

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: San Mateo
555 County Center
Redwood City, CA 94063-1665

From: (Public Agency): San Mateo Union High School District
650 North Delaware Street
San Mateo CA 94401

(Address)

Project Title: Mills High School Path of Travel Lighting Enhancement Project

Project Applicant: San Mateo Union High School District

Project Location - Specific:
400 Murchison Drive, Millbrae CA. 94030

Project Location - City: Millbrae Project Location - County: San Mateo

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The project would install new path-of-travel lighting on the existing school campus. Lit areas would include the parking lots, interior courtyard, and pedestrian pathways. Light poles would be up to 26 feet high. The project is intended to improve nighttime safety and security at the school.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: San Mateo Union High School District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: San Mateo Union High School District

- 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));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 1 -Section 15301
[X] Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 15061(b)(3)

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project proposes minor improvements (lighting) at the school, which would qualify as a minor alteration or repair of existing buildings. It also would provide upgraded health and safety for the students and staff consistent with the Class 1 exemption. No change in school usage would occur. It is clear that there is no potential for significant impacts as construction activities would be minimal and lighting studies show that light spillover would not be significant (15061 b 2)

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Yancy Hawkins Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 650-558-2204

- 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? [X] Yes [] No

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 10/15/20 Title: Chief Business Officer

[X] Signed by Lead Agency [] Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR:
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.