

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: (Public Agency): City of Cotati  
201 West Sierra Avenue  
Cotati, CA 94931

County Clerk  
County of: Sonoma  
585 Fiscal Drive #103F  
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

(Address)

Project Title: West Sierra Avenue Sewer Replacement Project

Project Applicant: City of Cotati

Project Location - Specific:  
**West Sierra Avenue**

Project Location - City: City of Cotati Project Location - County: Sonoma

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project involves subsurface pipeline improvements to repair defects to the existing sewer collection system within West Sierra Avenue.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Cotati

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Cotati

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: PRC Division 13, Section 21080.21

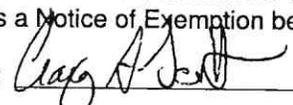
Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to PRC Division 13 Section 21080.21 in that the project will repair subsurface pipeline facilities less than one mile in length located entirely within public streets and within public right-of-way. Environmental review did not identify any significant effects that would occur from the project.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Craig A. Scott Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 707 239-0369

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: May 6, 2022 Title: Director of Public Works/City Engineer

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: \_\_\_\_\_

This notice was posted on 05/12/2022  
and will remain posted for a period of thirty days  
through 06/12/2022

Deva Marie Proto, County Clerk  
BY:   
Zaira Enriquez, Deputy Clerk

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