

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Enforcement No. 2026-15761 – Notice to Proceed with Compliance Plan and Schedule (Plan) for Fill Removal

Project Applicant: N/A

Project Location: The project is located on the east side of the Sacramento River at Levee Mile 14.18 within Reclamation District No. 1000 Unit No. 01, in Sacramento County (38.62547°N, 121.56039°W).

Project Description: Approval and implementation of a Compliance Plan and Schedule (Plan) for Enforcement Case No. 2026-15761 to remedy unauthorized grading activities. The activity consists of the removal of approximately 45 cubic yards of unauthorized fill material placed on the waterside slope of an existing levee and restoration of the affected area to its pre-disturbance contours and conditions. Restoration activities will include minor regrading and stabilization as necessary to ensure the integrity and function of the levee. No expansion of use or new development is proposed.

Public Agency Approving Project: Central Valley Flood Protection Board (Board)

Agency/Person Carrying Out Project: Roberta Sylte Revocable Trust

Exempt Status:

- Categorical Exemption: Sections 15321, 15304
- Statutory Exemption: _____

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 21, Enforcement Actions by Regulatory Agencies categorical exemption (CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15321), because the activity consists of actions taken by a regulatory agency to enforce applicable laws, regulations, and/or permit requirements. Specifically, the project implements a compliance action requiring the removal of unauthorized fill material placed on an existing levee slope and the restoration of the site to pre-disturbance conditions. The project is also exempt from CEQA under the Class 4, Minor Alterations to Land categorical exemption (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15304), because the activity consists of minor grading and restoration work involving the removal of 45 cubic yards of previously placed fill on a previously disturbed levee slope. Restoring the existing site does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees. The project is limited in scope, occurs within a previously disturbed area, and will not result in a reasonable possibility of a significant environmental effect. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in CEQA California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply.

Chris Lief

5/6/2026

Signature Chris Lief, Executive Officer Date

- Signed by Public Agency Signed by Responsible Agency

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