



SUNNYVALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: State Clearinghouse
1400 Tenth Street
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From: Sunnyvale School District
825 West Iowa Avenue
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

Project Title: Multi-Campus Marquee Replacement and Improvements

Project Location: San Miguel Elementary School (777 San Miguel Avenue), Lakewood Elementary School (750 Lakechime Drive), Cumberland Elementary School (824 Cumberland Drive), Colombia Middle School (739 Morse Avenue)

Project Location – City: Sunnyvale, CA

Project Location – County: Santa Clara County

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Sunnyvale School District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Sunnyvale School District

Lead Agency Contact Person: Brandt Burns

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Description of Project: The Sunnyvale School District (SSD) proposes to replace the existing analog marquees with new digital marquees at four school campuses: San Miguel Elementary, Lakewood Elementary, Cumberland Elementary, and Colombia Middle. The proposed marquees would be approximately the same size as the existing marquees and placed in approximately the same location. The project also includes slurry sealing the asphalt as needed at each campus and installing a new shade structure at the San Miguel Elementary campus. The shade structure would be approximately 12 feet tall and 40 feet by 30 feet in size (1,200 square feet) and would shade an existing blacktop area on the central portion of the campus. Additionally, the existing rubberized surfaces within existing playground perimeters would be replaced with new synthetic turf at the Cumberland Elementary, Lakewood Elementary, and San Miguel Elementary School campuses. The project would not require tree removal.

Exempt Status: One or more of the following Categorical Exemptions are applicable to the proposed project:

Class 1 - Section 15301. Existing Facilities: Operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alterations to a public facility involving no or negligible expansion of existing or former use.

Class 2 - Section 15302. Replacement or Reconstruction: Replacement or reconstruction of structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site for substantially the same purpose.

Class 4 - Section 15304. Minor Alterations to Land: Minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation that does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

Class 11 - Section 15311. Accessory Structures: Construction or replacement of minor structures accessory to existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities including on-premise signs.

Class 14 – Section 15314. Minor Additions to Schools: Minor additions to schools within school grounds where the addition does not increase student capacity by more than 25 percent or ten classrooms.

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The proposed Multi-Campus Marquee Replacement and Improvements project would not introduce a new use onto the campuses or result in an enrollment increase. Per section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines, it has been determined the project is not located on a hazardous waste site and the project would not affect environmental resources of hazardous or critical concern, result in a significant impact due to unusual circumstances, damage scenic resources, affect an historical resource, or result in a cumulative impact. For these reasons, the project is exempt from the provisions of CEQA.

Brandt Burns

Signature of Lead Agency Representative: Brandt Burns, Director of Facilities and Operations

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