

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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County of: Los Angeles

12400 Imperial Highway

Norwalk, CA 90650

From: (Public Agency): City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Engineering
1149 S. Broadway, Suite 600, MS-939
Los Angeles, CA 90015

(Address)

Project Title: Destination Crenshaw Outdoor Museum (W.O. E1908269)

Project Applicant: Destination Crenshaw; ATTN: Jason Foster; 777 S. Figueroa St, Suite 4050, Los Angeles, CA 90017

Project Location - Specific:

1.3 mile stretch of Crenshaw Boulevard between Vernon Avenue and 59th Street

Project Location - City: Los Angeles Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Destination Crenshaw is a community-inspired public art and streetscape design project that would highlight the contributions of Black Los Angeles to the world while also serving as a catalyst for investment and revitalization for the businesses and community surrounding Crenshaw Boulevard. The vision for the proposed project is the creation of an open-air street museum that will serve as a gateway for residents of and visitors to Los Angeles, where they can experience African-American culture and history in a unique context. Beneficiaries of this project will include local residents, small businesses, and visitors to the neighborhood.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Public Works

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Destination Crenshaw; ATTN: Jason Foster

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: 15301(c), 15304(d), 15304(h)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:


The proposed various art installations, streetscape elements, and pocket parks are considered to be minor alterations with negligible expansion of existing uses. None of the limitations set forth in State CEQA Guidelines 15300.2 apply.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Billy Ho Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (213) 485-5745

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:  Date: April 18, 2022 Title: Environmental Supervisor I

■ 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: _____