**Notice of Exemption**

**To:** Office of Planning and Research
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**From:** San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400
Oakland, California 94612

**Project Title:** Port Chicago Highway Storm Drain Pipe & Sinkhole Repair Project

**Project Location - Specific:** Between 706 Port Chicago Highway and Skipper Road in Bay Point (38.035736, -121.960542).

**Project Location – City:** Unincorporated Bay Point **County:** Contra Costa

**Description of Project:** The Project will replace approximately 125 linear feet of a damaged 60-inch diameter corrugated metal pipe storm drain beneath the roadway. The Project will also replace 25 linear feet of a damaged 18-inch diameter high-density polyethylene pipe storm drain.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Contra Costa County Public Works Department

**Exempt Status:** *(check one)*

- ☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(l); 15268);
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- ☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- **X** Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Existing Structures, Section 15301.
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

**Reasons why project is exempt:**
The project will implement measures to maintain an existing structure.

**Responsible Agency**
**Contact Person:** Kathryn Hart

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**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: Kathryn Hart Date: October 3, 2025

Title: Water Resource Control Engineer

**X** Signed by Responsible Agency

☐ Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR:_____