

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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Bill Emien, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Solano, State of California

TO Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Lead CEQA Agency
Reclamation District No. 2098
7178 Yolano Road
Dixon, CA 95620

Deputy

X Clerk to the Board of Supervisors
County of Solano
675 Texas Street, Suite 6500
Fairfield, CA 94533

Project Title
Reclamation District No. 2098, Cache Haas Area 2022-2023 Routine Maintenance.

Project Location - Specific
Levee around Cache-Haas Tract along Cache, Haas, and Shag Sloughs, and the back levee.

Project Location - City: Rio Vista
Project Location - County: Solano County

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project
Continuation of routine maintenance. Levee system protects property and inhabitants within District.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project
Reclamation District No. 2098 (Local Public Agency and the Lead Agency)

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project
Reclamation District No. 2098 (Local Public Agency and the Lead Agency)

Exempt Status: (Check One)
Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
X Categorical, Class 1. (Sec. 21084; 15301)

Reasons why project is exempt:
Required maintenance of existing serviceable structure. Also, exempt under statutory exemption 15261 (statutory exemption for pre-CEQA ongoing projects).

Contact Person: Bryan Busch (RD 2098)
Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (707) 678-5412

If filed by applicant:
1. Attach certified document of exemption finding. Attached
2. Has a notice of exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes ___ No ___ N/A
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Date Received for Filing:
Deputy Clerk of the Board
Michael Moncrief
Signature: [Handwritten Signature]
Date: 5/24/2022
Title: Engineer for R.D. No. 2098

RECLAMATION DISTRICT NO. 2098
RESOLUTION NO. 2021-09-02

APPROVING 2022-2023 DELTA LEVEE MAINTENANCE SUBVENTIONS PROGRAM
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AGREEMENT COVERING PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM

Whereas the District Trustees have determined that it is in the best interest of the District to participate in the 2022-2023 Delta Levee Maintenance Subventions Program through the Central Valley Flood Protection Board; and

Whereas the opportunity to participate in the 2022-2023 Delta Levee Maintenance Subventions Program has been made available to the District.

Resolved, that Reclamation District No. 2098:

1. Authorizes the participation in the 2022-2023 Delta Levee Maintenance Subventions Program; and
2. Determines the work included in Reclamation District No. 2098's ("District") 2022-2023 Delta Levees Maintenance Subventions Program Application consists of the maintenance and/or repair of existing levee improvements which involves negligible or no expansion of said improvements' existing uses and, hence, falls within the categorical exemption to the California Environmental Quality Act set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301; that said work does not constitute an exception to the exemptions of the California Environmental Quality Act.
3. Authorizes the District's Engineer to prepare and file with the County of Solano the appropriate Notice of Exemption on behalf of the District.
4. Authorizes the President or Secretary of Reclamation District No. 2098 be and hereby is authorized to execute on behalf of this District that Agreement between the Central Valley Flood Protection Board and the District covering participation in the Delta Levees Maintenance Subventions Program pursuant to Part 9, Division 6 of the Water Code as amended by SB 34, Chapter 28, Statutes of 1988 for fiscal year 2022-2023 and the work to be reported to the State thereunder is determined to be categorically exempt under the California Environmental Quality Act (Pub. Resources Code, § 21000 et seq.) for the reasons set forth above.

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I, Bryan Busch, hereby certify that I am and at all times mentioned herein was duly elected, qualified and acting Secretary of RECLAMATION DISTRICT NO. 2098, a Reclamation District organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California; that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a Resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said District duly held on September 23, 2021 a Majority and quorum of the members of said Board being present and all voting in favor of said resolution; and that said Resolution has not been modified, rescinded or altered or amended and is now in full force and effect.

WITNESS my hand this 23th day of September 2021.

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of the resolutions adopted by the Trustees of Reclamation District No. 2068 at the regularly noticed and held meeting.

Roll Call Vote:	Ayes:	<u>3</u>
	Nos:	<u>0</u>
	Absent:	<u>0</u>



Reclamation District No. 2098