



## CITY OF MARTINEZ

525 Henrietta Street, Martinez, CA 94553-2394

Community Development Department

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# NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**Date:** July 21, 2021

*(County Clerk please stamp here)*

**To:** Contra Costa County Clerk-Recorder  
555 Escobar Street  
Martinez, CA 94553

Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**Project Title:** Martinez Marina 2022 Maintenance Dredging Project (City Project No. C8012)

**Project Location:** Martinez Marina (38.02575300782783, -122.13781692435674)  
Assessor's Parcel No.: 373-040-003

**Project Applicant:** City of Martinez – Community Development Department  
525 Henrietta Street, Martinez, CA 94553  
Tel: (925) 372-3524

**Lead Agency:** Same as project applicant

**Lead Agency Contact:** Ali Hatefi, P.E., Senior Civil Engineer  
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**Project Description:** The project will use mechanical floating equipment to dredge portions of the Martinez Marina to the required dredge elevation of -6 feet mean lower low water. Aquatic transport will be used to dispose of the dredged sediment at an in-Bay disposal site. Contractors will implement dredging best management practices (BMPs) during the work to comply with permit conditions and to avoid or minimize potential environmental impacts. The project will also include other work as required by the plans and specifications, special provisions, or as directed by the Engineer.


**Exempt Status:**

- Ministerial (Section 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));

- Emergency Project (Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption: Class 4 "Minor Alterations to Land (g)"
- Statutory Exemption:

**Reason(s) why Project is Exempt:**

The proposed project qualifies for the above CEQA exemption because it involves maintenance dredging where the spoil is deposited in a spoil area authorized by all applicable state and federal regulatory agencies.

Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_  
**Hector J. Rojas, AICP**  
Planning Manager  
City of Martinez

Date: July 22, 2022