



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: <b>E202610000108</b>
STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (if applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY <b>FRESNO METROPOLITAN FLOOD CONTROL DIST.</b>	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE <b>04/20/2026</b>
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING <b>FRESNO COUNTY</b>	DOCUMENT NUMBER <b>E202610000108</b>	

PROJECT TITLE  
**REDBANK AND FANCHER CREEKS FEASIBILITY BORINGS**

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME <b>FRESNO METROPOLITAN FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT</b>	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER <b>(559) 456-3292</b>
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS <b>5469 E OLIVE AVE</b>	CITY <b>FRESNO</b>	STATE <b>CA</b>
		ZIP CODE <b>93727</b>

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


- 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	\$	<u>0.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee	\$50.00	\$	<u>50.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION		\$	<u>0.00</u>

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash     Credit     Check     Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE <b>X</b> 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE <b>Cierra Loera Deputy Clerk</b>
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County of Fresno  
Clerk's Office  
James A. Kus

Elections Department  
(559) 600-8683

Clerk Services Department  
(559) 600-2575

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Finalization            2026007487  
4/20/2026    03:47 PM  
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Description	Fee
EIR Administrative Fee	
Time Recorded:    3:47 PM	
Recording Fee:	\$50.00
<hr/> Total Amount Due	<hr/> \$50.00
Total Paid	
Credit Card	\$50.00
#351827905	
Amount Due	\$0.00

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THANK YOU  
PLEASE KEEP FOR REFERENCE

**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: Fresno  
2221 Kern Street  
Fresno, CA 93721

From: (Public Agency): FMFCD  
5469 E Olive Ave  
Fresno, CA 93727

(Address)

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**FILED**

Project Title: Redbank and Fancher Creeks Feasibility Borings

APR 20 2026

TIME  
*3:48pm*

Project Applicant: Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District

FRESNO COUNTY CLERK  
BY *[Signature]*  
DEPUTY

Project Location - Specific:

The Big Dry Creek Reservoir (BDCR) is located in eastern Clovis, south of the Friant Kern Canal and north of E. Shepherd Ave. The Fancher Creek Reservoir (FCR) is located in eastern Clovis directly east of the Friant Kern Canal and north of Shaw Ave.

Project Location - City: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Location - County: Fresno

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed Geotech boring work consists of a subsurface geotechnical investigation to support the Redbank and Fancher Creeks Feasibility Study. The investigation includes advancing exploratory cone penetrometer test soundings and soil borings along the crest, upstream, and downstream areas of the Big Dry Creek and Fancher Creek dams to evaluate subsurface conditions, embankment materials, and potential seepage pathways. Exploration locations are distributed along the length of both existing dam levee locations to support evaluation of existing dam performance and future operational modifications.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Fresno Metropolitan Flood Control 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)); Class 4 - Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land)
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 6 - Section 15306 (Information Collection)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 15262 Feasibility and Planning Studies

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 4 consists of minor public alterations in the condition of land, which does not involve removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees. Class 6 consists of basic data collection, research, and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a major disturbance to an environmental resource. The Statutory Exemption covers a project involving only feasibility or planning studies for possible future actions which the agency or board has not approved, adopted, or funded does not require the preparation of an EIR or Negative Declaration but does require consideration of environmental factors.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Andrew Remus Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 456-3292

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: *[Signature]* Date: 4/17/26 Title: Environmental Resources 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: \_\_\_\_\_