



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife  
**2024 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE**  
**CASH RECEIPT**  
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/24) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:  
09--08092024-092

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (if applicable)

**SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.**

LEAD AGENCY EL DORADO CO BUILDING DEPT	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL matthew.aselage@edcgov.us	DATE 08/09/2024
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING EL DORADO	DOCUMENT NUMBER FW2024-0092	

PROJECT TITLE  
STELLA BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE CUP22-0010

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME APEX ENERGY SOLUTIONS LLC	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL skaaki@zglobal.biz	PHONE NUMBER (530) 621-5977
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 2850 FAIRLANE COURT	CITY PLACERVILLE	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95667

**PROJECT APPLICANT** (Check appropriate box)

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

**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)     \$4,051.25     \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)     \$2,916.75     \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW     \$1,377.25     \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- 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  
 Other     \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT METHOD:**

- Cash    
  Credit    
  Check    
  Other    
 TOTAL RECEIVED     \$ \_\_\_\_\_     \$50.00

SIGNATURE <i>X Kimberly Preston</i>	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Janelle K. Horne Recorder-Clerk, by Kimberly Preston, Dpty
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**Notice of Exemption**

**Form C**

**To:** County Clerk  
County of El Dorado  
360 Fair Lane  
Placerville, CA 95667

**From:** County of El Dorado  
Planning and Building Department  
2850 Fairlane Court  
Placerville, CA 95667

CUP22-0010/Stella Battery Energy Storage  
**Project Title**

Apex Energy Solutions, LLC c/o Sarah Kaaki  
Skaaki@zglobal.biz  
**Project Applicant**

Assessor's Parcel Number: 009-330-064 - north side of Pony Express Trail, approximately 750 feet east of the intersection with Forebay Road, in the Pollock Pines Rural Center.  
**Project Location – Specific (El Dorado County)**

Proposed construction and ongoing operation of an up to 5.0-megawatt (MW)/20.0-megawatt hour (MWh) battery energy storage facility consisting of six (6) enclosures.  
**Project Description**

County of El Dorado Zoning Administrator  
**Name of Public Agency Approving Project**

County of El Dorado, Planning & Building Department  
2850 Fairlane Ct, Placerville, CA 95667  
**Name of Person or Agency Carrying out Project**

(530) 621-5355  
**Telephone Number**

Apex Energy Solutions, LLC, Sarah Kaaki, Skaaki@zglobal.biz

**Exempt Status:**

- CEQA Statute Section 21080.
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures/Section 15303
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reasons why project is exempt:**

The proposed use would result in a total footprint of 690 square feet between six (6) enclosures. This minor new construction is consistent with the allowances pursuant to Section 15303 of the CEQA Guidelines.

**Lead Agency Contact Person:** Matt Aselage  
matthew.aselage@edcgov.us

**Area Code/ Telephone/Extension:** (530) 621-5977

**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 (Public Agency)

8-9-24  
Date

Deputy Director of Planning  
Title

Rob Peters  
Robert.Peters@edcgov.us

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- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

JANELLE K. HORNE, Recorder-Clerk  
By 

EL DORADO CO. RECORDER-CLERK

DATE POSTED: 8/9/24

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