

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

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

From: (Public Agency) Caltrans District 9
500 South Main St.
Bishop, CA 93514
(Address)

County Clerk
County of: Inyo

Project Title: Towne Pass Bump

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location—Specific:
The project location is on State Route 9 in Inyo County from post mile 64.3 to post mile 68.4.

Project Location—City: Unincorporated Project Location—County: Inyo County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The pavement within the project limits is suffering distress and needs to be rehabilitated. The purpose of this project is to restore the pavement to a serviceable condition.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

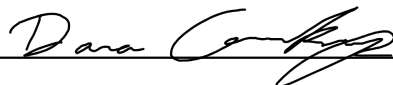
Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation

- 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: Section 15301, Class 1
 - Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
After a review of the project and location and with the planned implementation of avoidance and minimization measures, it has been determined that no known environmental resources will be impacted by the project. All work will occur within the Caltrans' right-of-way; no vegetation or dirt will be disturbed outside the existing pavement, shoulder backing or designated contractor use areas.

Lead Agency Area Code/Telephone/
Contact Person: Dana Grevenkamp Extension: (760) 874-8327

- 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: 7/7/2022 Title: Environmental Scientist

Signed by: Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date received for filing at OPR: _____
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.