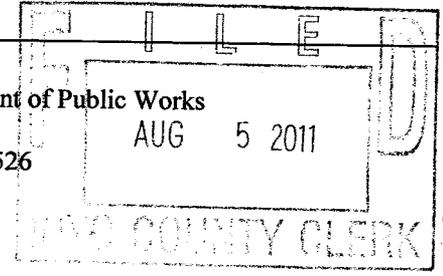


**Notice of Exemption**



To:  Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: Inyo County Department of Public Works  
Post Office Drawer Q  
Independence, CA 93526

County Clerk  
County of Inyo  
P.O. Drawer F  
Independence, CA 93526

Project Title: RR 10-006: Bishop-Sunland Landfill Gatehouse Project

Project Location - Specific: At the Bishop-Sunland Landfill, located 2 miles south of the City of Bishop, Calif. on Sunland Indian Reservation Road.

Project Location - City: Bishop Project Location - County: Inyo

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The project will install a new pre-fabricated modular Gatehouse building and associated water and electrical connections, and septic system. This building will replace a temporary gatehouse building that has been determined to be a health and safety concern for landfill employees.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inyo County Public Works Department

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

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));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Section 15302, Class 2
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt: The project consists of the "Replacement or reconstruction of existing structures or facilities on the same site having substantially the same purpose or capacity."

**Lead Agency**

Contact Person: Jeff Ahlstrom Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (760) 878-0200

**If filed by applicant:**

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes  No

Signature:  Date: August 5, 2011 Title: Interim Deputy Director

Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR:

Signed by Applicant