

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044
County Clerk
County of: Kern
1115 Truxtun Avenue, 1st Floor
Bakersfield, CA 93301

From: (Public Agency): City of Tehachapi
115 S. Robinson Street
Tehachapi, CA 93561
(Address)

Project Title: Tucker and Highline Roundabout (R24114)

Project Applicant: City of Tehachapi

Project Location - Specific:

Intersection of Highline Road and Tucker Road, Tehachapi, CA

Project Location - City: Tehachapi Project Location - County: Kern

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Replace an existing all-way stop-controlled intersection of Tucker Road and Highline Road in the City of Tehachapi with a single-lane, yield-controlled round-a-bout. The round-a-bout would include high-visibility crosswalks, street lighting and other necessary intersection improvements. It will provide traffic mitigation, especially during high traffic times of day as well as safer routes to schools and retail areas for the residents of Tehachapi.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Tehachapi

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Andrew Norton, P.E.

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: 15301(c)
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Andrew Norton Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 661-822-2200, ext. 131

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: [Signature] Date: 6/5/25 Title: City Engineer

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: