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To Whom It May Concern,

Enclosed are two copies of the Notice of Exemption and a self-addressed stamped envelope for the State Route 50 MBGR Upgrades project (EA: 03-1H870). Please return a date stamped copy of the Notice of Exemption for our records.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Caitlin Greenwood at (530) 741-4191.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Laura Loeffler".

Laura Loeffler, Branch Chief  
North Region, Division of Environmental  
Environmental Management, M1-Branch

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**Notice of Exemption****Appendix E**

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County Clerk  
County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**From:** (Public Agency): California Dept. of Transportation  
703 B St.  
Marysville, CA 95901  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)

Project Title: State Route 50 Midwest Guardrail UpgradesProject Applicant: California Department of Transportation - D3

## Project Location - Specific:

This project takes place at various locations in Yolo county along State Route 50 between post miles 0.0 and 3.0 and on State Route 80 between post mile 9.0 and R10.7.

Project Location - City: Sacramento Project Location - County: Yolo

## Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The California Department of Transportation proposes to install new Midwest Guardrail systems at various locations by upgrading the existing guardrail to meet current standards. At some locations, guardrail will be replaced and extended to meet necessary minimum requirements.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation - D3Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California Department of Transportation - D3Exempt 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(c), section 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Reasons why project is exempt:

The operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topological features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination is exempt under CEQA Section 15301-Existing Facilities.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Laura Loeffler Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (530) 741-4592**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: Laura Loeffler Date: 9/3/19 Title: Branch Chief 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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