

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: California Energy Commission
715 P Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

Project Title: ElectrifyAnaheim: ATN Microgrid Project

Project Applicant: Anaheim Transportation Network (ATN)

Project Location - Specific: 1354 S Anaheim Blvd and 1213 & 1227 S Claudina Street.

Project Location - City: City of Anaheim

Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed project consists of installation of battery energy storage systems, solar generation, 80kW and 200kW charging EVSEs and 150kW DC charger at two sites within the City of Anaheim. The project will require utility interconnections from the Anaheim Public Utilities Commission, and a new 12 kilovolt electrical service will be provided to the Claudina sites.

The purpose of the project is to install electric vehicle charging infrastructure and microgrids to support 50 electric transit buses in a resilient manner that reduces greenhouse gases from the utility grid.

Beneficiaries include residents of Orange County.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Energy Commission

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Anaheim Transportation Network (ATN)

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 21080.25(b)(6)

Reasons why project is exempt:

PRC 21080.25(b)(6) provides that a project to construct or maintain infrastructure to charge or refuel zero-emission transit buses, provided the project is carried out by a public transit agency that is subject to, and in compliance with, the State Air Resources Board's Innovative Clean Transit (ICT) regulations (Article 4.3 (commencing with Section 2023) of Chapter 1 of Division 3 of Title 13 of the California Code of Regulations) and the project is located on property owned by the transit agency or within an existing public right-of-way, is exempt from the requirements of CEQA.

This project would construct the infrastructure to charge zero-emission transit buses, including installation of battery energy storage; 800kW and 200kW electrical vehicle supply equipment; a 150 kW DC charger; and associated interconnections and electrical service. The project would be carried out by Anaheim Transportation Network (ATN), which is a public transit agency that is subject to, and in compliance with, the State Air Resources Board's ICT regulations. The project is located at 1213 and 1227 South Claudina Street, and 1354 South Anaheim Boulevard. ATN owns all three of these properties. For these reasons, this project is exempt from CEQA.

Responsible Agency

Contact Person: Esther Odufuwa Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 916-897-3612

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: *Esther Odufuwa* Date: 09/14/2022 Title: Energy Commission Specialist I

Signed by Responsible Agency

Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR: _____

Signed by Applicant