NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO:

Alameda County Clerk

1106 Madison Street Oakland, CA 94612

FROM:

City of Oakland

Planning and Building Department 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Suite 3315

Oakland, CA 94612

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Project Title:

Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program (TIRCP) Oakland Waterfront Mobility Hub - 8th Street

Improvements

Project Applicant:

City of Oakland, Alameda County

Project Location:

8th Street between Fallon Street and Martin Luther King Jr. Way

Project Description:

The Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program (TIRCP) Oakland Waterfront Mobility Hub - 8th Street Improvements project will improve safety for people walking, biking and taking transit along 8th Street between the Oakland neighborhoods of West Oakland, Downtown and Chinatown. Improvements will include pedestrian improvements such as new or upgraded sidewalks, pedestrian-scale lighting, Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant curb ramps, crosswalk enhancements, bulb outs, and protected intersections; new or upgraded bike facilities; improvements to transit access; and signing and striping, pavement markings, pavement repair and modifications

to existing utility facilities.

Exempt Status: (check All that apply)

Statutory Exemptions

{PRC § 21080}

Categorical Exemptions

{CCR § 15300}

[X] Pedestrian and Bicycle {Sec. 21080.25}

[X] Existing Facilities {Sec.15301}

[X] Replacement or Reconstruction {Sec.15302}

[X] Small Structures {Sec.15303}

[X] Minor Alterations {Sec.15304}

Reasons why project is exempt:

The Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program (TIRCP) Oakland Waterfront Mobility Hub: 8th Street Improvements project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 21080.25(b) (Pedestrian and Bicycle), 1530I(c) (Existing Facilities, Highways and Streets), 15302(c) (Replacement or Reconstruction), 15303(d) (Small Structures), and 15304(h) (minor alterations to land). Each of the above exemptions provides a separate and independent basis for CEQA compliance.

Lead Agency: City of Oakland, Department of Transportation, 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Suite 4314, Oakland, CA 94612.

Lead Agency Contact: Edmond Siu, Supervising Civil Engineer

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March 6, 2024

Date:

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Pursuant to Section 711.4(d)(1) of the California Fish and Game Code, statutory and categorical exemptions are also exempt from Department of Fish & Game fees.