

**Notice of Determination**

**Appendix D**

**To:**

Office of Planning and Research  
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County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**From:**

Public Agency: CALTRANS  
Address: 50 HIGUERA STREET  
SAN LUIS OBISPO CA 93401  
Contact: GERAMALDI  
Phone: 805-441-0561  
  
Lead Agency (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.**

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2022050438

Project Title: STATE ROUTE 154 DRAINAGE REHABILITATION PROJECT

Project Applicant: CA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (CALTRANS)

Project Location (include county): STATE ROUTE 154, SANTA BARBARA

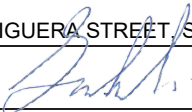
Project Description: The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) plans to rehabilitate existing drainage systems on State Route 154 in Santa Barbara County from post miles 0.0 to 32.84. The project will rehabilitate storm drain culverts. The project will also rehabilitate the Rancho Cielo (Cold Springs) Vista Point and install traffic monitoring systems. Project activities will involve vegetation clearing, site restoration, temporary construction access, temporary construction staging sites, temporary traffic control, pavement repaving, and pavement re-striping.

This is to advise that the CA Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has approved the above  
( Lead Agency or  Responsible Agency)  
described project on 03/29/2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the above  
(date)  
described project.

- 1. The project [ will  will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2.  An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.  
 A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures [ were  were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [ was  was not] adopted for this project.
- 5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [ was  was not] adopted for this project.
- 6. Findings [ were  were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

CALTRANS DISTRICT 5 OFFICE - 50 HIGUERA STREET, SAN LUIS OBISPO CA, 93401

Signature (Public Agency):  Title: ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENTIST

Date: 03/29/2023 Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_

Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Sections 21000–21174, Public Resources Code.