

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Minor Alteration No. WA2026059 – Pipe Removal and Excavation Project

Project Applicant: Reclamation District No. 2060; Henry Kuechler, Project Manager; 1143 Crane Street, Menlo Park, CA 94025; RD2060@hihp.com; (650) 328-0820

Project Location: The proposed project is located along Reclamation District 2060 Hastings Unit No. 02 Ulatis Creek, right bank levee in Solano County. DSID 22055 is located at Levee Mile 0.03 (38.27523°N, -121.79506°W), DSID 22056 at Levee Mile 1.74 (38.28530°N, -121.77701°W), and DSID 22057 at Levee Mile 1.71 (38.28505°N, -121.77752°W).

Project Description: To remove two existing 24-inch corrugated metal pipes, flap gates, and their associated features. Excavation will also occur at Levee Mile 1.74 on the landside and waterside toe to determine if DSID 22057 still exists and remove if present. Other work includes restoring the levee crown road with aggregate base in kind. All work including excavation and backfill will be performed in accordance with California Code of Regulations, Title 23, Waters, Division 1 (Title 23), Section 120 – Levees standards.

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

Exempt Status:

☒ Categorical Exemption: Sections 15301, 15304

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1, Existing Facilities categorical exemption (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15301), because the activity consists of the demolition and removal of accessory structures. 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 public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes. Further, none of the exceptions to the exemption in California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15300.2 apply.

Chris Lief

6/11/2026

Signature

Chris Lief, Executive Officer

Date

☒ Signed by Public Agency ☐ Signed by Responsible Agency

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.