

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
County Clerk
County of: _____

From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 06
2015 East Shields Ave., Suite 100
Fresno CA 93726

Project Title: Tul 99 Emergency Pavement Repair

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:
In Tulare County, on State Route 99 at post miles 21.43, 21.92, 22.05, 22.74, and 23.21

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: TUL

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
This project will repair failed pavement by removing and resurfacing the damaged pavement with hot mix asphalt, restriping, and installing rumble strips on these bridges: 1.) S. Branch Tule River (46-0056R), 2.) Tule River Overflow #1 (46-0057R), 3.) Tule River Overflow #2 (46-0058R), 4.) N. Branch Tule River (46-0059R), and 5.) Porter Slough (46-0128). The project includes mobilization and traffic control. An emergency contract is needed to avoid the failure or threat of failure to the transportation system and to prevent or mitigate the loss or impairment of life, health, property, or essential public services.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

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

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(c); §15301
 Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reason why project is exempt:
The project would repair damaged sections of an existing highway facility involving negligible or no expansion of capacity.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: G. William "Trais" Norris, III Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 320-6045

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: *G. William "Trais" Norris, III* Date: 4/23/2024 Title: Senior Environmental Planner

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR _____
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.