

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: Nevada

From: (Public Agency): Caltrans - District 3

703 B Street

Marysville, CA 95901

(Address)

Project Title: 2J350 NEV 49 McKnight Sinkhole

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation - District 3

Project Location - Specific:

In Nevada County on State Route 29 near post mile (PM) R13.4

Project Location - City: Grass Valley

Project Location - County: Nevada

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The scope of work is as follows: sawcut, excavation, shoring, backfill, paving and striping, traffic control, and incidental work. This project was needed to avoid failure or threat of failure to the transportation system, which can result in the loss or impairment of life, health, or property.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation - District 3

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation - District 3

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: Class 1, Section 15301

Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Bibiana Rodriguez

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (530) 720-9957

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: *Bibiana Rodriguez*

Date: 9/24/21

Title: Env. 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: _____