

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
 P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
 County Clerk
 County of: Kern
1115 Truxtun Avenue
Bakersfield, CA 93301

From: (Public Agency): _____
California Natural Resources Agency
1416 Ninth St, Ste 1311, Sacramento CA 95814

 (Address)

7/7/2021

Project Title: Central Avenue Neighborhood Park

Project Applicant: City of Wasco

Project Location - Specific:

Northeast corner of Central and Filburn in the City of Wasco

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

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Development of new park and infill trail improvements including landscaping and play structures on an existing 2.1 acres undeveloped site zoned Open Space.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Natural Resources Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: _____

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: _____
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Park and trail improvements on an existing site zoned for Open Space are permitted right in the City's Zoning Code and are considered a ministerial project to be carried out by an approved by a public agency. Pursuant to CEQA Statute 21080 (b)(1), CEQA does not apply.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Laurel Olson Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916 651 9241

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: Andrea Scharffer Date: 7/7/2021 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: _____