

### CEQA EXEMPTION

#### **DETERMINATION FORM (rev. 06/2022)**

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Project Name (if applicable): Three Chop Road Culvert Repair

**DIST-CO-RTE**: 01-HUM-299 **PM/PM**: 26.5/27.5

**EA**: 01-0M380 Federal-Aid Project Number:

#### **Project Description**

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) issued an Emergency Director's Order to address damage caused by a sudden and unexpected slip out/land subsidence resulting in a culvert separation on State Route (SR) 299 at Post Mile (PM) 26.5/27.5. The inspection of the drainage system revealed multiple significant separations as a result of the land movement. A 24" HDPE liner (pre-fabricated snap liner) will be inserted via the outlet. The space between the old and new liners will be sealed with concrete grout. The concrete grout will be isolated from all water until dry. Minor tree trimming may be required for equipment access during installation of the liner. The scope of work includes traffic control, vegetation removal, and culvert replacement. Work is scheduled to begin October 13, 2022 and conclude by or before October 22, 2022. The purpose of this project is to provide temporary repair to the separated culvert before the rainy season and keep the roadway safely open to the public. This project is needed immediately to prevent and mitigate the loss or impairment of life, health, property, and essential services. All proposed work is within Caltrans right of way (ROW).

Caltrans CEQA Determination (Ch	eck one)	
☐ <b>Not Applicable</b> – Caltrans is not	the CEQA Lead Agency	
☐ <b>Not Applicable</b> – Caltrans has pr	epared an IS or EIR under CEQA	
21084 and 14 CCR 15300.2)  ☐ Covered by the Common Sense exempt class, but it can be seen	[b]; 14 CCR 15260 et seq.) (PRC 21084; 14 CCR 15300 et sec uld bar the use of a categorical exe ). See the <u>SER Chapter 34</u> for exce	q.) emption (PRC eptions. t fall within an bility that the
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#### **Continuation sheet:**

#### **Environmental Considerations:**

Biological, cultural, visual, and hazardous waste and materials reviews been completed by qualified specialists. There are no significant environmental impacts associated with this project. A Notice of Applicability (NOA) for Coverage under the *Conditional Waiver* of Waste Discharge Requirements for Specific Categories of Low Threat Discharge in the North Coast Region R1-2017-0039 has been requested and approved through the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board. No additional environmental permits are required for this project.

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