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RETURN TO: Christian Kessler
Irvine Ranch Water District
P.O. Box 57000
15600 Sand Canyon Ave
Irvine, CA 92619-7000

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION
(State Guidelines §15062)

County Clerk's Filing Stamp

TO: County Clerk
County of Orange
700 Civic Center Drive West
Box 838
Santa Ana, CA 92701

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FROM: Irvine Ranch Water District
(Applicant/Lead Agency)
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Project Name: Trabuco Road Bridge Pipeline Upsize

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Project Location: Irvine, California
(Figure 1)

County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD) desires to upsize two sections of pipeline which are located in the Trabuco Road overpass of the SR-133. Approximately 290 linear feet of an existing 8-inch domestic water pipeline which serves the Temporary Fire Station on Trabuco Road will be replaced with 12-inch welded steel pipeline and ultimately serve as the domestic water main feed to the future Great Park Development. Additionally, 290 linear feet of the existing 10-inch recycled water pipeline which serves the agricultural fields adjacent to Trabuco Road, Sand Canyon Road and the SR-133 will be replaced with 12-inch welded steel pipeline and ultimately serve as the recycled water main feed to the future Great Park Development.

Reasons why project is exempt:

Work performed will include the replacement of an existing 8-inch domestic water pipeline with a 12-inch domestic water pipeline and the replacement of an existing 10-inch recycled water pipeline with a 12-inch recycled pipeline which combined length is less than one mile and in a public right of way.

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial (State Guidelines §15268)
- Declared Emergency (State Guidelines §15269(a))
- Other Statutory Exemptions (State Guidelines §15282 (k))
- Feasibility or Planning Study (State Guidelines §15262)
- Categorical Exemption (State Guidelines §§15303)

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15282 Other Statutory Exemptions

(k) The installation of new pipeline or maintenance, repair, restoration, removal, or demolition of an existing pipeline as set forth in Section 21080.21 of the Public Resources Code, as long as the project does not exceed one mile in length.

California Public Resources Code Section 21080.21

“This division does not apply to any project of less than one mile in length within a public street or highway or any other public right-of-way for the installation of a new pipeline or the maintenance, repair, restoration, reconditioning, relocation, replacement, removal, or demolition of an existing pipeline. For purposes of this section, "pipeline" includes subsurface facilities but does not include any surface facility related to the operation of the underground facility.”

Name of Public Agency Approving and Carrying out this Project:

Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD)

Contact Person: Christian Kessler, Engineering Technician

Area Code 949

Phone 453-5441

Submission of this form is optional. Local agencies may file this form with the county clerk pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21152(b). The filing of the notice starts a 35-day statute of limitations on court challenges to the approval of the project under Public Resources Code Section 21167(d). Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

Christian Kessler

Staff Member Responsible for Preparation

Leslie Bankowski

District Secretary

October 28, 2010

Date

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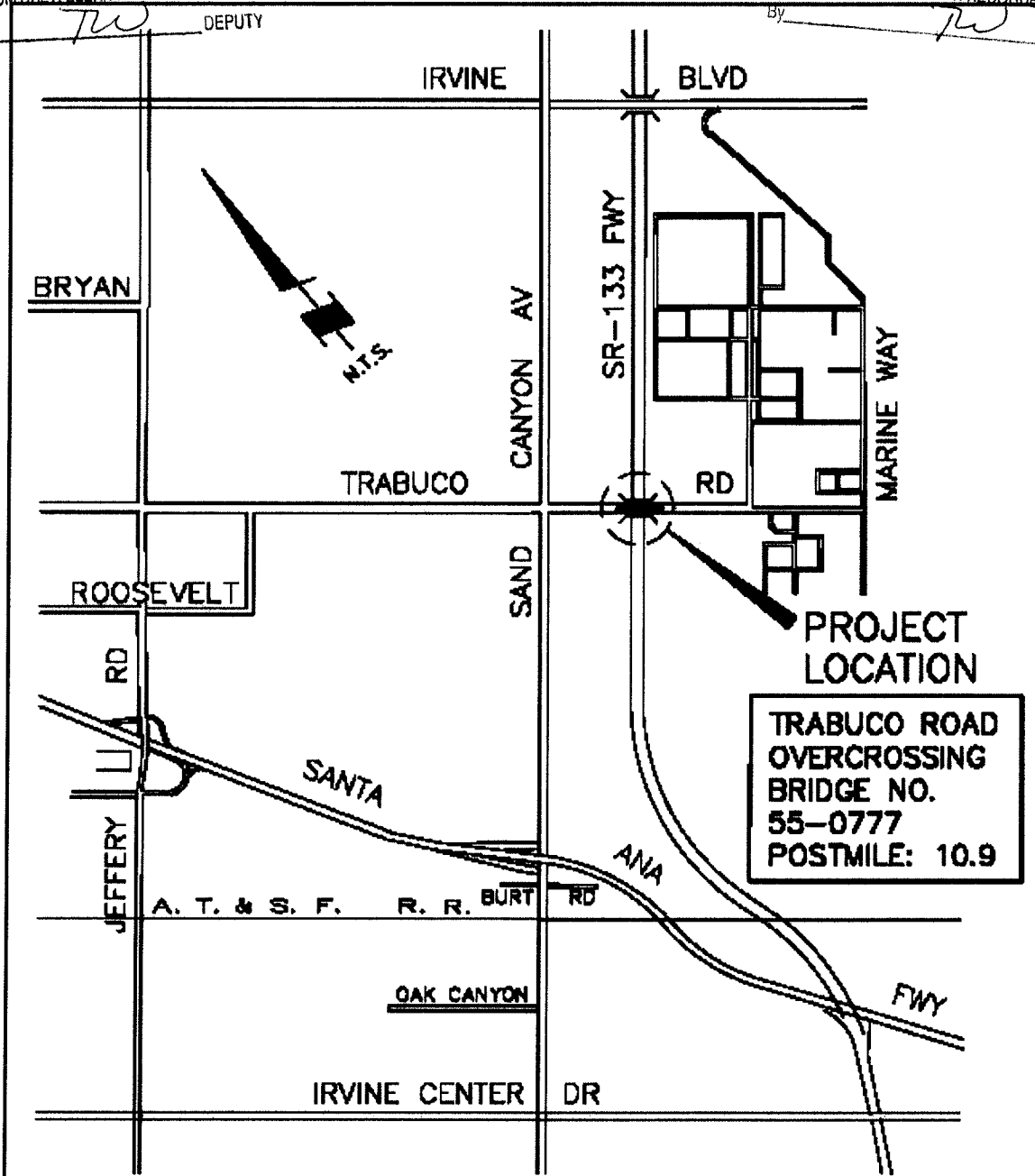
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LOCATION MAP

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**TRABUCO ROAD BRIDGE DOMESTIC WATER
 AND RECYCLED WATER PIPELINE UPSIZING
 PROJECT NOS. 10419 AND 30419**

Figure 1