ATTACHMENT C CEQA NOTICE OF EXEMPTION FOR COUNTY PROJECT 22039

2024 CEQA Transmittal Memorandum



County of Santa Barbara - Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Complete this form when filing a Notice of Determination (Negative Declaration, Mitigated Negative Declaration, Environmental Impact Report) or Notice of Exemption.

A scanned copy of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Receipt, Transmittal Memorandum and the CEQA filing including the date/time of posting will be emailed to the Lead Agency and Project Applicant. If you would like a return copy, please submit an extra copy along with a pre-addressed, stamped envelope.

Contact Person		Phone		
Clay Preston		818-	645-4830	
Lead Agency		Lead Ag	ency Email	
General Services Department (County of Santa Barbara	Countyar	chitect@countyofsb.org	
Project Title				
22039 PSRN Fire Station 31 Communication Tower Complex				
Project Applicant	Email	Phone		
Clay Preston	cpreston@countyofsb.org	818-	645-4830	
Project Applicant Address	City	State	Zip	
168 W Highway 246	Buellton	CA	93427	

DOCUMENT BEING FILED:

Notice of Determination - Environmental Impact Report (EIR)		
□ 2024 Filing Fee\$4,0	51.25	
Previously Paid (must attach receipt)	\$0.00	
□ No Effect Determination (must be attached)	\$0.00	
Environmental Filing Fees will be collected only for projects that are approved. The Applicant must attest to the following:		
□ This project has been approved. Date of Approval: Click or tap to enter a date.		

D Notice of Determination - Negative Declaration (ND) or Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND)		
□ 2024 Filing Fee\$2,916.75		
□ Previously Paid (must attach receipt) \$0.00		
□ No Effect Determination (must be attached)\$0.00		
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Notice of Exemption......\$0.00

TOTAL: \$ 50.00

PAYMENT METHOD: ALL APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING

 \Box Cash

Credit In person only □ Check #_____

□ Journal Entry # JE-0276717 In FIN send to 'COB CEQA' in CEO Dept Docusign Envelope ID: E758CAE2-F20D-439C-B62E-17A964F1F96B Date 02/24/2025 Case Number GS/CEF/2025/22039 /001 NOTICE OF EXEMPTION Dept/Div/Year/Project#/NOE# TO: Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors FROM LEAD AGENCY: GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT Clerk of the Board-Filing Date Staff Contact: Clay Preston Division: Captial, Energy and Facilities Phone: (818) 645-4830 Email: cpreston@countyofsb.org Fax: Address: 260 N San Antonio Road City: Santa Barbara State: CA Zip: 93110 Does this project involve a state/federal agency? OYes O No **PROJECT INFORMATION:** District: Fourth Supervisorial District Project Name: Fire Station 31 Communication Tower Address: 168 W Highway 246 City/Area: Buellton Zip Code: 93427 APN: 099-261-022 Project #: 22039 NOE #: Funding/POPPA: 1919

Project Description: (Section §15124 of the CEQA Guidelines defines the types of information that should be included in a project description)

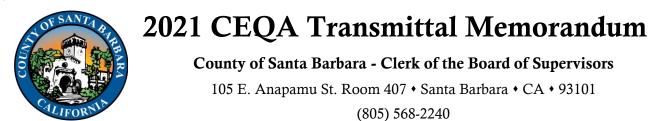
Install 65' Communication Tower and Shelter

DETERMINATION: (select category)	Scope of Exemption:
O Not a Project (§15378)	
OMinisterial Exemption (§15268)	
O Statutory Exemption (§15260)	
OCategorical Exemption (§15354 [15302-33))	
O CatEx - Existing Facilities (§15300)	
\bigcirc Emergency Project Exemption (§15359)	
PRIMARY reason for the Determination:	Please select the reason from list

FINDING TO SUPPORT DETERMINATION: (attach additional material, only if necessary)

Department/Division			
Representative	(print name:)	Date
DISTRIBUTION:			

NOTE: A copy must be posted at least 6 days prior to consideration of the activity by the decision-makers to comply with County CEQA guidelines and a copy must be filed with the County Clerk of the Board after project approval to begin a 35 day statue of limitations on legal challenges.



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Lead Agency		Lead Agency Email		
General Services Department (County of Santa Barbara		Countyarchitect@countyofsb.org		
Project Title				
Fire Station 31 Communication Tower				
Project Applicant	Email	Phone		
Clay Preston	cpreston@countyofsb.org	818-645-4830		
Project Applicant Address	City	State	Zip	
260 N San Antonio Road	Santa Barbara	CA	93110	

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Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	
□2021 Filing Fee	\$3,445.25
Previously Paid (must attach receipt)	\$0.00
□ No Effect Determination (must be attached)	\$0.00
□ Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration	
□2021 Filing Fee	\$2,480.25
□ Previously Paid (must attach receipt)	\$0.00
□ No Effect Determination (must be attached)	\$0.00
□ Notice of Exemption	\$0.00
County Administrative Handling Fee (required for all filings, effective 7/19/18)	

_{TOTAL:} \$ 50.00

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 \Box Cash Credit Card

□ Check #_____

 $_\Box$ Journal Entry #____



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife **2021 ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT** DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/21) Previously DFG 753.5a

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		STATE CLEA	RINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)
SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.			
LEAD AGENCY	LEADAGENCY EMAIL		DATE
General Services Department	countyarchitect@coun	tyofsb.org	
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING			DOCUMENT NUMBER
County of Santa Barbara			GS/CEF/2025/22039 /001
PROJECT TITLE			
Fire Station 31 Communication Tower			
PROJECT APPLICANT NAME	PROJECT APPLICANT	EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER
Clay Preston	cpreston@count	yofsb.org	818-645-4830
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
260 N San Antonio Road	Santa Barbara	CA	93110
PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)			
✓ Local Public Agency School District	Other Special District	State	Agency Private Entity
CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:	сору)	\$2,480.25 \$1,171.25	\$\$ \$
Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resou	rces Control Board only)	\$850.00 \$	
County documentary handling fee		\$	
Other		\$	
PAYMENT METHOD:			
Cash Credit Check Other	TOTAL	RECEIVED	No Fee Required
SIGNATURE	GENCY OF FILING PRINTED	NAME AND TITL	E
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