

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
County Clerk
County of: Amador & Stanislaus

From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 10
1976 E. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
Stockton CA 95205

Project Title: 1N400: AMA-88 and STA-132 Culvert Repairs and Replacement

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
The project has two locations. Location 1 is at post mile 28.36 on State Route (SR) 88 in Amador County.
Location 2 is at post mile 4.51 on SR-132 in Stanislaus County.

Project Location - City: VAR Project Location - County: VAR

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The California Department of Transportation proposes culvert repairs and/or replacement at two different locations. The scope of work at Loc 1 includes flushing the existing culvert system, constructing an expanded G2 drainage inlet, and installing a 24" Corrugated Steel Pipe (CSP) extension and concrete collar to better connect the two existing culvert pipes. The scope of work at Loc 2 includes replacing the existing 30" CSP culvert with a 36" Reinforced Concrete Pipe (RCP) culvert and installing a flap-gate at the outlet. Right of Way acquisition is required at each location. The purpose of this project is to repair and/or replace the damaged culverts to avoid roadway failure. The project is needed to ensure motorist safety across these drainages.

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: Existing Facilities section 15301
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:

The project will not affect any sensitive species or their habitat, cultural resources, scenic resources, or any other environmentally sensitive resources.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Elizabeth Hummel Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 209-948-3825

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: Elizabeth Hummel Date: 08/11/2021 Title: Associate 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 _____