

111 N. HOPE STREET, ROOM 1044

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(City CEQA Guidelines)

Submission of this form is optional. The form shall be filed with the County Clerk, pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152(b). Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21168(d), the filing of this notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on Court challenges to the approval of the project. Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

LEAD AGENCY/ APPLICANT AND ADDRESS: Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) 111 N. Hope Street, Room 1044 Los Angeles, CA 90012	COUNCIL DISTRICT 3 - Blumenfield
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PROJECT TITLE Fire Hydrant Installation at 6850 Topanga Canyon Blvd	LOG REFERENCE N/A
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PROJECT LOCATION
6850 N. Topanga Canyon Blvd, Canoga Park, CA 91303. See attached Map.

DESCRIPTION OF NATURE, PURPOSE, AND BENEFICIARIES OF PROJECT:
The Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) is proposing to construct and install a fire hydrant at 6850 Topanga Canyon Boulevard, within an existing Caltrans Right-of-Way, in accordance with Los Angeles Fire Department requirements. The fire hydrant will connect to existing water utility infrastructure. Work will be conducted by open-trench excavation, with a trench approximately 2 feet wide, 70 feet in length, and 4.5 feet deep. The trench will be backfilled and repaved to prior street conditions.

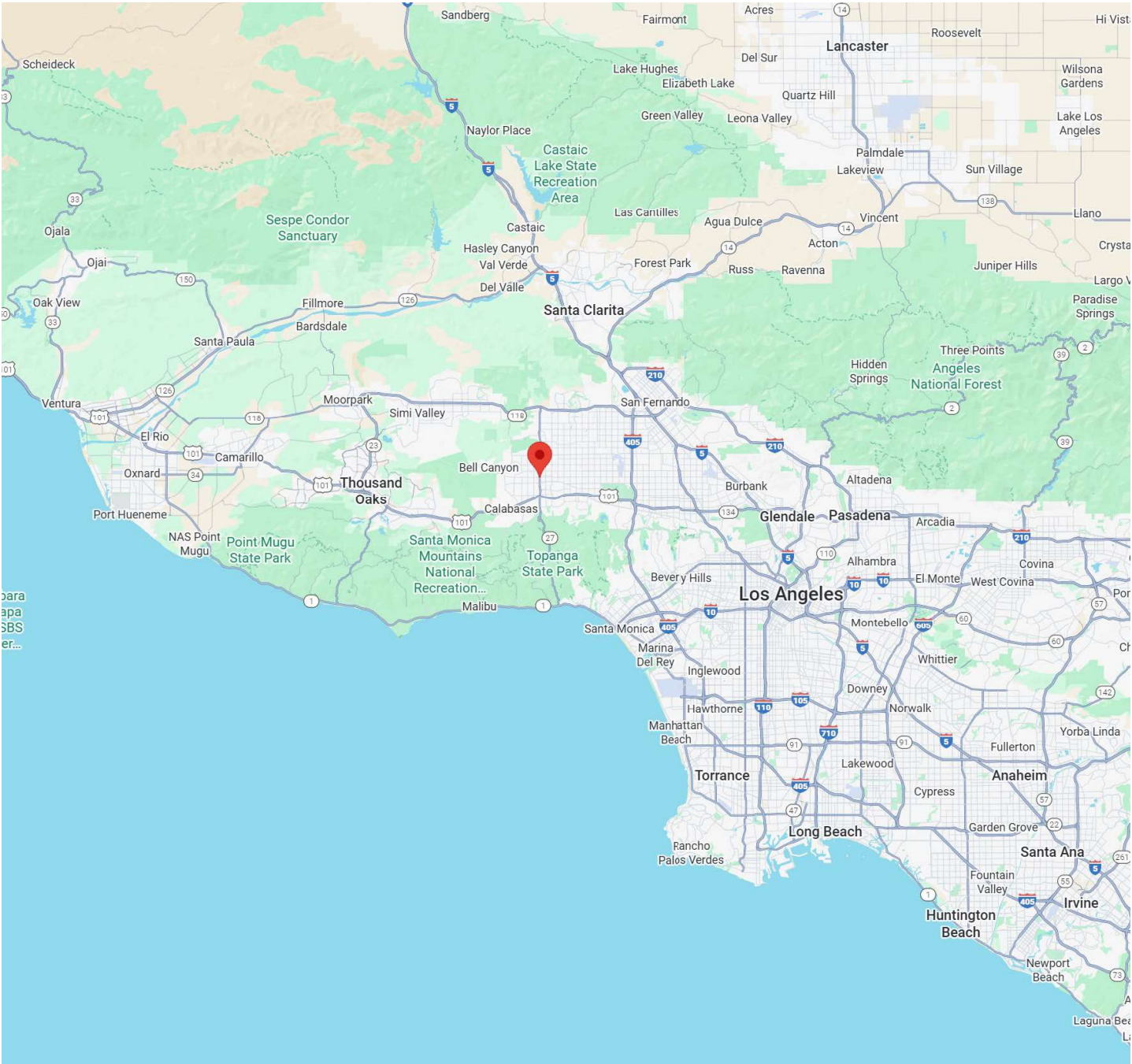
CONTACT PERSON James R. Howe	AREA CODE 213	TELEPHONE NUMBER 367-0414	EXT.
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EXEMPT STATUS: (Check One)			
☐ MINISTERIAL	CITY CEQA GUIDELINES	STATE CEQA GUIDELINES	
☐ DECLARED EMERGENCY	Art. II, Sec. 2b	Sec. 15268	
☐ EMERGENCY PROJECT	Art. II, Sec. 2a(1)	Sec. 15269	
☐ GENERAL EXEMPTION	Art. II, Sec. 2a(2) & (3)	Sec. 15071(b) & (c)	
☒ CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION	Art. II, Sec. 1	Sec. 15060	
☐ OTHER (See Public Resources Code Sec. 21080(b) and set forth state and city guidelines provision)	Art. III, Sec. 1	Sec. 15300	

JUSTIFICATION FOR PROJECT EXEMPTION:
In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act, this project is Categorically Exempt from CEQA review pursuant to Section 15301, Class 1, and Section 15303, Class 3. Class 1 consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of the existing of former use. Class 3 consists of construction and location of limited number of new, small facilities or structures; installation of small new equipment and facilities in small structures, including water main, sewage, electrical, gas, and other utility extensions, including street improvements, of reasonable length to serve such construction.

IF FILED BY APPLICANT, ATTACH CERTIFIED DOCUMENT OF EXEMPTION FINDING			
SIGNATURE  Jane Hauptman	TITLE: Manager of Environmental Planning and Assessment	DATE 09/15/2025	
FEE: N/A	RECEIPT NO.	REC'D BY	DATE

Regional Map



F-86320 Installation Exhibit at 6850 Topanga Cyn. Blvd.

