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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

1/2/2024

PROJECT TITLE: Theda Street Sidewalk Project

Work Order# ZD20110 Task Code #Z1530

PROJECT SPONSOR: County of Riverside Transportation Department

PROJECT LOCATION: Community of Good Hope

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The County of Riverside Transportation Department is proposing to construct approximately 1,267 linear feet of concrete sidewalk along the east side of Theda Street between Ellis Ave and Mountain Ave. Theda Street is currently a two-lane street with one northbound and southbound lane, each lane approximately 20 feet wide. There are existing dirt shoulders on both sides of the Theda Street.

The project will include the following:

- Installation of concrete sidewalk
- Installation of curb, gutter, asphalt concrete pavement, signs, and markings
- Relocation of utility poles
- ADA complaint curb ramps

ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS:

The proposed project will acquire right-of-way. Temporary construction easements will be required for the proposed improvements.

This project is subject to compliance with the Western Riverside County MSHCP. In accordance with Section 7 of the Western Riverside County MSHCP, necessary operation and maintenance along existing roadways are considered a covered activity outside/inside of cell criteria area/conservation areas. This project is considered to be operation and maintenance; therefore, it is a covered activity under the Western Riverside County MSHCP.

If tree and/or vegetation removal takes place during the migratory bird breeding season (February 1 – September 1), a preconstruction nesting survey will be conducted pursuant to the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.

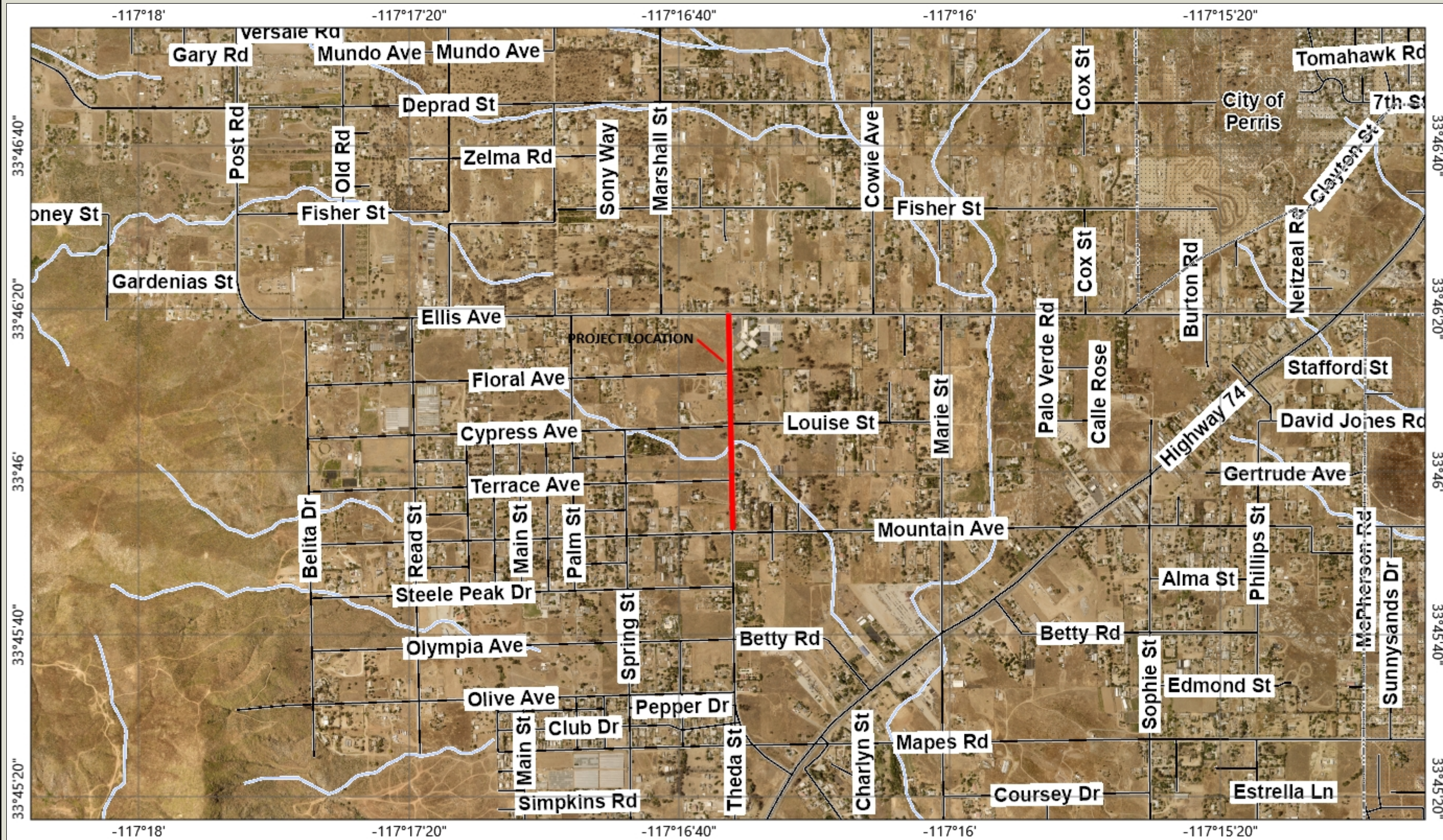
The County of Riverside Transportation Department has found that the above-described project is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), based on the following:

Section 15301 (c) – Existing Facilities – The project proposes to construct approximately 1,267 linear feet of concrete sidewalk along the east side of Theda Street between Ellis Ave and Mountain Ave. The project in its entirety is consistent with Section 15301(c) because it does not create additional traffic lanes and involves no expansion of use of the existing roadway and associated facilities.

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Theda Street Sidewalk Project



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0 1,505 3,009 Feet

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