



COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO
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CEQA Filing Processing Sheet

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Date Submitted to County Clerk 07/11/2024

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Clerk Posting – CLK POST ☐

- No fees
- Required information Included in Posting
 - Project Title
 - Applicant Name

Fish and Wildlife Filing- FISH ☐

- ☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- ☐ Negative Declaration (ND)
- ☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration (MDN)
- ☐ CDFW No Effect Determination
- ☒ Notice of Exemption (NOE)
- ☐ Projects Subject to Certified Regulatory Programs (CRP)

Project Applicant Type

- ☐ Local Public Agency
- ☐ School District
- ☐ Other Special District/Agency
- ☐ State Agency
- ☐ Private Entity

Required information on filing provided to clerk:

- **Lead Agency**
- **Lead Agency Email**
- **Project Title & Description**
- **Project Applicant Name, Address, Email address and Telephone Number**
- **Statement of finding/determination**
- **Signature & date of agency**

Lead Agency Name

Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency

Signature of Lead Agency Representative Submitting for Filing

Taylor Blakslee

Printed Name of Lead Agency Representative Submitting for Filing And Title

Taylor Blakslee, Assistant Executive Director

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, and Ventura

From: (Public Agency): Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency
4900 California Ave, Tower B, Suite 210
Bakersfield, CA 93309

Project Applicant Info:
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Lead Agency Info:
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Project Title: Monitoring Enhancement - Construction of New Monitoring Wells

Lead Agency/Project Applicant: Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency

Project Location - Specific:

10 wells across the Cuyama Basin (See attached map)

Project Location - City: Cuyama Project Location - County: Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, and Ventura

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project constructs single and dual nested monitoring wells to monitor for groundwater levels, horizontal and vertical hydraulic gradients, and water quality. The purpose is to benefit management of groundwater by the Cuyama Basin GSA, which is the beneficiary.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Cuyama Basin Groundwater Sustainability Agency

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: CCR section 15303 (Class 3) & CCR section 15306 (Class 6)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 3: Minor new construction without significant impacts.

Class 6: Project consists of basic data collection and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resources for information gathering purposes.

Lead Agency Taylor Blakslee (661) 477-3385
Contact Person: _____ Area Code/Telephone/Extension: _____

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

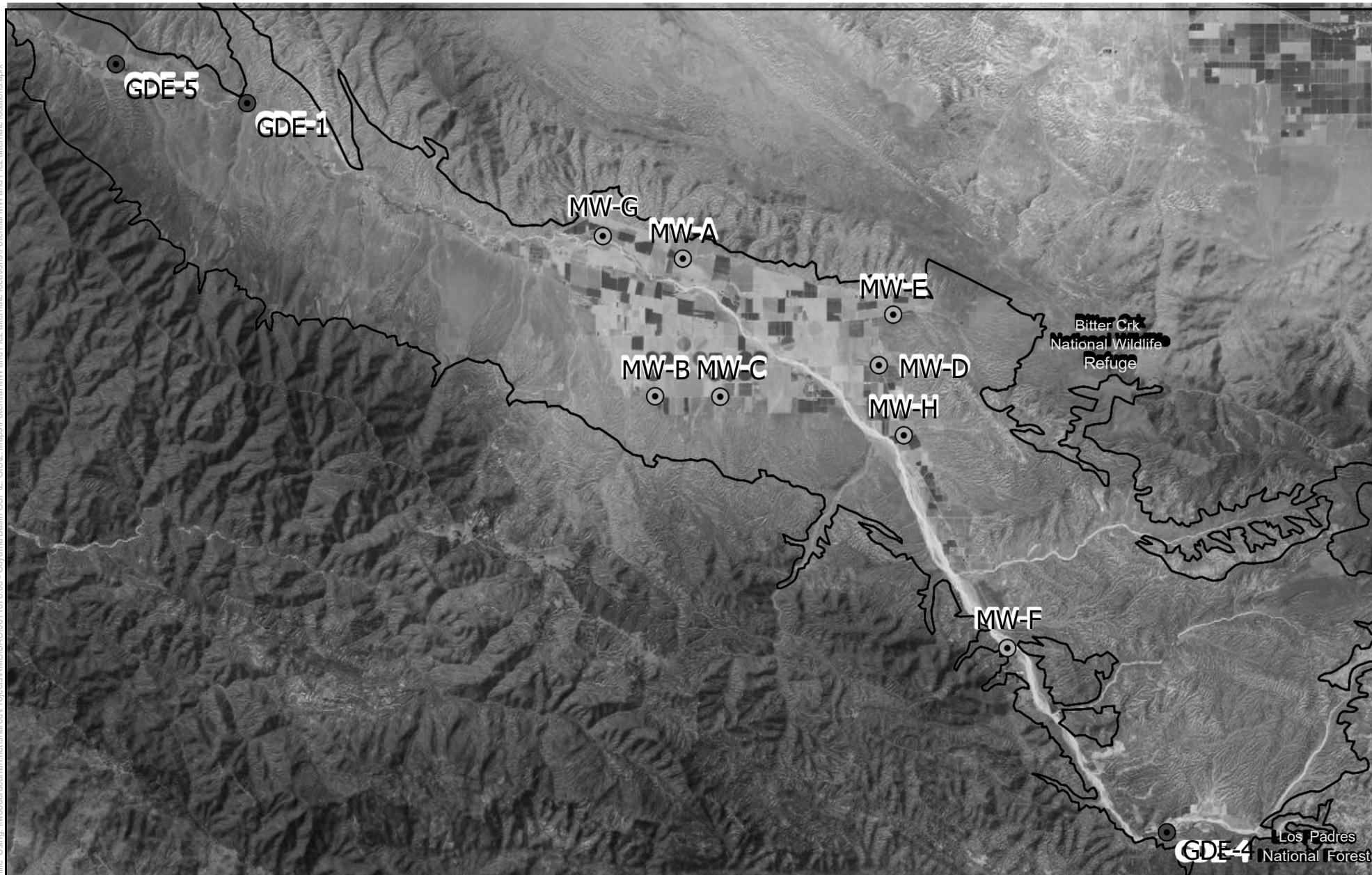
Signature: Taylor Blakslee Date: 7/11/2024 Title: Assistant Executive Director

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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Proposed Locations of Monitoring Wells and GDE Wells

Legend

- Proposed Monitoring Well
- Proposed GDE Well

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**Woodard
& Curran**

Project #: 0011078.00
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