

Notice of Exemption

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From (Applicant/Lead agency):
Orange County Sanitation District
10844 Ellis Avenue
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

Orange County Clerk Recorder
601 North Ross Street
Santa Ana, CA 92701-0238

Project Title: Redhill Relief Sewer Relocation at State Route 55, Project FE18-13

Project Applicant: Orange County Sanitation District, 10844 Ellis Ave. Fountain Valley, CA 92708

Project Location (specific): 2400 Pullman Street **Cross Street:** Warner Avenue

Project Location - City: Santa Ana **Project Location — County:** Orange

Description of Project: This will repair an existing OC San clay pipe sewer (sewer) which has three fractured segments by install a cured-in-place-pipe liner. The sewer goes under State Route 55 at Warner Avenue in the City of Santa Ana. This repair is a maintenance activity and independent of the Orange County Transportation Authority sewer relocation of the nearby segments of the same sewer which is required due to the proposed freeway improvements.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Orange County Sanitation District
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Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Orange County Sanitation District
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Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: CEQA Guidelines Class 1 § 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is exempt from CEQA under the Class 1 categorical exemptions set forth in California Code of Regulations sections 15301. Section 15301 (Class 1) exempts from CEQA “the operation, repair, maintenance ... or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities ... involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency’s determination” including “(b) Existing facilities of both investor and publicly-owned utilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services.” The purpose of this project is to repair a sewer line. The project will not increase the capacity or otherwise expand the current use.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Adam Nazaroff Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (714) 593-7854

Signature: _____ *for Adam Nazaroff* Date: 6/27/2022 Title: Engineering Supervisor

Signed by Lead Agency