

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency) California Department of Transportation District 11

(Address)

County Clerk

County of: _____

Project Title: EA 3A743 PI 1124000135 EB Rancho Peñasquitos Off-Ramp Rehabilitation

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation District 11

Project Location—Specific:

The proposed project is to rehabilitate ramp pavement in San Diego County in San Diego at the eastbound SR-56 exit ramp to Rancho Penasquitos (PM 8.333).

Project Location—City: San Diego

Project Location—County: San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The ramp pavement has deteriorated past maintenance capabilities; intervention is needed to improve drivability. The scope of work includes cold planing the top 0.2 feet of the existing asphalt concrete and replacing it with 0.2 feet of rubberized hot asphalt mix along the entire width of the on-ramp. No ground disturbance would occur and all work would be done on the paved travel way within Caltrans ROW.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation District 11

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation District 11

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: Class 1, Article 19, Section 15301 (c)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project would require work on an existing public transportation facility and will not increase the footprint of the freeway.

Lead Agency

Area Code/Telephone/

Contact Person: Ashley Thota

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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: Ashley Thota Date: 3/1/2024 Title: Caltrans 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: _____