



# SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT

## Notice of Exemption

*Approval Date:* October 27, 2015  
*Case No.:* 2014.1261E  
  
*Project Title:* North Point Facility Outfall System Rehabilitation Project  
 City and County of San Francisco  
  
*Zoning:* P  
*Block/Lot:* N/A  
*Lot Size:* N/A  
*Lead Agency:* San Francisco Planning Department  
*Project Sponsor:* San Francisco Public Utilities Commission  
*Staff Contact:* Kirit Bavishi, Project Manager  
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 SAN FRANCISCO County Clerk

DEC 02, 2015

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Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Guidelines of the Secretary for Resources, and San Francisco requirements, this Notice of Exemption is transmitted to you for filing. At the end of the posting period, please return this Notice to the Staff Contact with a notation of the period it was posted.

*Attached fee:* \$60 filing fee

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The purpose of the project is to maintain the North Point Facility (NPF) outfall system in order to restore hydraulic discharge capacity, increase reliability, and extend its service life. Completing the project would achieve the following objectives:

- Restore the maximum discharge capacity of 150 MGD; and
- Extend the service life of the outfall system by approximately 30 years.

The major project components include the following:

- Clean and repair the interior of the concrete sewer portion of the outfall system;
- Clean and reline the interior of the outfall pipes;
- Remove sediment above and within the diffusers at the end of each outfall pipe;

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- Repair the exterior coating of the steel framing and hanger rods from which the outfalls pipes hang and upgrade the cathodic protection system; and
- Install air release mechanisms on the outfall pipes and at the NPF Dechlorination Building, and modify a manhole located in The Embarcadero at the intersection of Bay Street.

**DETERMINATION:**

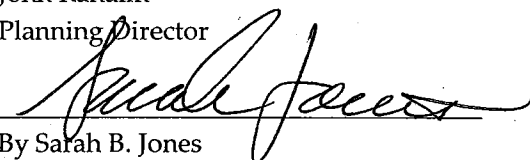
A CEQA determination was issued September 18, 2015 under Planning Department Case Number 2014.1261E. Therefore no further environmental review would be required for the proposed outfall system rehabilitation project. The project was approved by the San Francisco Public Utilities Commission on October 27, 2015. A copy of the document(s) may be examined at 1650 Mission Street, Suite 400, San Francisco, CA, 94103 in file no. 2014.1261E.

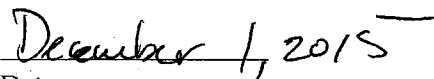
1. An Exemption from Environmental Review has been prepared pursuant to the provisions of CEQA under:

- 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 (Section 15301 (EXISTING FACILITIES))**
- Statutory Exemption

2. This project in its approved form has been determined to be exempt from environmental review in order to maintain the existing North Point Facility wastewater treatment plant outfall system extending from the intersection of Bay Street and Kearny Street to the end of Piers 33 and 35 (under the piers).

John Rahaim  
 Planning Director

  
 By Sarah B. Jones  
 Environmental Review Officer

  
 Date

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State of California—Natural Resources Agency  
**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**  
**2015 ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT**

RECEIPT #  
**38-2015-047**

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 SF PLANNING DEPARTMENT

DATE  
 12/2/2015

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING  
 SAN FRANCISCO

DOCUMENT NUMBER

PROJECT TITLE  
 NORTH POINT FACILITY OUTFALL SYSTEM REHABILITATION PROJECT CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

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PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box):

- Local Public Agency     School District     Other Special District     State Agency     Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$3,069.75	\$	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,210.00	\$	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Application Fee Water Diversion (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Projects Subject to Certified Regulatory Programs (CRP)	\$1,043.75	\$	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County Administrative Fee	\$60.00	\$	60.00
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Susanna Chin Deputy County Clerk

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