



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:
San Joaquin County
Recorder/County Clerk Office
44 N. San Joaquin Street, Ste 280
Stockton CA 95202

FROM: (LEAD AGENCY)
EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT
Office of the Secretary
375 Eleventh Street, MS 806
Oakland, CA 94607-4240

- ☒ Lead Agency is the Project Applicant
☒ Lead Agency is Public Agency Approving Project
☒ Lead Agency is Carrying Out Project

PROJECT INFORMATION

- TITLE:** Adoption of Water and Wastewater Rates and Charges, Recreation Use Fees, Public Records Act Fees, Real Property Use Application Fees, Capacity Fees and Other Fees Not Subject to Proposition 218, and Regulations for Fiscal Year 2025
- LOCATION:** (City, County, and specific location)
EBMUD Service Area, Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, and Amador, Calaveras, and San Joaquin Counties See Exhibits 1, 2 and 3
- DESCRIPTION:** On June 11, 2024, the Board of Directors of East Bay Municipal Utility District (Board) adopted revisions to water and wastewater system rates, charges, and various fees not subject to Proposition 218, and to water service regulations for Fiscal Year (FY) 2025. Water and wastewater rates, charges, and fees and water service regulations are applicable to the EBMUD service area as shown in Exhibit 1. Real property use application fees are applicable to request for use of EBMUD properties located in the EBMUD service area (shown in Exhibit 1) and in Amador, Calaveras, and San Joaquin Counties (shown in Exhibits 2 and 3). The changes to the recreation use fees apply to EBMUD recreation facilities in the EBMUD service area (shown in Exhibit 1 and in Amador, Calaveras, and San Joaquin Counties (shown in Exhibits 2 and 3). Further information about these rates, charges, fees and regulations is available at <http://www.ebmud.com/rates/>.

EXEMPTION FINDING (Check one)

This project is exempt from CEQA because:

- ☐ Activity is not a project
- ☐ Activity is Ministerial (Sec.21080(b)(1); Guideline 15268)
- ☐ Activity is a Declared Emergency (Sec.21080(b)(3); Guideline 15269(a))
- ☐ Activity is an Emergency Project (Sec.21080(b)(4); Guideline 15269(b)(c))
- ☒ Activity is Categorically Exempt Under Guideline CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) **Office of the Secretary**
- ☒ Activity is Statutorily Exempt Under Guideline CEQA Guidelines Section 15273, Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(8)
- ☒ Reasons why project is exempt: The Board's adoption of water and wastewater system rates and charges, various fees, and regulations for FY 2025 is exempt from the requirements of CEQA because it consists entirely of the establishment, modification, structuring, restructuring, or approval of rates, tolls, fares, or other charges necessary to (1) meet District operation expenses, including employee wage rates and fringe benefits, (2) purchase or lease supplies, equipment or materials, (3) meet financial reserve needs and requirements, and (4) obtain funds for capital projects necessary to maintain service within the District's existing service area. The Board's adoption of these rates, charges, various fees, and regulations is also exempt from the requirements of CEQA because there is no possibility that their adoption will have a significant effect on the environment. All of the rates, charges, and fees adopted by the Board were designed to support the District's operating and capital expenses.

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INITIATING UNIT: Finance 218

APPROVAL


June 12, 2024	Phoebe Grow	Robert Hannay
1. DATE PREPARED	2. PREPARED BY (Initial)	3. REVIEWED BY (Unit Supv. initial)
Robert Hannay		
4. RECOMMENDED BY (Division/Section Manager)		
Phoebe Grow	809	Principal Management Analyst
5. CONTACT PERSON	MAIL SLOT #	TITLE
		PHONE

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION APPROVED FOR FILING WITH THE COUNTY CLERK

June 12, 2024	Sophia Skoda	Robert Hannay for Sophia Skoda
DATE	DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR	
June 14, 2024	Rischa S. Cole	
DATE FORWARDED TO COUNTY CLERK	SECRETARY OF THE DISTRICT	

EBMUD SERVICE AREA





SCALE
1" = 2000'

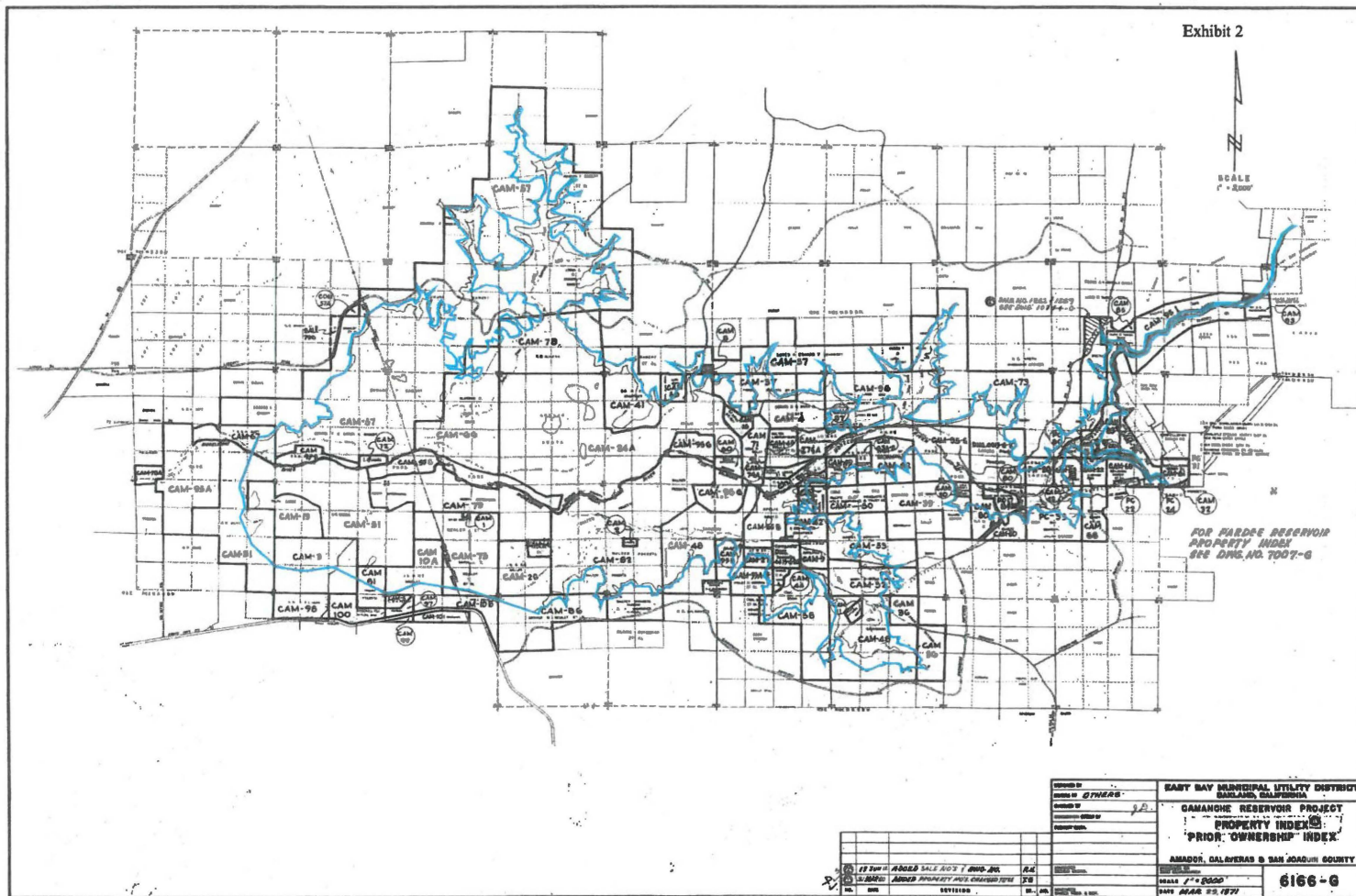
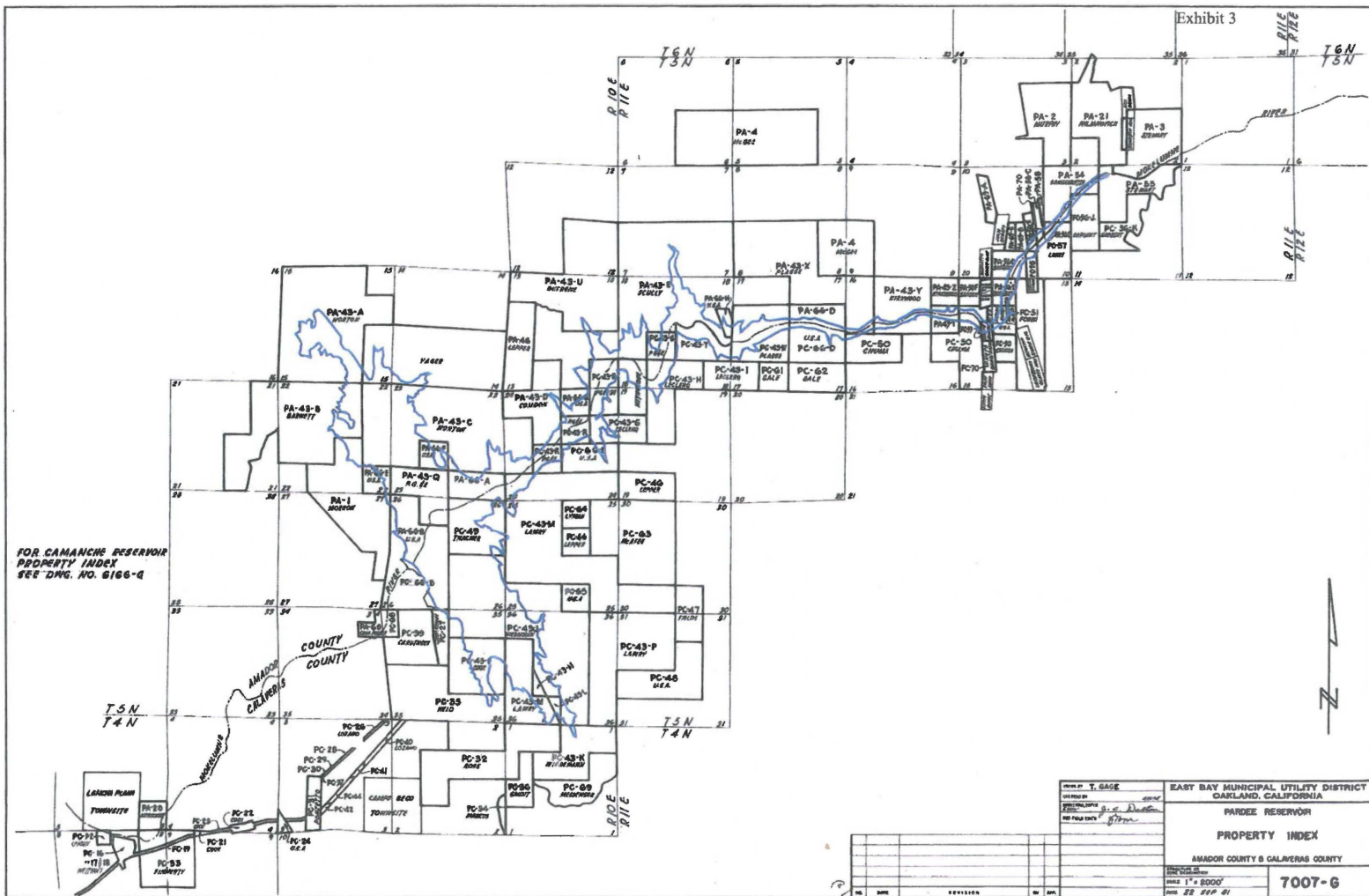


Exhibit 3

FOR CAMANCHE RESERVOIR
PROPERTY INDEX
SEE DMG. NO. 6166-1





State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2024 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/24) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:
39-06172024-200

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY
EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

LEAD AGENCY EMAIL

DATE
06/17/2024

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING
SAN JOAQUIN

DOCUMENT NUMBER
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PROJECT TITLE

ADOPTION OF WATER & WASTEWATER RATES * CHARGES, RECREATION USE FEES, PUBLIC RECORDS ACT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME
EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL

PHONE NUMBER
(510) 287-0205 PHOEBE

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS
375 11TH ST MS 806

CITY
OAKLAND

STATE
CA

ZIP CODE
94607

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$4,051.25	\$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,916.75	\$	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,377.25	\$	

☒ Exempt from fee

☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)

☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

<input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee		\$	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Other		\$	

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☒ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Kelley McHugh, Deputy

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State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
**2024 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT**
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NOTICE

Each project applicant shall remit to the county clerk the environmental filing fee before or at the time of filing a Notice of Determination (Pub. Resources Code, § 21152; Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subdivision (d); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5). Without the appropriate fee, statutory or categorical exemption, or a valid No Effect Determination issued by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), the Notice of Determination is not operative, vested, or final, and shall not be accepted by the county clerk.

COUNTY DOCUMENTARY HANDLING FEE

The county clerk may charge a documentary handling fee of fifty dollars (\$50) per filing in addition to the environmental filing fee (Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subd. (e); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5, subd. (g)(1)). A county board of supervisors shall have the authority to increase or decrease the fee or charge, that is otherwise authorized to be levied by another provision of law, in the amount reasonably necessary to recover the cost of providing any product or service or the cost of enforcing any regulation for which the fee or charge is levied (Gov. Code, § 54985, subd. (a)).

COLLECTION PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENTS

Filing Notice of Determination (NOD):

- ☐ Collect environmental filing fee or copy of previously issued cash receipt. *(Do not collect fee if project applicant presents a No Effect Determination signed by CDFW. An additional fee is required for each separate environmental document. An addendum is not considered a separate environmental document. Checks should be made payable to the county.)*
- ☐ Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- ☐ Attach copy of cash receipt and, if applicable, previously issued cash receipt, to NOD.
- ☐ Mail filing fees for **CRP** document to CDFW prior to filing the NOD or equivalent final approval (Cal. Code Regs. Tit. 14, § 753.5 (b)(5)). The CRP should request receipt from CDFW to show proof of payment for filing the NOD or equivalent approval. Please mail payment to address below made attention to the Cash Receipts Unit of the Accounting Services Branch.

If the project applicant presents a **No Effect Determination** signed by CDFW, also:

- ☐ Attach No Effect Determination to NOD *(no environmental filing fee is due)*.

Filing Notice of Exemption (NOE) *(Statutorily or categorically exempt project (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §§ 15260-15285, 15300-15333))*

- ☐ Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- ☐ Attach copy of cash receipt to NOE *(no environmental filing fee is due)*.

Within 30 days after the end of each month in which the environmental filing fees are collected, each county shall summarize and record the amount collected on the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31) and remit the amount collected to the State Treasurer. Identify the remittance on Form No. CA25 as "Environmental Document Filing Fees" per Fish and Game Code section 711.4.

The county clerk shall mail the following documents to CDFW on a monthly basis:

- ✓ A photocopy of the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31)
- ✓ CDFW/ASB copies of all cash receipts (including all voided receipts)
- ✓ A copy of all CDFW No Effect Determinations filed in lieu of fee payment
- ✓ A copy of all NODs filed with the county during the preceding month
- ✓ A list of the name, address and telephone number of all project applicants for which an NOD has been filed. If this information is contained on the cash receipt filed with CDFW under California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 753.5, subdivision (e)(6), no additional information is required.

DOCUMENT RETENTION

The county shall retain two copies of the cash receipt (for lead agency and county clerk) and a copy of all documents described above for at least 12 months.

RECEIPT NUMBER

- # The first two digits automatically populate by making the appropriate selection in the County/State Agency of Filing drop down menu.
- # The next eight digits automatically populate when a date is entered.
- # The last three digits correspond with the sequential order of issuance for each calendar year. For example, the first receipt number issued on January 1 should end in 001. If a county issued 252 receipts for the year ending on December 31, the last receipt number should end in 252. CDFW recommends that counties and state agencies 1) save a local copy of this form, and 2) track receipt numbers on a spreadsheet tabbed by month to ensure accuracy.

DO NOT COMBINE THE ENVIRONMENTAL FEES WITH THE STATE SHARE OF FISH AND WILDLIFE FEES.

Mail to:

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
Accounting Services Branch
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, California 94244-2090

San Joaquin County Recorders
Steve J. Bestolarides
44 N. San Joaquin Street, Room 260
Stockton, Ca 95202
Receipt: 1734211

Product Name	Extended
FISH CLERK CLERK FISH AND GAME FILINGS	\$50.00
# Pages	4
Document #	39-06172024-200
Clerk Filing Fee	\$50.00
Total	\$50.00
Tender (Check)	\$50.00
Payor	east bay municipal utility district
Check #	200051996

Thank You!

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