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Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
County of: Madera
200 W. 4th Street
Madera, CA 93637

From: (Public Agency): Madera County
200 W. 4th Street
Madera, CA 93637
(Address)

Project Title: 25-0185-Well Replacement

Project Applicant: Victor Gonzalez

Project Location - Specific:
18669 Road 25 1/2, Madera, CA 93638

Project Location - City: N/A Project Location - County: Madera

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Construction of a new domestic well to replace the existing well on site. Due to the proposed domestic well which cannot meet the 100-foot setback requirement from the animal enclosure. To address this, the driller has proposed a deeper sanitary seal of 100 feet. The well will be located approximately 34 feet from the animal enclosure.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Madera County

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Big River Drilling LLC

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: 15302 (c)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
This project falls under Categorical Exemption 15302 (c) because the proposed domestic well will replace the existing domestic well on site and will not involve the expansion of capacity.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Sean Anderson Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 675-7821

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: _____ Date: 7/29/2025 Title: Planner I

▪ 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: _____