

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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| TO: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Planning and Research CEQAnet Web Portal https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov | FROM: City of Santee (Public Planning & Building Department Agency) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County Recorder County of San Diego P.O. Box 121750 San Diego, CA 92112-1750 | Address 10601 Magnolia Avenue Building 4 Santee, CA 92071 |

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| 1. Project Title: | Citywide Streetlight LED Upgrade Project (CIP 2023-02) |
| 2. Project Applicant: | City of Santee 10601 Magnolia Ave. Santee, CA 92071 (619) 258-4100 |
| 3. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15’ or 7 1/2’ topographical map identified by quadrangle name): | Citywide. Please refer to Exhibit A. |
| 4. (a) Project Location – City: Santee | (b) Project Location – County: San Diego |
| 5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project: | The proposed project includes the removal and replacement of 1,602 existing streetlight luminaires. |
| 6. Name of Public Agency approving project: | City of Santee |
| 7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity: | City of Santee Traffic Engineer: Jeff Morgan, Senior Traffic Engineer City of Santee Planning & Building Department: Christina Rios, Senior Planner |
| 8. Exempt status: (check one) | |
| (a) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial project. | (Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268) |
| (b) <input type="checkbox"/> Not a project. | |
| (c) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project. | (Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c)) |

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| (d) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: | Section 15301(c), Existing Facilities |
| (e) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Declared Emergency. | (Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a)) |
| (f) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Statutory Exemption. State Code section number: | |
| (g) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other. Explanation: | |
| 9. | Reason why project was exempt: | | This project involves maintenance and minor alterations to existing street streetlight luminaires and is exempt under the Class 1 Categorical Exemption of CEQA Guidelines, Section 15301, Existing Facilities, because it is a maintenance related project to existing streetlights. This will result in negligible or no expansion of the existing use. Additionally, the project does not have a reasonable possibility to have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. |
| 10. | Lead Agency Contact Person: | | Christina Rios, Senior Planner |
| | Telephone: | | 619-258-4100, extension 157 |
| 11. | If filed by applicant: Attach Preliminary Exemption Assessment (Form "A") before filing. | | |
| 12. | Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | |
| 13. | Was a public hearing held by the lead agency to consider the exemption? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, the date of the public hearing was: March 13, 2024 | | |



Signature: _____ Date: 03/14/2024 Title: Senior Planner

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing: _____

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Authority Cited: Sections 21083 and 21100, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Exhibit A: Project Location Map

