

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): CA Department of Transportation
1656 Union Street
Eureka, CA 95501

County Clerk

County of: _____

(Address)

Project Title: Fort Bragg ADA (EA: 01-0B220/01 1200 0110)

Project Applicant: CA Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:

City of Fort Bragg, Mendocino County, between Post Miles 59.8 and 62.1.

Project Location - City: Fort Bragg

Project Location - County: Mendocino

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed project would upgrade a section of State Route (SR) 1 to current Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards from Post Mile (PM) 59.8 through 62.1 in Mendocino County. The proposed scope of work would include installing a retaining wall, reconstructing and/or constructing curb ramps, new sidewalk, drainage inlets, culverts, and pavement markings at specified locations along SR 1. This project is proposed to address ADA deficiencies within project limits. The project is needed to comply with the 2010 ADA lawsuit settlement.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: CA Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: CA 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));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 1(c) - Existing Facilities
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

This proposed project is exempt under Class 1(c) - Existing Facilities; which identifies existing highways and streets, sidewalks, gutters, bicycle and pedestrian trails, and similar facilities (this includes road grading for the purposes of public safety) as exempt under CEQA. The proposed project would take place on an already existing highway and would be conducted to comply with a 2010 ADA lawsuit settlement.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Jennifer Gagnon Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (707) 441-5649

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: Jennifer Gagnon Date: 3/18/2020 Title: Associate Env. Planner

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Governor's Office of Planning & Research

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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