

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION FORM

Grantees are responsible for complying with all applicable laws and regulations for their projects, including the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Work that is subject to the CEQA shall not proceed under this Grant Agreement until document(s) that satisfy the CEQA process are received by the Department of Water Resources (DWR) and DWR has completed its CEQA compliance. Work that is subject to a CEQA document shall not proceed until and unless approved by the DWR. Such approval is fully discretionary and shall constitute a condition precedent to any work for which it is required. Once CEQA documentation has been completed, DWR will consider the environmental documents and decide whether to continue to fund the project or to require changes, alterations or other mitigation. **This form is to be completed by the Lead Agency.**

DWR Agreement #: To be provided by DWR

Lead Agency: _____

Project Title: _____

Project Manager: _____

Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

1. List the source of any other grants or funds received from the DWR to implement a portion of this project.

2. Is this a project as defined by CEQA?

Yes

No

- If yes, proceed to #3.
- If no, please explain below then skip to #8.

3. Is this project exempt from CEQA compliance?

Yes

No

- If no, skip to #4.
- If yes, check the appropriate response below, and then provide reasons for exemption in the space provided below. Once answered, skip to #7.

Cite the CEQA Article, Section and Title of the CEQA exemption, if appropriate

Statutory Exemptions: http://ceres.ca.gov/topic/env_law/ceqa/guidelines/art18.html

Categorical Exemptions: http://ceres.ca.gov/topic/env_law/ceqa/guidelines/art19.html

- Lead Agency has already filed a Notice of Exemption (NOE) with the State Clearinghouse and/or County Clerk. (Attach copy of NOE and, if applicable, a copy of Board Resolution)
- Lead Agency will file a NOE with the State Clearinghouse and/or County Clerk. Provide estimated date: _____
- Lead Agency will NOT file a NOE with the State Clearinghouse and/or County Clerk. *If Lead Agency chooses not to file a NOE, sufficient documentation and information must be submitted to the DWR Project Manager along with this form, to allow DWR to make its own CEQA findings.*

Reason for exemption:

4. Please check types of CEQA documents to be prepared:

- Negative Declaration
- Mitigated Negative Declaration
- Environmental Impact Report

5. Please describe the status of the CEQA documents, expected date of completion, and estimated cost, if requesting DWR funds relating to CEQA compliance:

Status: _____

Date of Completion: _____

Estimated Costs: _____

6. If the CEQA document has been completed, if available please provide the title of the document and the State Clearinghouse number: _____.
Submit an electronic version, or a CD copy, of the CEQA document and any required permits listed in Question 7 to the contact listed in the Commitment Letter.

7. Please list all required permits that must be obtained to complete the project (attach additional pages as necessary). Submit electronic versions or a CD copy of any final permits already completed to the contact listed in the Commitment Letter.

Type of Permit Required	Permitting Agency

8. This Environmental Information Form (EIF) was completed by:

Print Name: _____

Agency: _____

Phone Number: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please return this completed form to your DWR Project Manager.

To be filled out by DWR Project Manager:

DWR received environmental documents.

DWR made Findings.