

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Orange

From: (Public Agency): Caltrans, District 12

1750 E 4th Street

Santa Ana, CA 92705

(Address)

Project Title: 1221-6MW-0065 Destroy Groundwater Wells and Re-surface Sidewalk

Project Applicant: Private Applicant

Project Location - Specific:

12931 Garden Grove Boulevard, between Haster Street and 22 Fwy

Project Location - City: Garden Grove

Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Destroy 2 groundwater monitoring wells previously installed in the sidewalk on the north side of Garden Grove Boulevard, east of Haster Street under CalTrans Permit #12-16-6-SV-0334. The wells will be destroyed by pressure grouting and drilling out the upper 5 feet in accordance with a well destruction permit obtained from the Orange County Health Care Agency. The affected areas will be resurfaced (sidewalk section removed and replaced) per City of Garden Grove specifications.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans, District 12

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

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)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project will not enlarge or expand existing facilities

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Smita Deshpande

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 657-328-6151

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: Smita Deshpande Date: April 12, 2021 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

▪ 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: _____