

## Notice of Exemption

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**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113  
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

**From:** Caltrans, Dist. 06  
2015 East Shields Ave, Ste 100  
Fresno, CA 93726

Project Title: Maintenance Building – Sewer Line Emergency Repair

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific: Maintenance building at 1200 Olive Drive in the City of Bakersfield approximately 0.5 mile east of State Route 99 at post mile 27.9 in Kern County.

Project Location - City: Bakersfield

Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The purpose of this project is to replace a failing section of sewer mainline using an emergency contract. If repairs are not made the presence of raw sewage and odorous gasses could present a threat to the property and essential public services. Work is entirely within State owned property. This emergency project would remove and replace approximately 65 lineal feet of existing sewer main at the Caltrans Bakersfield Maintenance yard building located at 1200 Olive Drive in Bakersfield. Scope of work includes: sawcut and demolition, excavate and expose sewer main, remove and replace sewer main, backfill and compact, and patch concrete and install tiles for flooring.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

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

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 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project has been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and is considered “exempt” from CEQA under Class 1: PRC 21084; 14 CCR 15301, Existing Facilities, for maintenance repair on existing facilities.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Shane Gunn

Phone number: 559-832-0051

**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: Shane Gunn      Date: 1/27/2025      Title: Senior 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.