

Notice of Exemption

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From: California Department of Transportation
100 S. Main St. MS16A
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Project Title: Lumen Joint-Builder Middle-Mile Broadband Network Project

Project Applicant: Lumen Company

Project Location - Specific: LA91- PM 6.01

Project Location - City: Gardena Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

Lumen Company proposes to access existing manhole on Vermont Ave. in City of Gardena right-of-way to pull fiber optic cables for the Middle-Mile Broadband Network miles. Scope of work will require traffic control sign to be placed on Gardena Hwy (Route 91) PM 6.01 to Vermont Ave.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kennith Goden

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: _____
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: PRC 21080.51

Reasons why project is exempt:


There is no construction, excavation, trenching, or digging as a part of the project scope on Caltrans right-of-way.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Lillian Cai

Phone number: 213-312-7543

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:  Date: 05/01/2025 Title: 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.