

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
2015 E. Shields Ave., Suite 100
Fresno CA 93726

Project Title: PUMP PLANT UPGRADES

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
In Madera County on SR 99 at post mile 23.06; in Fresno County on SR 41 at post mile R23.58; in Kern County on SR 178 at post mile R2.82 and on SR 58 at post mile R55.96.

Project Location - City: Madera Project Location - County: MAD

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The proposed project would improve drainage efficiencies and prevent road damage and disruptions by replacing the existing outdated pump plants with upgraded higher flowrate capacity pumps and control systems at four locations. The project would replace the existing pumps with similar or higher flowrate capacity at four locations. A temporary construction easement would be used. Night work will not be performed.

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: Class 2c
 Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:
The proposed project would replace pumps in the same site. No significant impacts.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: G. William "Trais" Norris Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 559-320-6045

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, A.A. Date: 4/18/2024 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

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.