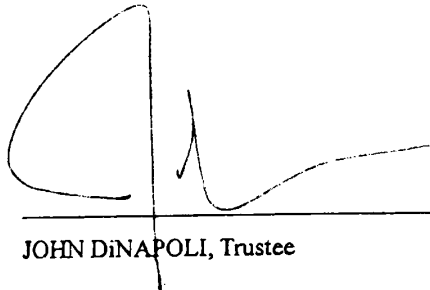
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