## CITY OF CORONA NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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TO:	Office of Planning and Research	FROM: City of Corona, Utilities Department
	P. O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044	755 Public Safety Way Corona CA 92880
	Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of	4080 Lemon Street, 1st Floor
	Riverside	Riverside, CA 92501
1.	Project Title:	Ridgeview Terrace Emergency Water Main Replacement
2.	Project Applicant:	Tom Moody, Director of Utilities
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):	Ridgeview Terrace, a section on Via Santiago, and four cul-de-sac sections adjacent to Ridgeview Terrace, Corona, CA 92881
4.	(a) Project Location – City:	Corona, California
	(b) Project Location – County:	Riverside
5.	Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:	The Ridgeview Terrace Emergency Water Main Replacement Project involves the replacement of approximately 3,510 feet of an aging 6-inch Asbestos Cement Pipe with a modern 8-inch Ductile Iron Pipe
County Peter Assess E-202 06/10 Page	y of Riverside Aldana sor-County Clerk-Recorder 400634 /2024 03:41 PM Fee: \$ 50.00 1 of 3 d: By: Deputy	along Ridgeview Terrace, a section on Via Santiago, and four cul-de-sac sections adjacent to Ridgeview Terrace.  This replacement addresses persistent service interruptions and flooding by enhancing the potable water distribution system's reliability, water quality, and capacity. Aimed at significantly benefiting Corona's residents, the project ensures a dependable and safe water supply, contributing to the City's public health and safety. Operational staff and the broader community will experience improved system efficiency and reduced maintenance demands, affirming the City of Corona's commitment to sustainable infrastructure development.
6.	Name of Public Agency approving project:	City of Corona
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:	This is a public improvements project under the supervision of Tom Moody, Director of Utilities with the City of Corona, Utilities Department
8.	Exempt status: (check one)	
	(a) Ministerial project.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
	(b) Not a project.	
	(c) Emergency Project.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))

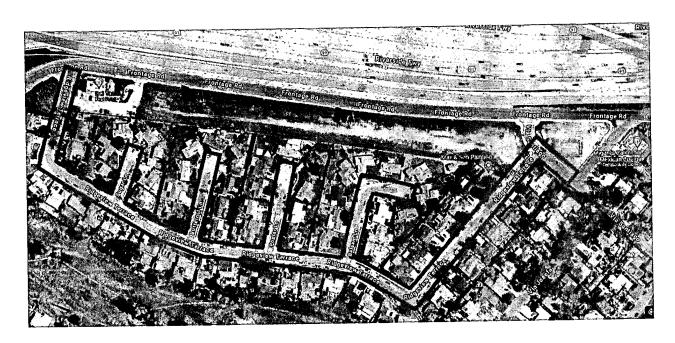
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<u></u>	(d)		Categorical Exemption. State type and section	Article 19, Class 2 (Replacement or Reconstruction), Section 15302.c		
	number:		State type and section			
	(e)		Declared Emergency.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))		
	(f)		Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:			
	(g)		Other. Explanation:			
9.		n why pro	ject was exempt:	The Ridgeview Terrace Emergency Water Main Replacement qualifies for exemption under CEQA because it constitutes a minor alteration to an existing utility system without significant expansion of use. The project specifically involves the replacement of an outdated and failure-prone 6-inch Asbestos Cement Pipe with a new, more reliable 8-inch Ductile Iron Pipe. This action is undertaken within the existing infrastructure footprint on Ridgeview Terrace, a section on Via Santiago, and four cul-de-sac sections adjacent to Ridgeview Terrace and is designed to improve the reliability, water quality, and capacity of the City's potable water distribution system. The replacement falls squarely within routine maintenance and infrastructure upgrading activities, aimed not at expanding the water system's capacity but at ensuring its continued efficient operation and safety for the public. Furthermore, the project is not expected to have significant environmental impacts, as it utilizes the existing roadway and utility corridors, maintaining the current use and avoiding any significant alteration of the landscape.		
10.	Lead	Agency C	ontact Person:	Aftab Hussain, Maintenance Manager		
	Telep	hone:		(951) 736 2443		
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? ☐ Yes ☐ ☐ No ☐					
13.	Was a	Was a public hearing held by the Lead Agency to consider the exemption? ☐ Yes ☐ ☐ No ☒				
	If yes, the date of the public hearing was:					
Signatu	ire:	DocuSigned by MOO/ DS19EFD915CF	45C (AR	Date: 6/6/2024 Title: Director of Utilities		
	Signed by	y Lead Ag	gency $\square \boxtimes \text{Signed by Ap}$	plicant		
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Author	ity cited:	CEQA,	Article 18, Section 15284 and Cl	EQA, Article 18, Section 15302		

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## Site Map:



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