

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**From:** (Public Agency) Caltrans  
2015 E Sheilds Ave., Suite 100  
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(Address)

County Clerk  
County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Project Title: Curve Improvement on Road 416

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location—Specific:  
State Route 41 at the Road 416 T-Intersection at postmiles 23.43 to 23.55 in Madera County.

Project Location—City: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Location—County: Madera

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
The project would raise the vertical profile of Road 416 to match the grade at the State Route 41 intersection. It would include upgrading lighting, signage, striping and drainage. It would also include work on power poles, Guardrails, culverts and shoulders. Some vegetation and trees would be removed.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

- 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:  
The proposed work is a minor alteration of an existing facility, not expanding existing use.

Lead Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Area Code/Telephone/  
Contact Person: Shane Gunn Extension: 559-832-0051

- 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: Shane Gunn Digitally signed by Shane Gunn  
Date: 2024.06.25 14:38:11 -0700 Date: 6/25/2024 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

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.