



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife

2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT

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RECEIPT NUMBER:

42 — 06/24/2026 — 131

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

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LEAD AGENCY

County Service Area 12 (Mission Canyon Sewer District)

LEAD AGENCY EMAIL

kethomp@countyofsb.org; sshank@countyofsb.org

DATE

06/24/2026

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING

Santa Barbara

DOCUMENT NUMBER

PROJECT TITLE

County Service Area 12, Sewer Service Charges and Sewer Connection Charges FY 2026-2027

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME

County Service Area 12

PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL

kethomp@countyofsb.org; amarredondo@countyofsb.org

PHONE NUMBER

(805) 803-8756

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS

620 West Foster Road

CITY

Santa Maria

STATE

CA

ZIP CODE

93455

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$4,227.50	\$	0.00
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$3,043.75	\$	0.00
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,437.25	\$	0.00

☒ Exempt from fee☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	0.00
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☒ County documentary handling fee		\$	50.00
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☐ Other		\$	
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PAYMENT METHOD:☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☐ Check ☒ Other**TOTAL RECEIVED** \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE

X

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Sarah Mayer, Deputy Clerk



2026 CEQA Transmittal Memorandum

County of Santa Barbara - Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

105 E. Anapamu St. Room 407 • Santa Barbara • CA • 93101

(805) 568-2240

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 Kevin Thompson, Seth Shank		Phone 805-803-8756	
Lead Agency County Service Area 12 (Mission Canyon Sewer District)		Lead Agency Email kethomp@countyofsb.org, sshank@countyofsb.org	
Project Title County Service Area 12, Sewer Service Charges and Sewer Connection Charges FY 2026-2027			
Project Applicant County Service Area 12	Email kethomp@countyofsb.org; amarredondo@countyofsb.org	Phone 805-803-8756	
Project Applicant Address 620 West Foster Road	City Santa Maria	State CA	Zip 93455

DOCUMENT BEING FILED:

- ☐ Notice of Determination - Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- ☐ 2026 Filing Fee\$4,227.50
- ☐ 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:

- ☐ Notice of Determination - Negative Declaration (ND) or Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND).....
- ☐ 2026 Filing Fee \$3,043.75
- ☐ 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:

- ☒ Notice of Exemption.....\$0.00

- ☒ County Administrative Handling Fee (**required for all filings, effective 7/19/18**)\$50.00

TOTAL: **\$ 50.00**

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

- ☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☐ Check # _____ ☒ Journal Entry # **JE-1079082**

In person only

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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TO: Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 2026 JUN 24 A 11: 25
Office of Planning and Research, State Clearinghouse
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA
CLERK OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

FROM: Public Works Department, Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division

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): Multiple Case No.: Not Applicable

Location: Unincorporated, urbanized community of Mission Canyon (CSA 12) in the 1st Supervisorial District.

Project Title: County Service Area 12 (Mission Canyon Sewer District), Sewer Service Charges and Sewer Connection Charges -Fiscal Year 2026-2027

Project Description: The proposed action is to set the sewer service charges and connection charges for fiscal year 2026-2027 for County Service Area 12 (CSA 12), which serves the Mission Canyon area. The annual service charge is proposed to be set to \$337.44 per user. The revenue from this service charge funds annual operating, maintenance, and reserve costs. The connection charge is a one-time fee paid for the use of system capacity by new development, which is proposed to remain at \$5,633 per residential unit.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Santa Barbara

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Public Works Department

Exempt Status: (Check one)

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

Cite specific CEQA and/or CEQA Guideline Section: CEQA Guidelines (CCR Section 15273(a) (1)-(4), "Rates, Tolls, Fares, and Charges".

Reasons to support exemption findings (attach additional material, if necessary): CSA 12 was formed pursuant to Resolution 84-72 by the Board on February 21, 1984 in order to alleviate health and safety concerns related to poorly performing septic systems. Operationally, CSA 12 provides wastewater collection services and tracks septic system performance for residents in Mission Canyon. Operation and maintenance includes sewer system cleaning, video inspections, and capital repairs as needed. It is proposed to increase the annual sewer service charge from \$316.82 to \$337.44 per user, an annual increase of \$20.62, in order to accommodate the anticipated costs to operate the system, provide maintenance, complete repairs and fund the reserve account next year. The increase is proposed in order to cover cost escalations as well as to make up for the use of capital reserves to fund repairs in prior years. Said rates are not for the

Notice of Exemption

County Service Area 12 (Mission Canyon Sewer District), Sewer Connection Charges, Sewer Service Charges and Resolution Relative to Collection of Said Charges on the Tax Roll - Fiscal Year 2026-2027

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expansion of the service system. Therefore, consistent with CEQA Guidelines section 15273(a) (1)-(4), the establishment of County Service Area 12 Charges and Fees for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 is exempt from CEQA.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Kevin Thompson, Civil Engineer, Specialist
Phone #: (805) 803-8756

Department/Division Representative: Seth Shank, Environmental Compliance Manager

Date: March 18, 2026

Signature:



Acceptance Date: _____

DATE FILED BY CLERK OF THE BOARD



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Journal		JE-1079082 - County of Santa Barbara California - 04/02/2026 - FY2627 CSA12 rates - CEQA NOE clerk processing fee														
Journal Number		JE-1079082														
Status		Posted														
Journal Sequence Number		JR193493														
Budget Check Status		Pass														
Journal Entry Information																
Originated by		MAHER NABULSI [C]														
Accounting Date		04/02/2026														
Currency		USD														
Period		Apr-FY 2025-26 Actuals (County of Santa Barbara California)														
Ledger		County of Santa Barbara California : Actuals														
Journal Source		Manual Journal														
Balancing Fund		FD-2185 CSA 12 Mission Cyn Swr Svc Chg														
Book Code																
Journal Entry Details																
Memo		FY2627 CSA12 rates - CEQA NOE clerk processing fee														
External Reference ID																
Adjustment Journal		No														
Create Reversal		No														
Balanced		Yes														
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Accounting Journal: County of Santa Barbara California - 04/02/2026, 7020-Services and Supplies, Debit:50, Credit:0 As Entered for Intercompany	County of Santa Barbara California	7020-Services and Supplies	50.00		FY2627 CSA12 rates - CEQA NOE clerk processing fee		SC-7650 Special Departmental Expense				PG-0548949 County Service Area 12-Mainten	CC-54612 Public Works-CSA 12 Mission Cyn Swr Svc Chg	FD-2185 CSA 12 Mission Cyn Swr Svc Chg			04/02/2026



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Journal Line	Company	Ledger Account	Debit Amount	Credit Amount	Memo	External Reference ID	Spend Category	Revenue Category	Grant	Project Task	Program	Cost Center	*Fund	Additional Worktags	Interworktag Affiliate	Budget Date
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Journal Lines

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Retained Earnings

Retained Earnings														
Journal Line	Ledger Account	Debit Amount	Credit Amount	Memo	Spend Category	Revenue Category	Grant	Project Task	Program	Cost Center	*Fund	Additional Worktags	Budget Date	
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In Progress		04/02/2026 02:13:42.666 PM		Mnabulsi@countyofsb.org / MAHER NABULSI	
Reserved		04/02/2026 02:13:44.409 PM		wd-support	
Posted		04/02/2026 02:43:16.062 PM		wd-support	

Attachment D - 2026 CEQA Transmittal Memorandum - CSA12 Rates.pdf

File Name Attachment D - 2026 CEQA Transmittal Memorandum - CSA12 Rates.pdf
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Upload Date 04/02/2026 02:13:42 PM
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Process History

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