



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE**  
**CASH RECEIPT**  
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

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RECEIPT NUMBER:  
 36 — 05202025 — 350  
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)  
 N/A

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LEAD AGENCY <b>Inland Empire Utilities Agency</b>	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL -	DATE <b>05202025</b>
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING San Bernardino	DOCUMENT NUMBER -	

PROJECT TITLE

**Prado Lake Wastewater Discharge Re-Location**

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME <b>Inland Empire Utilities Agency</b>	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL -	PHONE NUMBER <b>(909)993-1600</b>
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS <b>6075 Kimball Avenue</b>	CITY <b>Chino</b>	STATE <b>CA</b>
		ZIP CODE <b>91708</b>

**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)  | \$4,123.50 | \$ | 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)                                   | \$2,968.75 | \$ | 0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW | \$1,401.75 | \$ | 0.00 |

- Exempt from fee  
      Notice of Exemption (attach)  
      CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)  
 Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

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|---|----------|----|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) | \$850.00 | \$ | 0.00  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee   |          | \$ | 50.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other  |          | \$ |       |

**PAYMENT METHOD: #4495**

- Cash    
  Credit    
 Check    
 Other

**TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00**

SIGNATURE <b>X</b>	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE <b>Alicia Meza, Deputy Clerk</b>
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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: San Bernardino County  
Clerk of the Board  
385 North Arrowhead Avenue  
San Bernardino, CA 92415

From: Inland Empire Utilities Agency  
6075 Kimball Avenue  
Chino, CA 91708

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY  
CALIFORNIA  
2025 MAY 20 AM 10:07  
CLERK OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Project Title: Prado Lake Wastewater Discharge Re-Location

Project Location: The proposed project is located in the southwestern portion of the San Bernardino County, south of the Inland Empire Utility Agency's (IEUA) Regional Plan No. 5 (RP-5). The proposed alternative discharge location is an existing discharge location located west of El Prado Road and south of Kimball Avenue.

Project Location - City: Unincorporated San Bernardino County

Project Location - County: San Bernardino

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of the Project: The purpose of the proposed project is to relocate the tertiary treated wastewater discharge from Prado Lake (Prado Regional Park) to the existing RP-5 tertiary treated wastewater discharge to Chino Creek.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inland Empire Utilities Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Inland Empire Utilities Agency

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 (Section 15301(b))

DATE FILED & POSTED

Posted On: 5.20.25

Removed On: 6.25.25

Receipt No: 36-152025-350

Reasons why project is exempt: The State CEQA Guidelines provide a series of categorical exemptions for projects that have been deemed to have minimal impacts on the environment. The proposed project is the transfer of tertiary treated wastewater currently delivered to Prado Lake, and potentially overflowing to the Chino Creek, being redirected upstream to the existing RP-5 discharge facility to Chino Creek. Since no new construction is required, this proposed project has been determined to have no potential to cause significant adverse effects on the environment and will ensure that future operations at RP-5 can be conducted effectively. Categorical Exemption Class 1 exempts "the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment...involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. (b) Existing facilities of both investor and publicly owned utilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services...." The proposed project has been determined not to have a potential to cause significant adverse environmental effects if it is implemented. Therefore, this proposed action is not forecast to cause any potential for significant adverse environmental impacts and qualifies with the requirements for Class 1 Exemption.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Pietro Cambiaso Telephone: (909) 993-1600

Signature:  Title: Manager of Compliance and Sustainability

Date: 5/12/2025