



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (Rev. 01/01/26) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER: 37-02/20/2026-0165
STATE CLEARING HOUSE NUMBER (if applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY RAMONA MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 02/20/2026
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING SAN DIEGO	DOCUMENT NUMBER 37-2026-0165	
PROJECT TITLE 2026 RAMONA FIREWORKS DISPLAY		

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME RAMONA MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER 760-789-1330
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 105 EARLHAM ST	CITY RAMONA	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 92065

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency School District Other Special District State Agency Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$4,227.50	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)/(ND)	\$3,043.75	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,437.25	\$	0.00

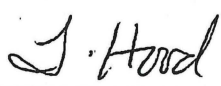
- Exempt from fee
- Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
- Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

<input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee		\$	50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Other		\$	0.00

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash Credit Check Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE X 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE San Diego County Clerk, TIFFANI HOOD, Deputy
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Payment Reference #: CHECK # 024241



**SAN DIEGO COUNTY CLERK
CEQA FILING COVER SHEET**

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Feb 20, 2026 03:15 PM
JORDAN Z. MARKS
SAN DIEGO COUNTY CLERK
File # 2026-000180
State Receipt # 37022020260165

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Complete and attach this form to each CEQA Notice filed with the County Clerk

TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Project Title

2026 RAMONA FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Check Document being Filed:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) or Negative Declaration (ND)
- Notice of Exemption (NOE)
- Other (Please fill in type):

**FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SAN DIEGO
COUNTY CLERK ON** February 20, 2026
Posted February 20, 2026 **Removed** _____
Returned to agency on _____
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Filing fees are due at the time a Notice of Determination/Exemption is filed with our office. For more information on filing fees and No Effect Determinations, please refer to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, section 753.5.

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation State Clearinghouse P. O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044	FROM: Name: Ramona Municipal Water District (Public Agency) Address: 105 Earham St, Ramona, CA 92065 Telephone: 760-789-1330
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clerk of the Board of Supervisors or San Diego Recorder / Clerk County of San Diego Address: Main Office County Administration Center 1600 Pacific Highway, Room 260, MS: A-33 San Diego, CA 92101	

1. Project Title:	2026 Ramona Fireworks Display
2. Project Applicant (include address, telephone number and email address):	Ramona Municipal Water District 105 Earham St, Ramona, CA 92065 760-789-1330, ewolski@rmwd.org
3. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15' or 7 1/2' topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	Ramona Community Park, 421 Aqua Lane, Ramona, CA 92065 Nearest Cross Streets: 5 th Street and 2 nd Street
4. (a) Project Location – City: unincorporated	(b) Project Location – County: San Diego
5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:	The project would include the July 4, 2026 fireworks hosted by the Ramona Chamber of Commerce. Ramona Municipal Water District owns Ramona Community Park and is providing the site to the Chamber at no charge for this event. The Chamber will not be charging for parking or admission for this event. The community of Ramona are the beneficiaries of a free 4 th of July event and approximately 20-minute fireworks show.
6. Name of Public Agency approving project:	Ramona Municipal Water District
7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity:	Ramona Chamber of Commerce
8. Exempt status: (check one)	
(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial project.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Not a project.	(State CEQA Guidelines §§ 15050(c)(2)-(3), 15378)
(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))

(d) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project.	(Pub. Resources Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))
(e) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption. State type and section number:	15304 (Class 4): Minor Alterations to Land
(f) <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:	
(g) <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Explanation:	(State CEQA Guidelines § 15061(b)(3) Common Sense exemption)
9. Reason why project was exempt:	The project would include the Ramona 4 th of July 2026 Fireworks program at Ramona Community Park (421 Aqua Lane, Ramona, CA 92065). The project would include a fireworks display with an approximate 20 minute duration. The fireworks would be discharged off of multi-use field 2, adjacent to and north of the Ramona Outdoor Community Center at 421 Aqua Lane. The fireworks program would start at approximately 9 pm and would conclude at approximately 9:20 pm. Construction of on-land support facilities is not needed and no admission fee would be charged; however, multi-use field 2 and other areas of the park would be closed all day for preparation of the discharge site. Best Management Practices (BMPs) are proposed to minimize impacts from the fireworks display. The Chamber and its fireworks contractor must obtain and comply with all Federal, State and Local permits. Based on staff analysis as discussed above, the project is a minor temporary use of land having negligible or no permanent effects on the environment.
10. Lead Agency Contact Person: Telephone:	Erica Wolski 760-789-1330
11. If filed by applicant: Attach Certificate of Determination (Form "B") before filing.	
12. Was a public hearing held by the Lead Agency to consider the exemption? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, the date of the public hearing was: 2/17/2026	

Date: 2/18/2026

Erica Wolski
Signature

Name: Erica Wolski

Title: General Manager

Signed by Lead Agency

Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing:

(Clerk Stamp Here)

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.



San Diego County



Transaction #: 8896120
Receipt #: 2026068264

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Cashier Date: 02/20/2026
Cashier Location: SD

Print Date: 02/20/2026 3:15 pm

Payment Summary

Total Fees:	\$50.00
Total Payments:	\$50.00
Balance:	\$0.00

Payment

CHECK PAYMENT #024241 \$50.00

Total Payments \$50.00

Filing

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Fees: Fish & Wildlife County Administrative Fee \$50.00

Total Fees Due: \$50.00

Grand Total - All Documents: \$50.00