

## Notice of Exemption

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**Project Title:** Flock Safety Automated License Plate Reading (ALPR) Camera Installation Project

**Project Number:** N/A

**APN#:** Various Cal Trans Rights-of-Way

**Project Location:**

Location Name	Latitude	Longitude
F#001 Hwy 299 @ Pittman Totten Rd EB	41.074749258899400	-121.325565059605000
F#002 Hwy 395 @ S Fork Mtn Rd SB	41.155237164450900	-120.508619111530000
F#003 Hwy 395 @ County Ln NB	39.738126962751700	-120.038776048678000
F#004 Hwy 36 @ SR 147 EB	40.310685451756900	-121.048907287414000
F#005 Hwy 44 @ Shasta Co Line EB	40.650554033211500	-121.306334671882000
F#006 Hwy 299 E @ Bassett Rd SB	41.178475929143300	-120.964560405974000
F#007 Hwy 139 @ Modoc Co Line SB	41.178238251596100	-120.942740892145000
F#010 State Highway 36 @ Mooney Rd WB	40.315107856079700	-120.995118065761000

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** The project consists of the installation of a Flock Safety automated license plate reading (ALPR) camera to be installed on behalf of the Lassen County Sheriff's Office. The installation consists of a 13' X SQRD REDITORQUE pole with a camera and solar panel (to power the camera) mounted to the pole with minimal ground disturbance consisting of the 3" by 48" pole anchor. The purpose of the installation is to provide law enforcement with the ability to respond to detect license plates associated with criminal activity and to assist law enforcement with intercepting these vehicles. The beneficiaries of the project are both law enforcement and the public at large as this installation will serve public safety interests and help make Lassen County a safer community.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** Lassen County Sheriff's Office

**Entitlement/Action Date**

Flock Contract with Lassen County Sheriff's Office/January 8, 2025

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** Lassen County Sheriff's Office

**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: 15303(e)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

**Reasons why project is exempt:** Pursuant to Section 15303(e) of the CEQA Guidelines, New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures, this project is exempt from further CEQA Review. Section 15303(e) specifically refers to New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures including accessory structures, and the footprint of the proposed installation of the pole, camera, and solar panel is very minimal compared to the other classes of exemptions listed in Section 15303(e). As such, this project can be considered a new, small facility under Section 15303 of the CEQA Guidelines with no further CEQA review required.

**Lead Agency Contact Person**

Silas Rojas, Emergency Services Chief, Lassen County Sheriff's Office

Signature                     *Silas Rojas*                     Date 1/21/2025  
                    Lassen County Sheriff's Office