

Notice of Determination

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From:

Public Agency: Caltrans
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 Contact: Haesun Lim
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Lead Agency (if different from above):
California High Speed Rail Authority
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Sacramento CA 95814
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2009091125

Project Title: Caltrans D6 Issuance of Encroachment Permit for CHSR Proj.-SR43/Merced Ave Temp. Lane Closure

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation (Caltrans)

Project Location (include county): Kern County, on SR43 at Merced Ave. at Post Mile 18.578/19.948

Project Description:

The purpose of the temporary lane closure (south bound west lane) is to ensure that the activities inherent the installation of the falsework for the Abutment 1 Bent Cap at the Merced Overpass are conducted in a safe manner, and minimize the risk and fall hazard on the live road traffic. Works will include temporary traffic control signs installation, cones, and a flagger. The lane closure is planned from 7 AM to 3 PM.

This is to advise that the Caltrans has approved the above
 (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency)

described project on November 8, 2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
 (date)
 described project.

1. The project [will will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [were were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [was was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [was was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [were were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

To view, please request a CD-ROM or locate a library that has a hardcopy or visit www.cahighspeedrail.ca.gov

Signature (Public Agency): Haesun Lim Title: Senior Environmental Planner

Date: November 8, 2021 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____