

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: San Joaquin
44 N San Joaquin St, #260
Stockton, CA 95202

From: (Public Agency): Lead CEQA Agency
Reclamation District No. 2033
165 W. Cleveland Street, Suite 1, Stockton, CA 95204
 (Address)

Project Title: Brack Tract 2026-2027 Routine Maintenance

Project Applicant: Reclamation District No. 2033, 165 W. Cleveland Street, Suite 1, Stockton, CA 95204

Project Location - Specific:
 Levee around Brack Tract along Hog and Sycamore Sloughs, and South Fork Mokelumne River.

Project Location - City: Near Thornton Project Location - County: San Joaquin

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
 Continuation of routine maintenance. Levee system protects property and inhabitants within District.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Reclamation District No. 2033

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Reclamation District No. 2033

- 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: (Sec. 21084; 15301)
 - Statutory Exemptions. State code number: (Sec. 15261)

Reasons why project is exempt:
 Required maintenance of existing serviceable structure.
 Also, exempt under statutory exemption 15261 (statutory exemption for pre-CEQA ongoing projects).

Lead Agency
 Contact Person: Eric Merlo Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 465-9022

- 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: 7/21/26 Title: District Engineer

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: _____
 Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.