

Notice of Exemption

To: Placer County Clerk
Recorder's Office
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From: City of Roseville
Development Services Dept.
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<u>Project Title</u>: Water Distribution System Improvements Project 500198 – Water Line Loop between Wayne Drive and South Harding Boulevard

Project Location(s): 260 South Harding Boulevard, Assessor's Parcel Number 014-183-029-000

<u>Project Description</u>: The City has existing water pipelines crossing Interstate 80 which were constructed prior to the freeway. To ensure reliability in case of failure or a need to abandon the existing lines, the City proposes a project to install new relocate water lines so as to reduce the reliance on pipelines underneath Interstate 80. The project would involve trenching for waterline installation to connect two existing lines between South Harding Boulevard and Wayne Drive. Trenching would occur from the southern end of South Harding, west along northern boundary of the empty lot at 260 South Harding, then south along the western boundary of the lot to Wayne Drive. The work involves less than 1,000 linear feet.

Public Agency Approving Project: Roseville City Council

Agency/Individual Carrying Out Project: City of Roseville Environmental Utilities Department

Reason why this Project is Exempt: The project qualifies for a Class 1 and Class 2 Categorical Exemption as described in Section 15301 and Section 15302 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) guidelines which states:

"Class 1 (Existing Facilities) consists of ... minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use; and

"Class 2 consists of the...replacement or reconstruction of existing...facilities...including...replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems involving negligible or no expansion of capacity."

The project consists of the connection of two existing water lines to replace or reduce reliance on an existing water line, and would not result in expansion of use. Consequently the Class 1 and Class 2 Categorical Exemptions apply.

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Signature:

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