

Notice of Determination

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Lead Agency (if different from above): _____
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Contact: _____
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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2023040596

Project Title: Alameda CTC Rail Safety Enhancement Program - Phase A, San Leandro

Project Applicant: Alameda County Transportation Commission

Project Location (include county): City of San Leandro, City of Hayward, and Unincorporated Alameda County, California

Project Description: The project proposes safety improvements to several existing at-grade rail crossings: three in the City of San Leandro, one in unincorporated Alameda County, and four in the City of Hayward, California. The improvements are designed to increase safety for motorists and pedestrians. Site conditions vary between crossings. The Hesperian Boulevard, Lewelling Boulevard, Industrial Parkway crossings take place on major arterials while the rest of the crossings are located on one- or two-lane streets. Each crossing location is paved and surrounded by walls or fencing. Safety improvements at the crossings include installation of new security gates/fencing, medians, pavement markings, and roadside signals. Additional improvements include Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) detectable pavers, "No Trespassing" signs, and installation of new sidewalks.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) for this project was considered and approved by the governing body of the lead agency (the Commission) at its meeting on June 22, 2023. At the Commission's meeting of June 26, 2025, the Commission approved the award of a contract to WSP USA Inc. for this project (and related projects also part of the Rail Safety Enhancement Program), and authorized its Executive Director or designee to execute such contract, thus fully committing the lead agency to carrying out the project. The Commission considered the previously approved MND for this project when acting to approve the award of this contract.

This is to advise that the Alameda County Transportation Commission (☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency) has approved the above described project on June 22, 2023 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project.

1. The project [☐ will ☒ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☐ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

☒ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations [☐ was ☒ was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [☒ were ☐ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the Negative Declaration, is available to the general public at:

https://www.alamedactc.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/SanLeandro_Hayward_MND.pdf

Signature (Public Agency):  Title: Director of Project Delivery and Construction
Date: 8/12/25 Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.