

Public Notice
Notice of Exemption



To: County of Santa Clara
Clerk-Recorder's Office
110 West Tasman Dr, 1st Floor
San Jose CA 95134

From: Santa Clara Valley Water District (Valley Water)
5750 Almaden Expressway
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Project Title: Campbell Well Field Decommissioning

Project Location—Specific: 47 Maravilla Court

Project Location-City: City of Campbell

Project Location-County: Santa Clara

Project Purpose: The project is needed to decommission an existing well and pump house that has been disconnected from Campbell Distributary

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Valley Water

Name of Agency or Person Carrying Out Project: Valley Water

Exempt Status: (*check one*)

- ☐ Ministerial [Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268];
- ☐ Declared Emergency [Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a)];
- ☐ Emergency Project [Sec. 21080(b)(c)];
- ☒ Categorical Exemption [§15301: Class 1, Existing Facilities]
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions [*State code number*].

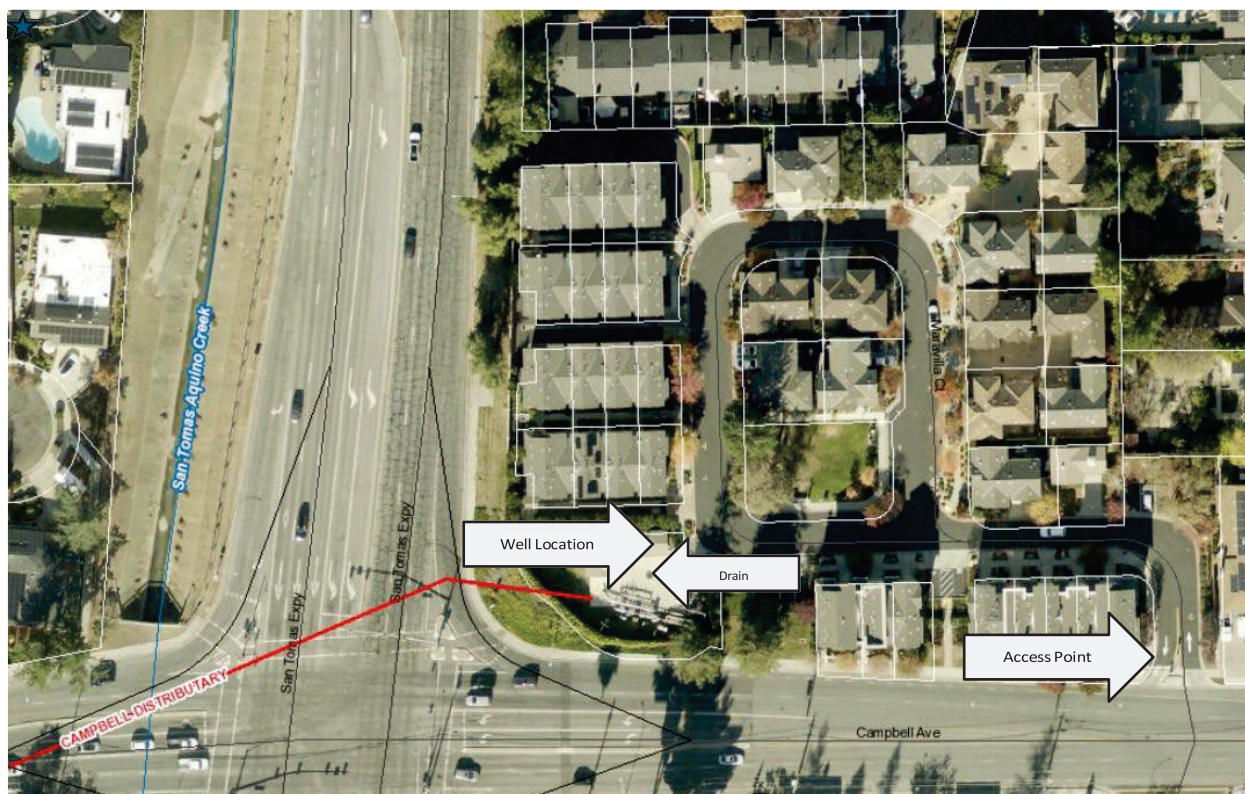
Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The project qualifies Class 1 (Existing Facilities) Categorical Exemptions because the project involves decommissioning of an existing public facility only with no expansion at the same site. None of the exceptions noted under the CEQA Guidelines §15300.2 that would prevent the project from being exempt apply.

Description of Project: The Campbell Well Field (CWF) is a groundwater facility comprised of three production wells and associated utility infrastructure owned and operated by Valley Water, located at 47 Maravilla Court, Campbell, CA. The Project is to decommission Well B (State ID# 07S01W27P009) of the CWF.

Well B is located within a pump house near a residential area (see Figure 1). The pump house is located within an approximately 1,800 square foot level and paved area on Valley Water owned land. Overhead access for well decommissioning activities is through a 4-foot by 4-foot skylight in the roof of the pump house. The well would be sealed with cement poured in one continuous event and will be installed to the level of the top of the well casing and smoothed to match the existing pump pedestal surface. Within the paved area is a storm drain that discharges directly into San Tomas Aquino Creek, which is located

approximately 0.4 miles west of the western boundary of the site. All vehicles and equipment will access the site using the sole ingress/egress access point off Campbell Avenue.

Figure 1: Project Location



Lead Agency: Santa Clara Valley Water District

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