

FILING REQUESTED BY
County of Mendocino
Department of Transportation
340 Lake Mendocino Drive
Ukiah, CA 95482

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Project Title: 2023 HSIP Guardrail Upgrades

Project Locations:

- East Side Potter Valley Rd, CR 240, M.P.s 5.95 & 6.18
- Point Cabrillo Dr, CR 564, M.P.s 2.64 & 2.88
- Primrose Dr, CR 604, M.P. 1.60
- Comptche Ukiah Rd, CR 223, M.P. 7.30
- Vichy Springs Rd, CR 215, M.P.s 1.00 & 1.01
- Old River Rd, CR 201, M.P.s 0.18, 0.69, 1.17, 5.73, 5.92, 7.58, 8.56, & 10.08

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project will upgrade existing guardrails and end treatments at the road sections listed above, which are areas with a high probability of vehicles unintentionally exiting the roadway, resulting in injury or death. Construction activities at each road section will consist of clearing and grubbing, removing the existing guardrail (where present), drilling holes for and installing the replacement guardrail and terminal system, and pouring concrete under the new guardrail for vegetation control. All work will be entirely within the existing County right of way and will be performed during the dry season. The proposed work will not result in significant impact to sensitive cultural or biological resources.

Beneficiaries of the project are the traveling public.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Mendocino Department of Transportation

Name of Public Agency Carrying Out Project: County of Mendocino Department of Transportation

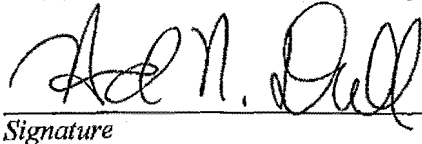
Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial [§15268]
- Declared Emergency [§21080(b)(3); 15269(a)]
- Emergency Project [§21080(b)(4); 15269(b) and (c)]
- Categorical Exemption §15301

Reasons Why Project is Exempt:

The California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Article 19, Section 15301, provides a categorical exemption for the minor alteration of existing structures or facilities, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. Example (c) in this section includes minor alterations to highways and streets that do not create additional automobile lanes.

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10/9/24
Date