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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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TO: County Clerk, County of Inyo
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Project Title: Pasture Grading 2017

Project Location - Specific: City of Bishop sewer ponds pasture, Assessor Parcel Number 008-010-36

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project: The City of Bishop Department of Public Works proposes to improve the grade of a portion of the sewer ponds pasture and proposes to make associated irrigation improvements. The project will protect groundwater by improving the uptake of nutrients by crops irrigated with reclaimed wastewater.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Bishop Department of Public Works

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Bishop Department of Public Works, addresses shown above

Exemption: Class 4, Minor Alterations to Land, Section 15304 of the California Environmental Quality Act

Reasons why the project is exempt: Class 4 exemptions consists of minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes.

The project will perform minor grading on about 4 acres of the existing sewer ponds pasture to improve irrigation and growing conditions for crops grown with reclaimed wastewater. The improvements are made for agricultural purposes. Slopes within the grading area average flatter than 1%.

Contact: David Grah, Director of Public Works, addresses shown above

David Grah
Director of Public Works

16 Nov 2017

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