

STATE OF CALIFORNIA - THE RESOURCES AGENCY  
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME  
**ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT**

Receipt #: 20-173673

State Clearinghouse # (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Lead Agency: RANCHO CALIFORNIA WATER DISTRICT Date: 06/05/2020

County/Agency of Filing: RIVERSIDE Document No: E-202000622

Project Title: MISC. WATER VALVE & APPURTENANCE REPLCMNT INSTALLATIONS D2018 & D2019

Project Applicant Name: RANCHO CALIFORNIA WATER DISTRICT Phone Number: (951) 296-6900


Project Applicant Address: 42135 WINCHESTER ROAD, TEMECULA, CA 925899017

Project Applicant: PRIVATE ENTITY

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report \_\_\_\_\_
- Negative Declaration \_\_\_\_\_
- Application Fee Water Diverston (State Water Resources Control Board Only) \_\_\_\_\_
- Project Subject to Certified Regulatory Programs \_\_\_\_\_
- County Administration Fee \_\_\_\_\_ \$0.00
  - Project that is exempt from fees (DFG No Effect Determination (Form Attached))
  - Project that is exempt from fees (Notice of Exemption)

Total Received \_\_\_\_\_ \$50.00

Signature and title of person receiving payment:  Deputy

Notes:

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

TO: <input type="checkbox"/>	Office of Planning and Research Post Office Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044	FROM: Rancho California Water District (Public Agency)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	County Clerk County of Riverside 2724 Gateway Drive Riverside, CA 92507	Address 42135 Winchester Road Temecula, CA 92590

1. Project Title:	Miscellaneous Water Valve And Appurtenance Replacements/Installations [Project Nos. D2018 and D2019]
2. Project Applicant:	Rancho California Water District (Rancho Water)
3. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15' or 7 1/2' topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	Various locations within the Rancho Water service area, including City of Temecula and Unincorporated County of Riverside (See USGS Quadrangle maps attached)
4. (a) Project Location – City: Temecula	(b) Project Location – County: Riverside
5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:	This project consists of varying appurtenance installations and/or replacements on Rancho Water's existing water distribution systems for the purpose of system operability improvement. This includes installation of new/replacement isolation valves, fire hydrants, air release valves, and valve can/riser replacements.
6. Name of Public Agency approving project:	Rancho California Water District
7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity:	Jacob Wiley, P.E. Engineering Manager – CIP & Development
8. Exempt status: (check one)	
(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial project.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Not a project.	
(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))
(d) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption. State type and section number:	Class 1: Existing Facilities (State Guidelines Section 15301)
(e) <input type="checkbox"/> Declared Emergency.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))
(f) <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:	
(g) <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Explanation:	

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Notice of Exemption

Rancho California Water District  
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County of Riverside  
Peter Aldana  
Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder

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Removed:

By:

Deputy



9. Reason why project was exempt:	Per Resolution No. 2020-5-1 and Section 3.16 of the Rancho Water Local CEQA Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the installation/replacement of the valves and appurtenances to existing buried pipelines is a minor alteration to an existing facility with no expansion to its existing use.
10. Lead Agency Contact Person:	Jacob Wiley, P.E.
Telephone:	(951) 296-6900
11. If filed by applicant: Attach Preliminary Exemption Assessment (Form "A") before filing.	
12. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
13. Was a public hearing held by the Lead Agency to consider the exemption? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If yes, the date of the public hearing was: _____	

Signature: *Jacob Wiley* Date: June 04, 2020

Name: Jacob Wiley, P.E., Title: Engineering Manager - CIP & Development

Signed by Lead Agency       Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing: \_\_\_\_\_

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Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.




**PRELIMINARY EXEMPTION ASSESSMENT**

(Certificate of Determination  
When Attached to Notice of Exemption)

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3. Entity or person undertaking project:	A. Rancho California Water District (Rancho Water)
	B. Other (Private)
	(1) Name
	(2) Address
4. Staff Determination:	
The Lead Agency's Staff, having undertaken and completed a preliminary review of this project in accordance with the Lead Agency's "Local Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)" has concluded that this project does not require further environmental assessment because:	
a. <input type="checkbox"/>	The proposed action does not constitute a project under CEQA.
b. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is a Ministerial Project.
c. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is an Emergency Project.
d. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project constitutes a feasibility or planning study.
e. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The project is categorically exempt.
	Applicable Exemption Class: Class 1, Existing Facilities
f. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is statutorily exempt.
	Applicable Exemption:
g. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is otherwise exempt on the following basis:
h. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project involves another public agency which constitutes the Lead Agency.
	Name of Lead Agency:

Date: June 04, 2020

Staff:   
Jacob Wiley, P.E.  
Engineering Manager – CIP & Development



**Construction Miscellaneous Water Valve And Appurtenance  
Replacements/Installations  
[Project No. D2018]**

