

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Smithneck Road Rehabilitation Project

Project Location – Specific:

Smithneck Road (4.5 miles) from State Highway 49 to end of pavement
south of Smithneck Creek Park

Unincorporated County area

Project Location – City: southeast of Loyalton CA

Project Location – County: Sierra

Project Description:

To enhance transportation infrastructure and to promote sustainable mobility within Sierra County for both cyclists and motorists, the proposed improvements will include both the establishment of a Class II bike lane extending south from State Highway 49 through the Sierra Brooks subdivision and the rehabilitation or reconstruction of Smithneck Road, as necessary, spanning from State Highway 49 to the end of the existing pavement.

Name of Public Agency Approving

Project: Sierra County Department of Transportation

Name of Person, Address and Phone Number

or Agency Carrying Out Project: Bryan Davey, Director of Transportation (530) 289-3201
101 Courthouse Sq., PO Box 98, Downieville CA 95936

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 15301 (Class 1)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Project is repair and minor alteration of existing public roadway involving no expansion of use. The project will rehabilitate existing pavement and widen shoulders to provide bicycle lanes.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Bryan Davey, Director of Transportation

Area

Code/Telephone: (530) 289-3201

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

4-19-2024

Title:

Director

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: