

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: _____

From: (Public Agency): _____

(Address)

Project Title: _____

Project Applicant: _____

Project Location - Specific: Evans Avenue between Cesar Chavez and Newhall streets

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: _____

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) is proposing to implement transportation safety improvements on Evans Avenue between Cesar Chavez and Newhall streets in San Francisco as part of the Evans Avenue Quick-Build Project (proposed project). The proposed project would create safer conditions for pedestrians and cyclists along the project corridor. Specifically, one travel lane would be removed in each direction (road diet) to upgrade a Class III bike route to Class II and Class IV bike lanes; the lane reduction would also decrease traffic speed along the project corridor. Additional pedestrian safety improvements include installation of advance limit lines, upgraded pedestrian crossings to continental crosswalks, traffic signal improvements to give pedestrians a head start to cross the intersection, daylighting (red curbs/no parking at intersection approaches) for visibility, and painted safety zones at intersection corners throughout the project corridor.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: _____

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: _____

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: _____
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Lead Agency

Contact Person: _____ Area Code/Telephone/Extension: _____

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: Debra Dwyer Date: _____ Title: _____

(Debra Dwyer, on behalf of Lisa Gibson, Environmental Review Officer, for Richard Hillis, Planning Director, San Francisco Planning Department)

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: _____