

**PRELIMINARY EXEMPTION ASSESSMENT**

(Certificate of Determination  
When Attached to Notice of Exemption)

1. Name or description of project:	<b>Green Canyon Force Main Replacement</b>	
2. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15’ or 7 1/2’ topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	315 Feet South of the Intersection of South Mission Road and Green Canyon Road, North to 375 Feet North of the Intersection of South Mission Road and Camino Cielo. USGS Bonsall 7 1/2 ‘ Quadrangle.	
3. Entity or person undertaking project:	A. Fallbrook Public Utility District	
	B. Other (Private)	
	(1) Name	
	(2) Address	
4. Staff Determination:	<p>The Lead Agency’s Staff, having undertaken and completed a preliminary review of this project in accordance with the Lead Agency’s "Local Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)" has concluded that this project does not require further environmental assessment because:</p>	
a. <input type="checkbox"/>	The proposed action does not constitute a project under CEQA.	
b. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is a Ministerial Project.	
c. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is an Emergency Project.	
d. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project constitutes a feasibility or planning study.	
e. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The project is categorically exempt.	
	Applicable Exemption Class:	<b>Title 14, California Code Regulations, Sec. 15302 Replacement or Reconstruction, Class 2 (c).</b>
f. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is statutorily exempt.	
	Applicable Exemption:	
g. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project is otherwise exempt on the following basis:	
h. <input type="checkbox"/>	The project involves another public agency which constitutes the Lead Agency.	
	Name of Lead Agency:	

Date: 8/3/2021

Staff: *[Signature]*



**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

<p>TO:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Office of Planning and Research P. O. Box 3044, Room 113 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044</p>	<p>FROM: Jack Bebee (Public General Manager Agency) Fallbrook Public Utility District 990 E. Mission Road Fallbrook, CA 92028</p>
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clerk of the Board of Supervisors or County Clerk County of:</p>	<p>Address San Diego Clerk's Office County Administration Center 1600 Pacific Highway, Suite 260 San Diego, CA 92101</p>

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2. Project Applicant:	<b>Fallbrook Public Utility District</b>
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4. (a) Project Location – City: Unincorporated	(b) Project Location – County: San Diego
5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:	The Project is replacing an existing 4" PVC force Main in South Mission Road, which is a Paved County Right of Way. The purpose of the project is to replace existing Sewer Force Main which was installed in the 1960's and has had many leaks. The beneficiaries of the project are the customers of the Fallbrook Public Utility District in the form of more reliable Sewer Service.
6. Name of Public Agency approving project:	Fallbrook Public Utility District
7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity:	Fallbrook Public Utility District

8.	Exempt status: (check one)	
(a)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ministerial project. (Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
(b)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not a project.
(c)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Emergency Project. (Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))
(d)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: <b>Title 14, California Code Regulations, Sec. 15302 Replacement or Reconstruction, Class 2 (c).</b>
(e)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Declared Emergency. (Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))
(f)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:
(g)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other. Explanation:
9.	Reason why project was exempt:	This Project qualifies for a Categorical exemption under CEQA Guidelines Title 14, California Code Regulations, Section 15302, Class 2(c) because the Replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems and/or facilities involves negligible or no expansion of capacity.
10.	Lead Agency Contact Person:	Aaron Cook, Senior Engineer
	Telephone:	(760) 728-1125
11.	If filed by applicant: Attach Preliminary Exemption Assessment (Form "A") before filing.	
12.	Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
13.	Was a public hearing held by the Lead Agency to consider the exemption? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	If yes, the date of the public hearing was: _____	

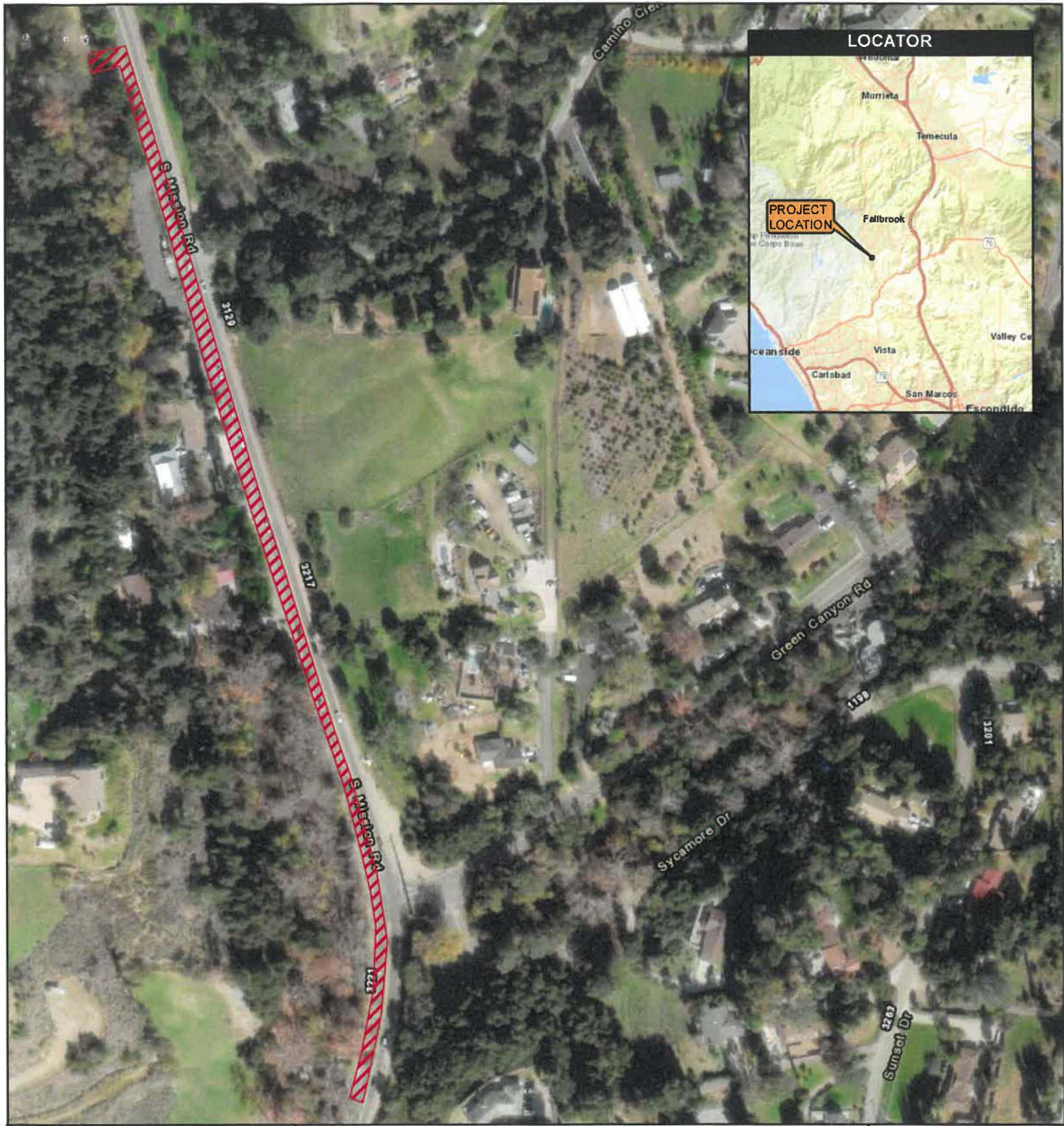
Signature:  Date: 8/3/2021 Title: Engineering Manager

Signed by Lead Agency       Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing: \_\_\_\_\_

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Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.



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 PROJECT LOCATION



**GREEN CANYON FORCEMAIN REPLACEMENT (Job #3164)**



Source: ESRI, SANGIS, Fallbrook Public Utility District. Projection: California State Plane NAD 83, Feet, Zone 6, Epoch 1991.35  
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CEQA FILING COVER SHEET**

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Aug 25, 2021 12:30 PM  
Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr.  
SAN DIEGO COUNTY CLERK  
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TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Project Title

**GREEN CANYON FORCE MAIN REPLACEMENT**

Check Document being Filed:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) or Negative Declaration (ND)
- Notice of Exemption (NOE)
- Other (Please fill in type):

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COUNTY CLERK ON** August 25, 2021  
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