



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife

**2024 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT**

DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/24) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:
39-12202024-400

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 12/20/2024
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING SAN JOAQUIN	DOCUMENT NUMBER 39-12202024-400	

PROJECT TITLE
LIBERTY ROAD IMPROVEMENTS 2025

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER 209-468-3085 MARILISSA
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 1810 EAST HAZELTON AVE	CITY STOCKTON	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 95205

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

Local Public Agency School District Other Special District State Agency Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$4,051.25 \$ _____
- Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$2,916.75 \$ _____
- Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$1,377.25 \$ _____
- Exempt from fee
 - Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
 - Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)
- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$850.00 \$ _____
- County documentary handling fee \$ _____ \$50.00
- Other \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash Credit Check Other **TOTAL RECEIVED** \$ _____ \$50.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Kelley McHugh ,Deputy
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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
CEQAnet Web Portal
<https://ceqasubmit.opr.ca.gov/>

FROM: San Joaquin County
Department of Public Works
1810 East Hazelton Avenue
Stockton, California 95205

County Clerk
County of San Joaquin California
44 North San Joaquin Street, Suite 260
Stockton, California 95202

Project Title: Liberty Road Improvements 2025

Project Location: See attached vicinity map

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries: See attached project description

Public Agency Approving Project: San Joaquin County Public Works Department

Name of Agency Carrying Out Project: San Joaquin County Public Works Department

This is to advise that the San Joaquin County Public Works Department has approved the above described project on 12/10/2024 and has made the determination that the project is exempt due to the following:

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: Existing Facilities (Sec. 15301 (c))
 Statutory Exemption (Sec. 15282(l))

Reason(s) why project is exempt: The project will repair an existing road and will not result in any major alterations to the configuration of the road. No additional vehicle travel lanes will be constructed.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Marilissa Loera, Senior Planner, (209) 468-3085

Signature:  Title: Senior Planner Date: 12/10/2024

LIBERTY ROAD IMPROVEMENTS 2025

Project Description

Project Location:

Liberty Road: Lower Sacramento Road to Dustin Road. **See attached Vicinity Map.**

Project Justification:

Original Construction Date for Liberty Road from Lower Sacramento to Dustin Road was in 1927. The original structural section was 16 feet wide with 2.5 inches of asphalt concrete (AC) over 4 inches of aggregate base (AB) and was widened to 22 feet at an unknown date.

A 2006 boring revealed 3 inches to 4.5 inches of asphalt concrete over 5.5 inches to 9 inches of aggregate base from Lower Sacramento Road to Highway 99, and it was resurfaced with 3 inches of asphalt concrete in 2010. Liberty Road from Highway 99 to Dustin Road was reconstructed 24 feet wide with 2 inches of asphalt concrete over 4 inches of aggregate base in 1967 and resurfaced with 2 inches of asphalt concrete in 1984 and then resurfaced again with 3 inches of asphalt concrete in 1999. The road has been periodically chip sealed, with its most recent chip seal in 2018 on the segment from Highway 99 to Dustin Road. The segment from Lower Sacramento Road to Highway 99 was chip sealed in 2019 by Road Maintenance.

The existing pavement consists of high amount of alligator cracking and high amounts of transverse cracks, longitudinal cracks, and edge cracking throughout the project limits.

Scope of Work:

The project will consist of:

1. Resurfacing existing roadway (24 feet wide) with 0.25 feet Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) (Type A) from Highway 99 to Dustin Road.
2. Repairing pavement structural failure areas with full depth 0.25 feet to 0.50 feet HMA (Type A).
3. Replenishing 4-foot-wide Shoulder Backing: 2 feet (8%) and 2 feet to conform.
4. Applying Penetration Treatment at all intersection radii plus 50 feet or to conform.
5. Adjusting utility and monument frames and covers.
6. Liberty Road is to be widened with 4-foot paved shoulders with a depth that matches the existing road from Lower Sacramento Road to Cherokee Lane to accommodate a Class III Bicycle Route.
7. Constructing 8-foot HMA (Type A) driveways from edge of pavement.

Environmental Setting:

In these portions of the San Joaquin County, land usage is primarily **rural with single family homes.**

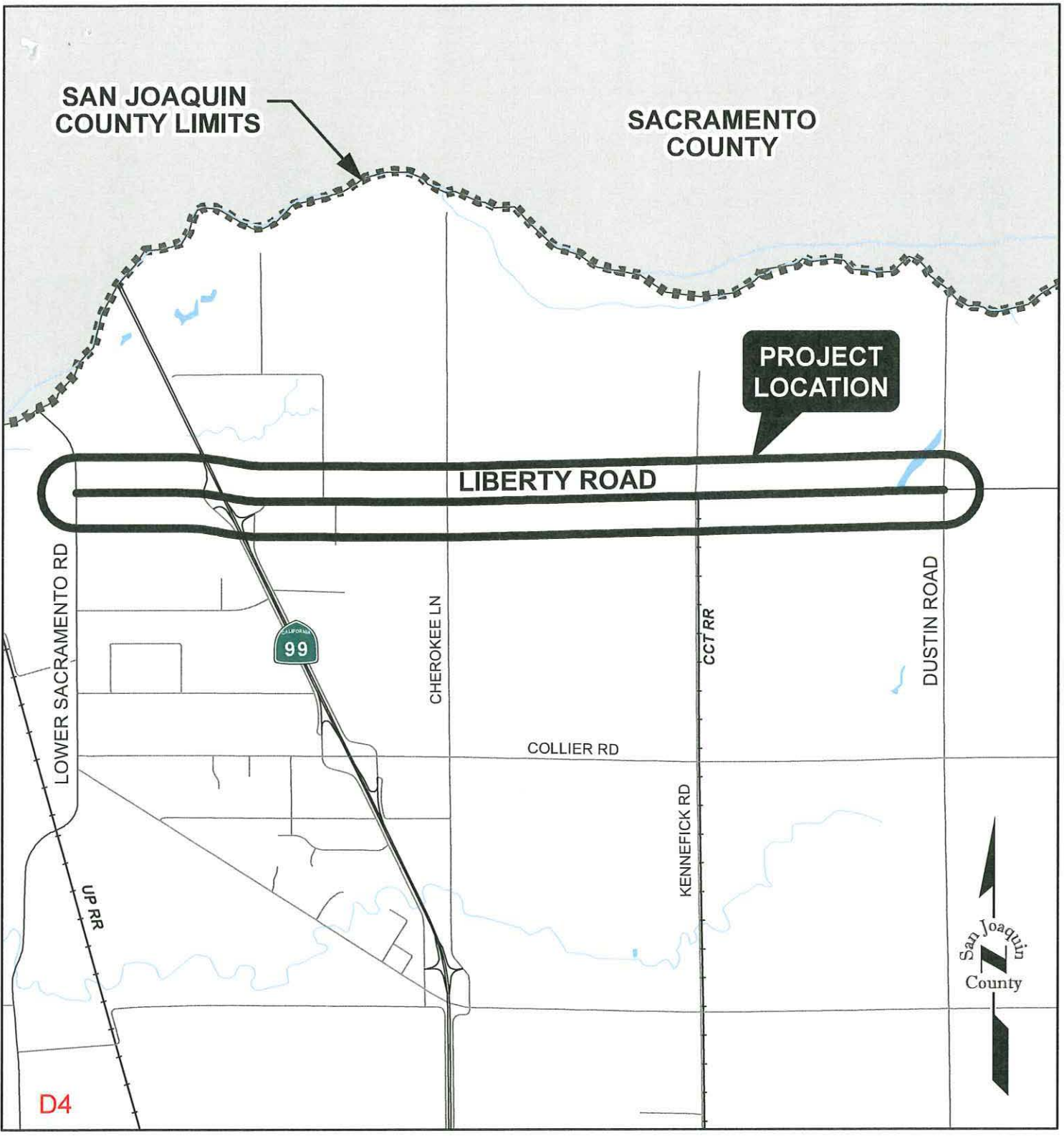
There are many large trees adjacent to the project area. Nesting and migratory birds, protected by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, may nest within these trees. Furthermore, the Swainson's Hawk, a raptor species of concern within the State of California and listed as threatened may nest adjacent to or within the project area. A pre-construction survey for nesting Swainson's Hawks and other migratory birds is recommended if construction is scheduled to occur from February 15th to September 1st.

Beneficiaries:

LIBERTY ROAD IMPROVEMENTS 2025

Project Description

The public will see increased safety and fewer hazards with this well-maintained road. Overall, there will be reduced maintenance concerns and more reliability within the project area. Likewise, the public will benefit from the addition of bicycle facilities along Liberty Road, as they can utilize for recreational purposes.



District No. 4

NO SCALE



Vicinity Map
LIBERTY ROAD
IMPROVEMENTS 2025

(Lower Sacramento Road to Dustin Road)

