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Exempt per Gov't Code 6103

RETURN TO: Jo Ann Corey
Irvine Ranch Water District
P.O. Box 57000
15600 Sand Canyon Avenue
Irvine, CA 92619-7000

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION
(State Guidelines 15062)

County Clerk's Filing Stamp

TO: Orange County Clerk-Recorder
12 Civic Center Plaza, Room 101
Santa Ana, CA 92701

FROM: Irvine Ranch Water District (Applicant/Lead Agency)
P.O. Box 57000
15600 Sand Canyon Avenue
Irvine, CA 92619-7000

Project Name: Sewer Rehabilitation Project 2017
Project Location: 13 locations in Irvine, Newport Coast and Lake Forest, CA
(see Exhibit "A")
County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD) owns, operates and maintains sewer lines throughout the cities of Irvine, Lake Forest and the Newport Coast area. These locations are all located in Orange County, California. Approximately 4,000 linear feet of diameter gravity sewer pipelines between eight and 15-inches in diameter are in need of rehabilitation. Portions of the sewer lines have cracked defects which require rehabilitation. IRWD has identified 13 locations where portions of the sewer lines are critically or frequently obstructed and require rehabilitation. Rehabilitation will include clearing the sewer line and cured-in-place-pipe relining. The work will take place at manhole access points and may require sewer bypass installation.

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Name of Public Agency Approving
and Carrying out this Project:

Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD)
15600 Sand Canyon Avenue, Irvine, CA 92618

Contact Person: Jo Ann Corey, Engineering Technician III

Area Code 949

Phone 453-5326

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (Sec 21080(b)(1); (State Guidelines Sec. §15268))
 Declared Emergency (Sec 21080(b)(3); State Guidelines Sec. §15269(a))
 Emergency Project (Sec 21080(b)(4); (State Guidelines Sec. §15269(b)(c))
 Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15301)
 Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15302)
 Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15303)
 Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines Sec. §15306)
 Statutory Exemption State code number (State Guidelines §15282)

Reasons why project is exempt:

Work to be performed includes the minor restoration and rehabilitation to portions of existing IRWD sewer pipelines throughout portions of the District's Irvine and Lake Forest service areas. Portions of the sewer line will be rehabilitated with cured-in-place pipe and when completed, the sewer lines will have the same purpose and capacity. The sewer line repair/replacement represents no expansion of use. This work is exempt under Categorical Exemption 15301. State Guidelines Sec. §15301 provides exemptions for the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

Submission of this form is optional. Local agencies may file this form with the county clerk pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152(b). The filing of the notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on court challenges to the approval of the project under Public Resources Code Section 21167(d). Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

Jo Ann Corey, Engineering Technician III

Staff Member Responsible for Preparation

Leslie Bonkowski
District Secretary

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Exhibit "A" - 2017 Sewer Rehabilitation Site Locations



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