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111 N. HOPE STREET, ROOM 1044
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012
CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

(City CEQA Guidelines)

Submission of this form is optional. The form shall be filed with the County Clerk, pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152(b). Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21168(d), the filing of this notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on Court challenges to the approval of the project. Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

LEAD AGENCY/ APPLICANT AND ADDRESS:	**COUNCIL DISTRICT**
Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) 111 N. Hope Street, Room 1044 Los Angeles, CA 90012	8 & 9
PROJECT TITLE	**LOG REFERENCE**
Central Basin Groundwater Pilot Utilization Study	N/A

PROJECT LOCATION

See attached maps.

DESCRIPTION OF NATURE, PURPOSE, AND BENEFICIARIES OF PROJECT:

The Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) is proposing to install three monitoring wells in the Central Basin, which will be used to monitor groundwater elevations in the underlying aquifers to better understand aquifer conditions and improve water resource management in the Central Basin area. Two monitoring wells will be installed on LADWP property located at 518 W 78th St, Los Angeles, CA 90044 and 5848 Miramonte Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90001. The third monitoring well will be installed within West 67th Street near its intersection with South Main Street. The exact depth of each monitoring will be determined after reviewing the lithological logs obtained from pilot boreholes. The work area for each monitoring well will be approximately 12 feet by 200 feet and utilize existing roads for site access and material laydown. No grading, grubbing, or tree removal will be needed. No street closures are anticipated during construction activities.

CONTACT PERSON	**AREA CODE**	**TELEPHONE NUMBER**	**EXT.**
Marshall Cyr	213	367-3541	

EXEMPT STATUS: (Check One)

	CITY CEQA GUIDELINES	STATE CEQA GUIDELINES
____ MINISTERIAL	Art. II, Sec. 2b	Sec. 15268
_____ DECLARED EMERGENCY	Art. II, Sec. 2a(1)	Sec. 15269
____ EMERGENCY PROJECT	Art. II, Sec. 2a(2) & (3)	Sec. 15071(b) & (c)
____ GENERAL EXEMPTION	Art. II, Sec. 1	Sec. 15060
__X__ CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION	Art. III, Sec. 1	Sec. 15300

_____ OTHER (See Public Resources Code Sec. 21080(b) and set forth state and city guidelines provision)

JUSTIFICATION FOR PROJECT EXEMPTION:

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), this project is Categorically Exempt from CEQA review pursuant to Section 15306, Class 6, which consists of basic data collection, research, experimental management, and resource evaluation activities that do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource. These may be strictly for information gathering purposes, or as part of a study leading to an action which a public agency has not yet approved, adopted, or funded. The proposed project meets the requirements of this exemption; therefore, no further CEQA review is required.

IF FILED BY APPLICANT, ATTACH CERTIFIED DOCUMENT OF EXEMPTION FINDING

SIGNATURE	TITLE:	DATE
Eduardo Cuevas Eduardo Cuevas	Manager of Environmental Planning and Assessment	9/18/2026

FEE: N/a	RECEIPT NO.	REC'D BY	DATE

DISTRIBUTION: (1) County Clerk (2) City Clerk (3) Agency Record
Form Gen. 153 (9/91) (Appendix A)

S. Figueroa St. and W. 78th St.

Proposed Monitoring Well Cluster Location Map



S. Main St and W. 67th Ave

Proposed Monitoring Well Cluster Location Map



E. Slauson Ave. and Miramonte Blvd.
Proposed Monitoring Well Cluster Location Map

