

# NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:**  Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Shasta County Clerk  
County of Shasta  
P.O. Box 990880, 1643 Market Street  
Redding, CA 96099-0880

**FROM:** City of Redding  
Public Works Department  
777 Cypress Avenue  
Redding, CA 96001

**Project Title:** Fire Station Alerting Systems Installation

**Project Location – Specific:** Fire Station 1, 1335 Shasta St.; Fire Station 2, 3491 Placer St.; Fire Station 3, 4255 Westside Rd.; Fire Station 4, 2605 South Bonnyview Rd.; Fire Station 5, 955 Hartnell Ave.; Fire Station 6, 1695 Beltline Rd.; Fire Station 7, 3772 Flight Ave.; Fire Station 8, 131 Churn Creek Rd.; Fire Headquarters, 777 Cypress Ave.

**Project Location – City:** Redding

**Project Location – County:** Shasta

**Description of Project:** The City of Redding (City) proposes to install City furnished Fire Station Alerting systems at eight fire stations and the Fire Department headquarters. Work would include installation of 1 primary dispatch system and 9 station fire alerting systems, including associated electrical wiring, cabling, speakers, controllers, and electronic displays.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** City of Redding

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Corry Vandiver, PE - Project Engineer

**Exempt Status:** *(check one)*

- Ministerial [Section 21080(b)(1); 15268]
- Declared Emergency [Section 21080(b)(3); 15269(a)]
- Emergency Project [Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)]
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number:
- Common Sense Exemption (This project does not fall within an exempt class, but it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity may have a significant effect on the environment (14 CCR 15601[b][3]).
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Sec. 15301, Existing Facilities
- No exceptions apply that would bar the use of a categorical exemption (PRD 21084 and 14 CCR 15300.2).

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Class 1 exemptions include the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing facilities, structures, or equipment involving negligible or no expansion of use. The project is the installation of a fire alerting system at the City Fire Department headquarters and stations. All work will be conducted inside the various structures. The project does not involve change of or expansion of use and is intended to improve service to the residents. Therefore, the project has no potential to have a significant effect on the environment and further environmental review is not required.

**Lead Agency Contact Person:** Amber Kelley

**Telephone:** 530.225.4046

**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:** 7-23-2024

**Title:** Environmental Compliance Manager

Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Applicant