

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Montague Expressway Sub-Loop (Sections 2 & 4) (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. EPIMS-SCL-13842-R3)

Project Location (include county): the Project is located in the City of Santa Clara, City of Milpitas, and City of San Jose, Santa Clara County, California. Segment 2 coordinates are 37.395427° N latitude and 121.940844° W longitude (NAD 83 or WGS 84). The Segment 2 Assessor's Parcel Number is 097-06-056. Segment 4 coordinates are 37.395416° N latitude and 121.940783° W longitude (NAD 83 or WGS 84). The Segment 4 Assessor's Parcel Number is 237-19-042.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number EPIMS-SCL-13842-R3, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, Bandwidth IG.

The Project is limited to installation of fiber optic conduits through use of horizontal directional drilling methods. Segment 2 will cross under Guadalupe River along the south side of Montague Expressway and Segment 4 will cross under Coyote Creek along the south side of Montague Expressway.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Bandwidth IG

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type –Class (3); California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15303 (d)

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project includes construction of new utility extension of reasonable length.

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