

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 212
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From: California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo
1 Grand Avenue
San Luis Obispo, CA 93410

Project Title: Cal Poly – South Infrastructure Renewal

Project Location – Specific: Within the Cal Poly campus, along Campus Way and North Perimeter east of the Spanos Stadium field and west of the University Union in unincorporated San Luis Obispo County, California

Project Location - City: N/A

Project Location - County: San Luis Obispo County

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo (Cal Poly) is proposing to improve the existing campus utility infrastructure at the south-west area of campus. The South Infrastructure Renewal project is the repair, replacement, and maintenance of existing underground utilities located at the south-west area of campus and includes sewer, storm drain, electrical and telecom underground utilities. Alex G. Spanos Stadium to include additional amenities and improve the function of the existing facility.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: The Trustees of the California State University

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo

The project is exempt from CEQA under the following authority:

- 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 1 – Existing Facilities (Section 15301); Class 2 – Replacement or Reconstruction (Section 15302)
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project consists of replacement and reconstruction of deteriorated/damaged utilities requiring repair and maintenance within the developed/urban portion of the Cal Poly campus. The project would be entirely located with existing campus pathways, which contain no sensitive biological or cultural resources. The project does include trenching and replacement of drainage structures connected to these utilities. The systems will support flood prevention.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Scott Bloom, Campus Planner, California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (805) 756-1573

If filed by applicant: Not applicable.

- 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: Scott Bloom Date: 2023/11/28 Title: Campus 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.