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Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk
County of: Shasta & Tehama

From: (Public Agency): Anderson-Cottonwood Irr. Dist.
2810 Silver Street
Anderson, CA 96007
(Address)

Project Title: 2025-2026 Offseason Maintenance

Project Applicant: N/A

Project Location - Specific:
Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District (ACID) Main Canal and laterals within Shasta & Tehama Counties

Project Location - City: N/A Project Location - County: Shasta & Tehama

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Routine maintenance and repair of existing irrigation facilities for the benefit of ACID and its customers. The maintenance will occur during the 2025/2026 irrigation off-season at locations throughout the District, including Crowley Gulch to Gass Point Rd., Greengate to Ludwig, Panorama to Locust, replacement of culverts in Churn Creek, and removal of trees and vegetation along ACID facilities

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Anderson-Cottonwood Irrigation District

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: Existing Facilities (Guidelines sec. 15301)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:
Project consists of repair and maintenance, and minor alteration to existing irrigation facilities involving negligible expansion of existing and former uses. Project has no significant environmental effects. The project is also exempt under the Clean Water Act, section 404, for maintenance of serviceable structures not character, scope, or size of the original fill design (33 CFR 323.4(a)(2).

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Dan Ruiz Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 530-209-1350

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: October 3, 2025 Title: General Manager

☒ 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: