Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
    1400 Tenth Street
    Sacramento, CA 95814

    County Clerk
    County of: _____
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From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 06
    855 M Street
    Fresno   CA 93721

Project Title: Wasco Overlay

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
On State Route(SR) 43 in Kern County near the City of Wasco from 80' north of SR-46 to Tulare-Kern County Line postmiles 25.2/38.8.

Project Location - City: Wasco   Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The California Department of Transportation proposes an overlay project on State Route 43 in Kern County from postmiles 25.2/38.8. The project would place a one inch overlay of rubberized hot mix asphalt on top of the existing pavement, as well as three feet of shoulder backing. In areas of deteriorated pavement, three inches of existing pavement would be removed and replaced. Signposts may be replaced to meet current standards within the project limits. No striping will be removed with this project. No new right of way would be required.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation

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: 1, Section 15301
- ☐ Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:
The project will maintain the existing road way.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Shane Gunn   Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 445-6310

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: _Shane Gunn_   Date: 9/1/2020   Title: Senior Environmental Planner

    ☑ Signed by Lead Agency   ☐ Signed by Applicant