

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
County of: Inyo
168 N Edwards St
Independence, CA 93526

From: (Public Agency): Inyo County Public Works
168 N Edwards St
Independence, CA 93526
(Address)

Project Title: Replace Rotating Beacon - Bishop Airport

Project Applicant: Inyo County Public Works

Project Location - Specific:

Adjacent to the parking lot at the Bishop Airport

Project Location - City: Near Bishop Project Location - County: Inyo

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

This project will replace the rotating beacon light fixture on the existing tower. The project will also install bollards between the tower and the parking lot.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inyo County

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Inyo County Public Works

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: 15301: Existing Structures
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project will replace an electrical fixture on an existing tower. The new fixture will be LED, greatly decreasing the electrical demand. Ground disturbance is limited to the installation of 4-5 bollards to protect the existing structure.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Ashley Helms Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 760-872-2971

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: Ashley Helms Digitally signed by Ashley Helms
Date: 2025.01.24 12:24:58 -08'00' Date: 1/24/2025 Title: Deputy Public Works Director

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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