

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency) California Department of Transportation
District 11 – 4050 Taylor Street, MS 242
San Diego, CA 92110

County Clerk
County of: _____

Project Title: SR-56 Black Mountain Road Ramp Rehab

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation – District 11

Project Location - Specific: Westbound (WB) off ramp to Black Mountain Road on State Route (SR) 56 at postmile PM 7.737 in the City of San Diego, San Diego County.

Project Location - City: San Diego **Project Location - County:** San Diego

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

Caltrans is proposing to rehabilitate pavement on the Westbound (WB) off ramp to Black Mountain Road on State Route (SR) 56 at postmile PM 7.737 in the City of San Diego, San Diego County. This project seeks to revitalize the life of the ramp and improve drivability by addressing pavement deterioration. All work will be on the paved travel way within Caltrans right-of-way and would include cold planing the top 0.20 feet of existing asphalt concrete and replacing with 0.20 feet of rubberized hot mix asphalt along the entire width of the ramp. No ground disturbance will occur.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation – District 11

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation – District 11

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: Class 1 - (PRC 21084; 14 CCR 15300 et seq.)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 - Operation, repair, maintenance, and minor alteration of existing public structures involving negligible or no expansion of existing use.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Joshua Espinoza

Area Code/ Telephone/ Extension: 619-509-0623

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: Joshua Espinoza Date: 12/10/2024 Title: Environmental Scientist

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.