Notice of Exemption

To: ☐ The Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814

☒ County Clerk
County of Santa Clara

From: City of Milpitas, Engineering Division
455 E. Calaveras Blvd.
Milpitas, CA 95035

Project Title: Milpitas Bike Lane Facilities Enhancement Project, Project No. 4299

Project Location - City: Milpitas **Project Location - County:** Santa Clara

Project Location - Specific: Abel Street, Main Street, and Milpitas Boulevard corridors.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The Project aims to enhance and expand the bicycle facilities with a complete, connected, low-stress bicycle network that facilities travel to and from major destinations in the city. These streets connect to Main Street and schools and serve key routes that cross railroad tracks and creeks.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Milpitas

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

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. Section 15302, 15303, 15304 - Replacement or Reconstruction, New Construction of Small Structures
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions.

Reasons why project is exempt: The bike lane signing and pavement marking enhancement project is exempt according to 14 CCR § 15301 – Maintenance of existing streets, sidewalks, gutters, bicycle facilities, and striping, 14 CCR § 15303 – new construction of small structures such as new bicycle lane signage on new poles into existing sidewalks, and 14 CCR § 15304 – minor alterations to land such as new bicycle lanes on existing rights-of-way.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Michael Fossati, AICP, Senior Planner, City of Milpitas
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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: _____ Date: 9/11/21 Title: Sr. Planner

X Signed by Lead Agency Date received for filing at OPR:

☐ Signed by Applicant