

Notice of Exemption

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1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
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Project Title/File No.: Wheeling Towards Mental Wellness Project

Project Location: Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 086-100-015 and south easterly most corner of APN 086-100-019

Project Description: The Project includes development of a skate plaza, pump track, and associated beautification elements at City Park to improve the mental health and foster equity for Pittsburg's youth and community. The project site is approximately one and one-half acres in size and includes the construction of two pump tracks - one for beginners and one for experienced riders. One skate plaza is proposed, in which various seating areas will be included. The construction of one sign is included in the project scope which would be located at the entrance of the proposed plaza (southwest corner of Railroad Avenue and Civic Avenue). The installation of native and ornamental landscaping is proposed, including approximately 40 trees. The skate plaza and pump track will be railroad-themed to commemorate and embrace the rich history of the community in relation to the railroad system that dates back to 19th century.

Name of approving public agency: City of Pittsburg

Lead Agency Name, Address, Telephone Number City of Pittsburg, 65 Civic Avenue, Pittsburg, CA 94565 (925)252-6900

Project Applicant Name, Address, Telephone Number Zuna Barker Portillo, Environmental Services, 65 Civic Avenue, Pittsburg, CA 94565 (925)252-4129

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 – Section: 15301, 15303, 15304
- Statutory Exemptions – Section: 15061(b)(2)

Reason(s) why Project is Exempt: The scope of work includes a minor alteration to existing publicly owned land within an urbanized area. The existing project site is currently utilized as a park; the proposed improvements would also constitute a park. The scope involves no expansion or construction of buildings and there is not a change in use of land. The proposed facilities are recreational facilities, which are consistent with the existing use of land.

Lead Agency/Contact Person: City of Pittsburg/Zuna Barker Portillo, R.E.H.S.

Signature: 
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