

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM: Public Works Department/Flood Control District & Water Conservation District

The project or activity identified below is determined to be exempt from further environmental review requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, as defined in the State and County Guidelines for the implementation of CEQA.

APN(s) : N/A Case No.: N/A

Location: N/A
(Include street address and cross street (if urbanized area) or attach specific location map)

Project Title: Flood Control Benefit Assessment Program for Fiscal Year 2008-2009

Project Description: Annual levy of Flood Control Benefit Assessment. Please see the attached letter informing the Santa Barbara County Flood Control District Board of Directors of Statutory Exemption pursuant to California Administrative Code Section 15273.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Santa Barbara

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Tom Fayram, Water Resources Deputy Director

Exempt Status: (Check one)

- Ministerial
- Statutory Exemption
- Categorical Exemption
- Emergency Project
- Declared Emergency

Cite specific CEQA and/or CEQA Guideline Section: Public Resources Code Section 21080 (b) (8).
County Guidelines P.6, Article III, AA (b) (1); State Guidelines, 14, CA.

Reasons to support exemption findings (attach additional material, if necessary)
Administrative Coe Section 15273 (a) (2) (3) (4), 15062.

Activity is not a project.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Tom Fayram Phone #: (805) 568-3436

Department/Division Representative: *[Signature]* Date: 4-28-08

Acceptance Date: _____

Note: A copy of this form must be posted at P&D 6 days prior to a decision on the project. Upon project approval, this form must be filed with the County Clerk of the Board and posted by the Clerk of the Board for a period of 30 days to begin a 35 day statute of limitations on legal challenges.

DATE FILED WITH PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT

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