

# Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research  
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From: (Public Agency): CA Natural Resources Agency  
715 P Street, 20th Floor  
Sacramento, CA 95814

5/13/2022

County Clerk

County of: \_\_\_\_\_

(Address)

Project Title: Roberts Lane to Panorama Vista Connectivity & Greening Project

Project Applicant: Kern County Public Works Department

Project Location - Specific:

Roberts Lane from N. Chester Avenue to 1.1 miles east of Angus Lane

Project Location - City: Bakersfield Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Proposed project includes repair/rehab of existing roadway, install of new bike lanes/facilities, and install of minor vegetation/landscape work, signage, and ancillary safety improvements necessary to complete the proposed project to increase bicycle connectivity, increase safety of the roadway, and improve air quality.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Natural Resources Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kern County Public Works Department

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, 15304
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project is categorically exempt via Section 15301, as it involves repair/rehabilitation of an existing roadway facility, and is exempt via Section 15304, as it involves the installation of bike lanes/facilities in the existing right-of-way and the installation of minor greening/landscaping elements and ancillary infrastructure.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Jen Metes Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-902-6398

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: Andrea Scharffer Date: 5/14/2022 Title: Deputy Assistant Secretary

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: \_\_\_\_\_