

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: ☒ Office of Planning and Research
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FROM: Department of Water Resources
Division of Safety of Dams
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☐ County Clerk
County of [County]

Salt Springs Valley Reservoir Outfall Rehabilitation Project (Salt Springs Valley Dam, No. 496).

Project Title

Latitude 38.03050°N, Longitude 120.76430°W

Project Location

City of Farmington

County of Calaveras

Project Location - City**County**

Lining the existing 22-inch outlet pipeline.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project.

Department of Water Resources, Division of Safety of Dams

Name of Public Agency Approving Project

Rock Creek Water District, 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:

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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:

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Title

August 26, 2025

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