EXHIBIT 1

CITY OF STOCKTON
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: COUNTY CLERK
COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN
44 N. San Joaquin St., Ste. 260
Stockton, CA 95202

FROM: Lead Agency
City of Stockton
c/o Municipal Utilities Department
2500 Navy Drive
Stockton, CA 95206

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION PURSUANT TO PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 21152(B) AND CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE 14, SECTION 15062

PROJECT DATA

Project Title: RWCF SOUTH BIOSCRUBBER REPAIRS PROJECT
CEQA Exemption File No.: NOE 01-25
Applicant: City of Stockton Municipal Utilities Department
Project Description/Location: The City of Stockton's Municipal Utilities Department will repair the existing bioscrubber, while maintaining the existing and current footprint, a the Regional Wastewater Control Facility at 2500 Navy Drive, Stockton, CA.

DETERMINATION/FINDING OF EXEMPTION

The above-described activity/project is exempt from the environmental assessment requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the following section(s) of the State CEQA Guidelines (California Code of Regulations, Title 14):

____ The activity is not a "project" as defined in CEQA Guidelines Section 15378.
____ The activity is exempt under the "general rule" at CEQA Guidelines Section15061(B)(3).
____ The project is "Statutorily Exempt" per CEQA Guidelines Section: _____
__X__ The project is "Categorically Exempt" per CEQA Guidelines Section 15302(c).

BASIS FOR FINDING OF EXEMPTION

___ The activity does not qualify as a project and/or clearly could not have a significant effect on the environment and, therefore, CEQA does not apply.
__X__ The activity constitutes a discretionary project under the City's jurisdiction and qualifies as a project which has been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and, therefore, is exempt from the provisions of CEQA under the above-noted statutory or categorical exemption(s).

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MUNICIPAL UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

January 30, 2025
(DATE OF PREPARATION)

By Kelly Ju
Kelly Ju, Associate Engineer

(DATE OF FINAL APPROVAL)

AFFIDAVIT OF FILING AND POSTING

I declare that on the date stamped above, I received and posted this notice or included it on a list of such notices which was posted as required by California Public Resources Code Section 21152(B). Said notice or list of notices will remain posted for 35 days from the filing date.

_____ _____
Signature Title

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Posting Period Ending Date