

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
 County of: Modoc
 108 E. Modoc Street
 Alturas CA 96101

From: (Public Agency): County of Modoc
203 W. 4th Street
Alturas CA 96101
 (Address)

Project Title: Frontier Project 5287595

Project Applicant: Frontier Communications c/o Greg Bordelon

Project Location - Specific:

Multiple Roadways in Modoc County (see project description)

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: Modoc

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Frontier Communications proposes the installation of 14,403 feet of fiber optic cable by means of underground placement located along the following roads: Pencil Road, Wood Duck Lane, Bufflehead Drive, Jaguar Drive, Pintail Drive, Possum Lane, Pheasant Drive, Moose Lane, Red Deer Lane, Mountain Quail Lane and Mallard Lane. The Project consists primarily of repair, maintenance and minor alteration of existing public structures and facilities within an existing transportation and utility corridor.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Modoc

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Frontier Communications c/o Greg Bordelon

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, Existing Facilities & 15304, Minor Alterations to Land
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The Project qualifies for an exemption under CEQA Section 15301: Existing Facilities, Class 1. Frontier Utility Upgrade to existing facilities by adding fiber optic cable by means of underground placement and CEQA section 15304(f): Minor Alterations to Land, Class 4, where minor trenching and backfilling where the surface is restored.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Sean Curtis Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 530-233-7651

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: *Sean Curtis* Date: 23 April 24 Title: Interim Planning Director

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
 Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____