

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
County of: Santa Cruz CA
701 Ocean Street
Santa Cruz CA 95060

From: (Public Agency): City of Santa Cruz
809 Center Street
Santa Cruz CA 95060

(Address)

Project Title: Pacific-Beach Roundabout Enhancements Project (c402507)

Project Applicant: City of Santa Cruz

Project Location - Specific:

Intersection of Pacific Avenue and Beach Streets in the City of Santa Cruz

Project Location - City: Santa Cruz Project Location - County: Santa Cruz

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The purpose of the Pacific-Beach Roundabout Improvement project (c402507) is to provide a new bike lane crossing of the railroad tracks at the northeast corner of the roundabout. The new northbound bike lane will provide a near perpendicular crossing of the railroad tracks, which is the recommended crossing method. It includes modifications to the sidewalk, streetlights, street grade, storm drain and retaining wall

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Santa Cruz

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Santa Cruz

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 Existing facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____


Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is determined to be exempt from further environmental review based on the existing facilities Categorical Exemption in CEQA Guidelines 14 CCR section 15301 (Class 1 categorical exemption for existing facilities).

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Matt Starkey Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 8314205182

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:  Date: 5/29/2025 Title: Principal 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: _____