

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
County Clerk
County of: _____

From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 06
Caltrans
2015 E. Shields Ave., Fresno, CA 93726

Project Title: FORT TEJON 2R REHAB BMMN

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
On I-5 from the Los Angeles/Kern County line (PM R0.0) to Grapevine Creek (PM 4.4).

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: KER

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
Install Broadband Middle-Mile Network infrastructure as needed to provide an opportunity for service to this rural area in the future. All work is within the existing right-of-way.

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: 1. b
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:

The project will not have any significant impacts with the avoidance and minimization measures that are required of the project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Trais Norris Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 601-3521

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: *J. William "Trais" Norris, AEA* Date: 10/17/2022 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

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 _____