

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. 02
1657 Riverside Drive
Redding CA 96001

Project Title: South Main Red Bluff Hardscape

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
Tehama County on Interstate 5 at postmile 24.9

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: TEH

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), using state funding, is proposing to stabilize the slope between overpasses after removal of vegetation by using gabion baskets. Water runoff is eroding the slope and clogging drainage inlets. The project would install a drainage system to convey water away from the overpass. Field maintenance staff has requested to remove vegetation between Diamond Avenue and South Main overpasses on southbound Interstate 5.

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: Sec 20184 15301 Class 1 (C)
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:


The project is exempt because it is the maintenance of an existing facility does not include the expansion of the existing use and has been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Julie McFall Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 530-812-4878

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:  Date: 1/19/24 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

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.

Date Received for filing at OPR _____