



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE**  
**CASH RECEIPT**  
DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

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RECEIPT NUMBER:

47-11/24/2025-066

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (if applicable)

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LEAD AGENCY	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE
CITY OF MONTAGUE		11/24/2025
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING	DOCUMENT NUMBER	
SISKIYOU COUNTY	2025-47-066	
PROJECT TITLE		

GENERAL PLAN SAFETY ELEMENT UPDATE

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER
CITY OF MONTAGUE		
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS	CITY	STATE
PO BOX 428	MONTAGUE	CA
		ZIP CODE
		96064

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$ 4,123.50 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$ 2,968.75 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$ 1,401.75 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Exempt from fee  
☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)  
☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)  
☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$ 850.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ County documentary handling fee \$ 50.00 \$ 50.00  
☐ Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☒ Check ☐ Other 038463 TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE
<b>X</b> ENDORSED-D. BROOKS	Dana Brooks Deputy Clerk

## Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk  
County of: Siskiyou  
311 Fourth Street, Room 201  
Yreka, CA 96097

From: (Public Agency): City of Montague  
P.O. Box 428 / 230 S 13th Street  
Montague, CA 96064

(Address)

**FILED**

Siskiyou County

**NOV 24 2025**

Project Title: General Plan Safety Element Update

LAURA BYNUM, CLERK

Project Applicant: N/A - City initiated

BY: ENDORSED-D. BROOKS  
Deputy Clerk

Project Location - Specific:

The project site is the entire City of Montague, California. (Latitude 41°43'38"N, Longitude 122°31'35"W)

Project Location - City: Montague

Project Location - County: Siskiyou

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project consists of a city-initiated update to the General Plan Safety Element to promote public safety and the protection of residents and property. The City of Montague and its residents are the beneficiaries.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Montague

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Montague

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: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Other: 15061(b)(3)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is exempt from CEQA because the project does not have the potential to cause a significant effect on the environment. The adopted goals, policies, and programs are intended to better safeguard the community and environment and to promote their health, safety, and sustainability.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Ruanna Smith Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (530) 459-3030

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: Nov. 7, 2025

Title: City Clerk

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

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

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_

## CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL FEE FORM

On November 6, 2025 N/A filed an application  
(Date) (Name)

for development with the City of Montague Before the application  
(Name of City)

is accepted as complete for processing, fees in the following amount(s) must be deposited with  
the County Clerk.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Clerk Processing Fee	\$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Negative Declaration	\$2,968.75*
<input type="checkbox"/>	EIR	\$4,123.50
<input type="checkbox"/>	Categorically Exempt	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Statutorily Exempt	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee Exemption issued by the DFG	\$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<u>Other commonsense exemption</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>

No project shall be operative, vested or final until the required fee is paid. *Public Resources Code* §21089 (b).

On November 24, 2025 City of Montague deposited \$ 50.00  
(Date) (Name)

with the Siskiyou County Clerk ENDORSED-D BROOKS  
(Attest)

Application No. N/A

Receipt # 20250046451

(To be completed when application is received for processing)

ATL 11/24/2025-066

\* If it is determined by Siskiyou County that the fee required for a Negative Declaration does not apply to your project a refund will be granted.

Laura Bynum  
Siskiyou  
County Clerk/Registrar of Voters  
311 4th St., Rm. 201  
Yreka, CA 96097  
(530) 842-8084

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Public

Receipt No.: RPT20250000000782

Finalization No.: 2025004645

Cashier: dbrooks

Register: CLK-044

Date/Time: 11/24/2025 02:35 PM

Description	Fee
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION	

Filing Time:	02:35 PM
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Filing Total:	\$50.00
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Filing Fee:	\$50.00
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Total Amount Due:	\$50.00
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Total Paid

Check Tendered:	\$50.00
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#038463

Amount Due:	\$0.00
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THANK YOU  
PLEASE KEEP FOR REFERENCE

