

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research CEQAnet Web Portal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov	FROM: City of Santee (Public Agency)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County Recorder County of San Diego P.O. Box 121750 San Diego, CA 92112-1750	Address 10601 Magnolia Avenue Building 4 Santee, CA 92071

1. Project Title:	Cuyamaca Street Right Turn Pocket (CIP 2014-02)
2. Project Applicant:	City of Santee 10601 Magnolia Ave. Santee, CA 92071 (619) 258-4100
3. Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15’ or 7 1/2’ topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	Refer to Exhibit A.
4. (a) Project Location – City: Santee	(b) Project Location – County: San Diego
5. Description of nature, purpose, and beneficiaries of Project:	The project consists of constructing a right turn pocket for northbound Cuyamaca St. onto eastbound Mission Gorge Rd. Additional improvements include storm drain improvements, a storm water bio filtration basin, relocation of the traffic signal, streetlight, and privately owned billboard, reconstruction of pedestrian ramps at all corners of the intersection and reconstruction of the at-grade trolley crossing for increased pedestrian safety.
6. Name of Public Agency approving project:	City of Santee
7. Name of Person or Agency undertaking the project, including any person undertaking an activity that receives financial assistance from the Public Agency as part of the activity or the person receiving a lease, permit, license, certificate, or other entitlement of use from the Public Agency as part of the activity:	City of Santee Engineering Department: Taylor Carrico, Assistant Engineer City of Santee Planning Department: Christina Rios, Senior Planner
8. Exempt status: (check one)	
(a) <input type="checkbox"/> Ministerial project.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(1); State CEQA Guidelines § 15268)
(b) <input type="checkbox"/> Not a project.	
(c) <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Project.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(4); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(b),(c))

(d)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Categorical Exemption. State type and section number:	Section 15301(c), Existing Facilities
(e)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Declared Emergency.	(Pub. Res. Code § 21080(b)(3); State CEQA Guidelines § 15269(a))
(f)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Statutory Exemption. State Code section number:	
(g)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other. Explanation:	
9.	Reason why project was exempt:		This project is exempted under the Class 1 Categorical Exemption of CEQA Guidelines, Section 15301, Existing Facilities, because it is a maintenance related project to existing city streets. This will result in negligible or no expansion of the existing use. Additionally, the project does not have a reasonable possibility to have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances.
10.	Lead Agency Contact Person:		Christina Rios, Senior Planner
	Telephone:		619-258-4100, extension 157
11.	If filed by applicant: Attach Preliminary Exemption Assessment (Form "A") before filing.		
12.	Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
13.	Was a public hearing held by the lead agency to consider the exemption? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, the date of the public hearing was: December 11, 2024		

Signature:  _____ Date: 12/11/2024 Title: Senior Planner

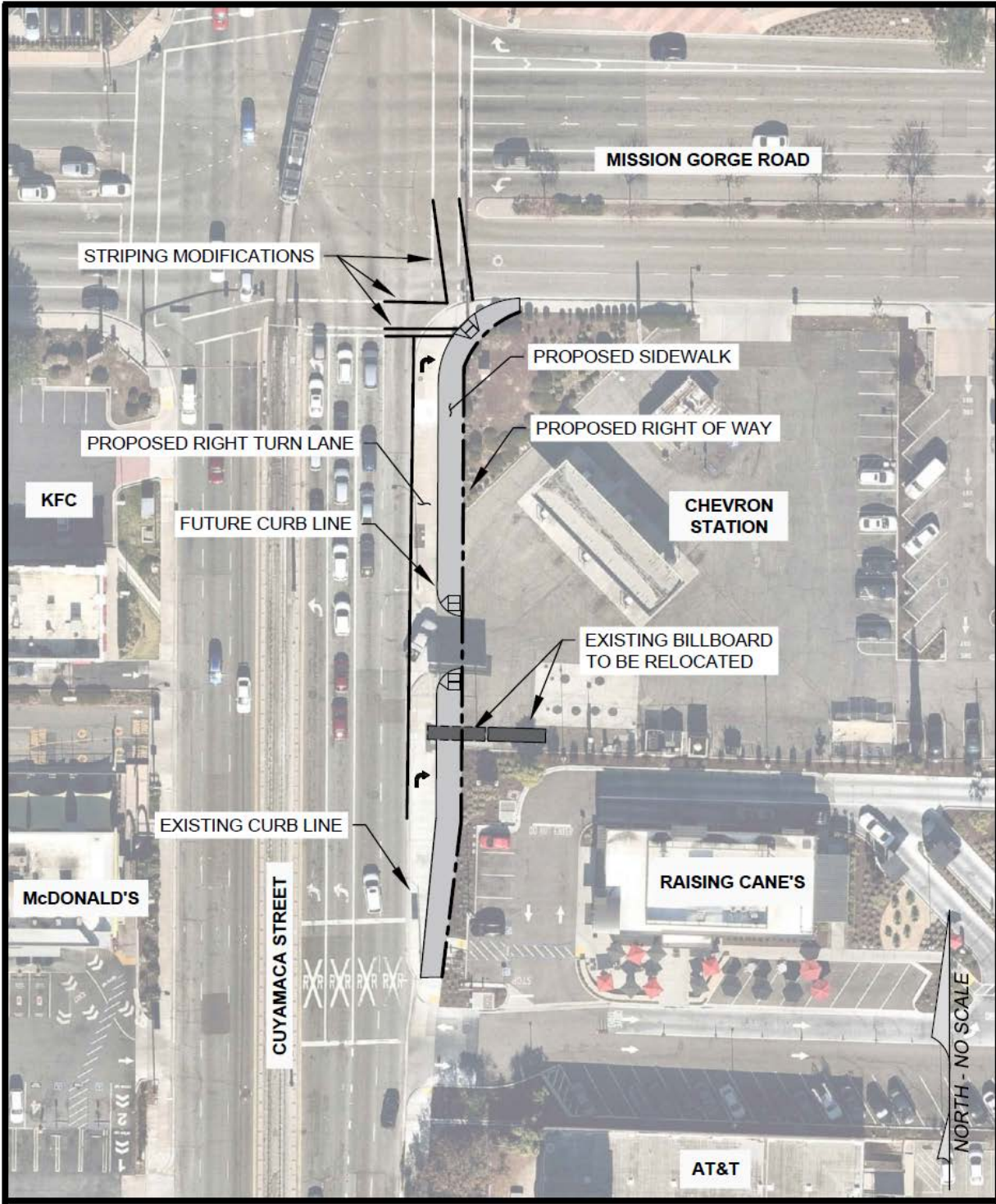
Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Date Received for Filing: _____

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Authority Cited: Sections 21083 and 21100, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Exhibit A - Project Location



SITE MAP

CUYAMACA STREET RIGHT TURN POCKET (CIP 2014-02)

MARCH 2022