

**Notice of Exemption**

**Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814  
County Clerk  
County of: San Joaquin  
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From: (Public Agency) Caltrans, Dist. 10  
1976 E. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.  
Stockton CA 95205

Project Title: 1Q200: Emergency Pavement Failure Repair

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific:  
The project is located on Interstate (I) 5 between post miles (PM) 49.0 and 49.3, in San Joaquin (SJ) County.

Project Location - City: Thornton Project Location - County: SJ

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
Caltrans proposes an emergency project to correct failed pavement on northbound I-5 at PM 49.0/49.3 in SJ County. Lane two has settled approximately 4" due to base failure underneath the concrete panels. The entire structural section of the damaged lane will be removed and replaced. The adjacent shoulder will also be replaced with hot mix asphalt. The purpose of the project is to immediately correct the collapsing pavement section. The differential settlement between the two lanes poses a potential hazard to the traveling public.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: California 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));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Existing Facilities section 15301
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason why project is exempt:

Project will not affect any sensitive resources or their habitat, any cultural resources, or any other environmentally sensitive resources.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Elizabeth Hummel Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 209-948-3825

**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: Elizabeth Hummel Date: 07/19/2022 Title: Associate Environmental Planner

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 \_\_\_\_\_