

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
County of: El Dorado
200 Fair Ln
Placerville, CA 95557

From: (Public Agency): City of Placerville
3101 Center Street
Placerville, CA 95667

(Address)

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Project Title: Placerville Drive Pedestrian Connectivity Project

Project Applicant: City of Placerville

JANELLE K. HORNE, Recorder-Clerk
By Michelle Whitford

Project Location - Specific:

The Project is located along Placerville Drive from the United States Highway 50 (U.S. 50) westbound on ramp/Fair Lane to Armory Drive.

Project Location - City: Placerville Project Location - County: El Dorado

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed Project will address the immediate need for pedestrian connectivity and safety improvements along Placerville Drive. Currently, to traverse this portion of Placerville Drive on foot, pedestrians must either walk in the vehicle travel lanes or along the slopes outside of the roadway. The proposed improvements consist of constructing sidewalk on the one side of Placerville Drive from the U.S. 50 interchange to Armory Drive. The existing crosswalk will be relocated and upgraded with crosswalk features to increase safety. The project also includes underground utility improvements/maintenance. The proposed work will be constructed within the City's right-of-way (ROW).

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Placerville

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Placerville

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));
[checked] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 15301. Existing Facilities
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project would involve construction of new pedestrian facilities and underground utility maintenance within the City's ROW and primarily within the existing footprint of the roadway, effectively narrowing the existing roadway width. There would be no construction of additional automobile lanes or capacity. The project would not result in an exception to the categorical exemption.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Melissa McConnell Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (530) 642-5250

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: [Signature] Date: 8/27/24 Title: City Engineer

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

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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: