

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Yolo

625 Court Street, Room B01

Woodland, CA 95695

From: (Public Agency): City of West Sacramento
1110 W. Capitol Avenue
West Sacramento, CA 95691

(Address)

Project Title: Clarksburg Branch Line Trail Project

Project Applicant: City of West Sacramento

Project Location - Specific:

East of Jefferson Boulevard, west of Deep Water Channel and S. River Road.

Project Location - City: West Sacramento Project Location - County: Sacramento

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The purpose of the project is to improve trail connectivity and non-motorized mobility by paving and filling gaps in the local and regional trail system for use by pedestrians and bicyclists from surrounding communities. The project would improve approximately 2.2 miles of the existing gravel path along the former Clarksburg Branch Line Trail from which rails have been removed. A 600' segment along South River Road with a grade separated structure over South River Road also is included. Both sections of trail would connect to the newly developed Southport Levee Recreation Trail and increase usability and connectivity.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of West Sacramento

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of West Sacramento

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 (c) Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: State Public Resources Code (PRC) Section (§) 21080.25 (b)(1)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project would result in the installation of a Class I Trail that would improve existing trails and trail connectivity to enhance pedestrian and bicyclist safety, access, and mobility. The project would connect unlinked trail segments improving non-motorized travel opportunities. New trail would be installed consistent with § of 890.4 of the Streets and Highway Code and includes portions of public right-of-way.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Steven Rosen Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 617-5043

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: Steven Rosen Date: 2/27/25 Title: Associate Transportation Planner

▪ 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.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____