

# Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research  
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From: (Public Agency): CA Natural Resources Agency  
1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1310  
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County Clerk  
County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Address)

Project Title: Ben and Victory Green Stormwater Infrastructure Project

Project Applicant: Los Angeles Bureau of Sanitation and Environment

Project Location - Specific: The neighborhood of North Hollywood in the San Fernando Valley. Area bounded by Vanowen Ave to the north, Laurel Canyon Blvd to the west, Victory Blvd to the south and Radford Ave to the east.

Project Location - City: Los Angeles Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Removal of existing asphalt and concrete in the public right of way and construction of rain gardens/swales with native plantings, catch basin inlets, and drywell systems to capture, treat and infiltrate urban runoff.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Natural Resources Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Los Angeles Bureau of Sanitation and Environment

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(c) (Existing Facilities - highways, streets, etc.)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of minor alteration of existing public structures and facilities (rain gardens and drywell system installed in the public right of way).

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Teresa Mallory Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 651-7592

**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: Bryan Cash Date: 12/18/2020 Title: Assistant Secretary

▪ 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: \_\_\_\_\_

*MJ* 12/18/2020