

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: San Joaquin County

44 North San Joaquin Street Suite 230

Stockton, CA 95202

From: (Public Agency): City of Stockton

345 N El Dorado Street

Stockton, CA 95202

(Address)

Project Title: City of Stockton Housing Element and Safety Element Updates

Project Applicant: City of Stockton

Project Location - Specific:

City of Stockton - Citywide

Project Location - City: Stockton

Project Location - County: San Joaquin

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed project updates the Housing Element and Safety Element. The Housing Element identifies housing needs, outlines construction locations, and establishes goals, policies, and programs to meet community needs, based on the Regional Housing Needs Allocation, which comprises 12,673 units. Stockton has identified sites with adequate development capacity to accommodate these new housing units. Stockton prioritizes public safety and emergency response, with the Safety Element focusing on improving public safety and minimizing hazards risk.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Stockton

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Matt Diaz, Advanced Planning Manager

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: Section 15183
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The proposed project has undergone review in accordance with CEQA Guidelines and requirements. Per CEQA Guidelines Section 15183, the proposed project is consistent with and is covered by the City of Stockton 2040 General Plan EIR. Therefore, no additional documentation under CEQA is necessary for the proposed project.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Matt Diaz

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 937-8561

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: *Matt Diaz* Date: 7/9/2024 Title: Advanced Planning Manager

▪ 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.

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