

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:**  Office of Planning and Research  
 1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
 Sacramento, California 95814

**FROM:** Department of Water Resources  
 Division of Safety of Dams  
 2720 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 300  
 Sacramento, California 95833

County Clerk

Del Valle COW/FCOW Phase 2 Investigation (Del Valle Dam, Dam number 1-56)

**Project Title**

Latitude 37.61570°N, Longitude -121.745°W

**Project Location**

City of Livermore

County of Alameda

**Project Location - City**

**County**

15 drill holes and geologic mapping to characterize surface and subsurface rock conditions around the Conservation and Flood Control Outlet Works at Del Valle Dam.

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project.**

Department of Water Resources, Division of Safety of Dams

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project**

California Department of Water Resources, Dam Owner

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project**

**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 I, Section 15301, (m)

Minor repairs and alterations to existing dams and appurtenant structures under the supervision of the Department of Water Resources.

**Reasons why project is exempt:**

Chris Tracy

(916) 820-7846

**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

**Date received for filing at the OPR:**

*Shawn Jones*

**Shawn O. Jones, P.E.**

Acting Division Manager, Division of Safety of Dams

**Title** 7/11/2025

**Date**

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