

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Mono

From: (Public Agency): Caltrans District 9
500 South Main St.
Bishop, CA 93514

(Address)

Project Title: 203 Drainage Improvements

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:

In Mono County, on State Route 203 from post mile R2.3 to 7.6.

Project Location - City: Mammoth Lakes Project Location - County: Mono

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Caltrans is proposing to make drainage improvements at five separate locations on State Route 203. Deficiencies at these locations include ponding, icing, and uncontrolled runoff. The purpose of this project is to improve roadway drainage by redirecting roadway runoff and reducing the potential for icing. Proposed solutions include installing curb and gutter, slot drains and possibly a new culvert. Some minor trenching will 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: 15301, Class 1(c).
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

After a review of the proposed project and field site visits it has been determined that no known environmental resources will be impacted by the project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Ryan Spaulding Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 760-872-5244

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: 9/22/2020 Title: Assoc. Env Planner

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

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

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