TRUCKEE DONNER
Public Utility District

Notice of Exemption

To: State Clearinghouse
PO Box 3044
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

Nevada County Clerk
950 Maidu Avenue
Nevada City, CA 95959

From: Truckee Donner Public Utility District
11570 Donner Pass Road
Truckee, CA 96161

Project Title: Donner Trails Tank No. 2 Interior Coating Rehabilitation

Project Location - Specific: 11777 Bull Pine Trail, Truckee, CA, 96161. APN 018-680-021

Project Location - City: Truckee **Project Location - County:** Nevada

Description of Project: Rehabilitation of the interior coating and appurtenances of an existing potable water storage tank.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Truckee Donner Public Utility District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Truckee Donner Public Utility District

Exempt status (check one)

- ☐ Ministerial - See 21080(b)(1); 15268
- ☐ Declared emergency - See 21080(b)(3); 15269(a)
- ☐ Emergency project - See 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)
- ☐ Statutory exemption – See 15282 (k)
- ☒ Categorical exemption – See 15301

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: Maintenance of existing facilities

Lead Agency Contact Person: Neil Kaufman – 530 582-3950

If filed by applicant:

1) Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2) Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by public agency approving the project? Yes No

Date: 8/24/2026

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Preliminary Environmental Assessment

Name of Project: Donner Trails Tank No. 2 Interior Coating Rehabilitation

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Entity or Person Undertaking Project:

Name: Truckee Donner Public Utility District

Address: 11570 Donner Pass Road
Truckee, CA 96161

Phone: 530-582-3950

Staff Determination:

District staff, having undertaken and completed an initial study of this project in accordance with Article V of the District's guidelines entitled "Local Guidelines Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act," for the purpose of ascertaining whether the proposed project might have a significant effect on the environment, has reached the following conclusion:

☐ The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. Therefore, a negative declaration should be prepared.

☐ The project, if modified in accordance with certain mitigation measures set forth in the initial study and enumerated in Exhibit "E" attached hereto and by reference incorporated herein, will not have a significant effect on the environment. Upon completion of such procedures as may be necessary to assure such modification, a negative declaration should be prepared.

☐ The project may have a significant effect on the environment. Therefore, an EIR will be required.

☒ The project is categorically exempt under Section 15301.
Applicable Exemption Class: Maintenance of Existing Facilities

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