



OFFICE OF
ENVIRONMENTAL COORDINATOR

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Merced Falls Road Surface Treatment Project (#1765)

PROJECT
PROPONENT: Tuolumne County Department of Public Works
2 S. Green Street
Sonora, CA 95370

LOCATION: The project boundaries are on Merced Falls Road, from the Mariposa County boundary to State Highway 132, a distance of 2.76± miles. Portions of Sections 9, 15, 16, and 22, Township 3 South, Range 15 East; Mount Diablo Base and Meridian. Supervisorial District 4.

COUNTY: Tuolumne

PROJECT
DESCRIPTION: The project consists of the road surface treatment (chip seal) of Merced Falls Road. No widening of the road or work on the non-paved sections of the roadway are anticipated. Following the chip seal, the road lanes will be striped with waterborne retroreflective paint. The project is to maintain an existing County road facility.

APPROVING
AGENCY: Tuolumne County

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 (Sec. 15301)
 Exemption (Sec. 21083; 21084; 15303(d); 15304(a); 15304(b))

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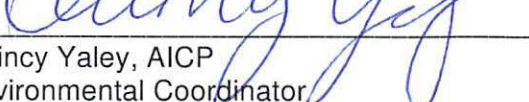
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Tuolumne County Clerk
By 
Deputy

RATIONALE FOR EXEMPTION: After reviewing the project and its setting, the Environmental Coordinator for the County of Tuolumne has determined that the chip seal and repairs on Tuolumne Road is categorically exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), pursuant to Section 15301(c) of the *State CEQA Guidelines*. The project includes the repair and maintenance of an existing roadway and involves no expansion of the existing use. None of the exceptions to the categorical exemptions provided in Section 15300.2 of the State CEQA Guidelines apply to the proposed project.

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT: Blossom Scott-Heim, PE.

TELEPHONE NUMBER: (209) 533-5904

Signature: 
Quincy Yaley, AICP
Environmental Coordinator

Date: 5-10-23



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2023 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/23) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:
 55 — 05/17/2023 — 031
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY Tuolumne County Department of Public Works	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 05/17/2023
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING Tuolumne	DOCUMENT NUMBER	

PROJECT TITLE
 Merced Falls Road Surface Treatment Project (#1765)

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME Tuolumne County Department of Public Works	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER ()
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 2 S. Green Street	CITY Sonora	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95370

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency School District Other Special District State Agency Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$3,839.25	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$2,764.00	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,305.25	\$	0.00

Exempt from fee

Notice of Exemption (attach)

CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

<input type="checkbox"/> Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County documentary handling fee		\$	50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Other		\$	

PAYMENT METHOD:

Cash Credit Check Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Taryn Vanderpan, CDD Administrative Technician
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SORT ORDER: JEID

JE ID.	Date	Description	Second Reference	2ndDt/PEID	Batch/ContNo	Prep/ACG	Hit/Tp	CkNo/Views
JV2304641	04/28/2023	NOE PROJECT 1765 MERCED FALLS			JE232147	J KOSTLI	N	

Account String	BUDGUNIT	Title	ACCOUNT	Description /	Debit	Credit	Misc	Last	Rec.	Off.	TACG
Account	PIN	Title	ACCOUNT	Description							Note
1165	-542009	American Rescue Plan (ARPA)	LACTF-Merced Falls RD		50.00	0.00		NO	1	1	NY
6204	-483112	Fish & Game AB 3158	Misc Income-Admin Fee		0.00	50.00		NO	2	1	NY
JE TOTAL: Primary					50.00	50.00					