

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: San Joaquin

44 North San Joaquin St, Suite 260

Stockton, Ca 95202

From: (Public Agency): City of Manteca

1001 West Center Street

Manteca, Ca 95337

(Address)

Project Title: Woodward Community Park - Splash Pad and Improvements

Project Applicant: City of Manteca

Project Location - Specific:

Woodward Community Park near the center of the park southwest of the existing restroom building

Project Location - City: Manteca

Project Location - County: San Joaquin

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project: The proposed improvements are within the Woodward Community Park and is intended to enhance the recreation experiences and promote community engagement. Scope of work is to install a splash pad, along with various park improvements, such as replacement of the existing restroom building with a new premanufactured restroom building, a new pump equipment building, upgraded landscaping, enhanced seating areas, improved walkways, and accessible amenities to ensure the space is welcoming and inclusive for all visitors.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Manteca

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Michael Rosales, Park Planning and Development Manager

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: Article 19, Section 15301 (e)

☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of modify existing facilities. Article 19, Section 15301 (e).

Lead Agency


Contact Person: Michael Rosales, RLA 5489

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (209) 456-8615

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: 1.15.25 Title: Park Planning and Development Manager

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.

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Steve J. Bestolarides
San Joaquin County Clerk

RESOLUTION R2025-11

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANTECA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, APPROVING PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE WOODWARD PARK SPLASH PAD AND IMPROVEMENTS (CIP 24086), APPROVING THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA) NOTICE OF EXEMPTION DETERMINATION, AUTHORIZING A CALL FOR BIDS, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO TAKE ALL APPROPRIATE ACTIONS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSE AND INTENT OF THE RESOLUTION (EXEMPT FROM CEQA PURSUANT TO 14 CAL. CODE REG. § 15301(E))

WHEREAS, Plans, Specifications and Estimates for the Woodward Park Splash Pad and Improvements Capital Improvement Program Project (CIP 24086) are complete and available for review in the Park Operations Office; and

WHEREAS, In addition to the splash pad, the project will include various park improvements, such as new premanufactured restroom building, new pump equipment building, upgraded landscaping, enhanced seating areas, improved walkways, with an alternate to add shade canopies.

WHEREAS, staff has reviewed and determined that the project is Categorically Exempt under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) based on 14 Cal. Code Regs. Section 15301(e), Class 1 "Existing Facilities"; and

WHEREAS, a Notice of Exemption will be filed with the San Joaquin County Clerk/Recorder and the State Clearinghouse for the Project pursuant to 14 Cal. Code Regs. § 15094; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered all information related to this matter, as presented at the public meetings of the City Council identified herein, including any supporting reports by City Staff, and any information provided during public meetings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Manteca, as follows:

1. The City Council hereby finds that the facts set forth in the recitals to this Resolution are true and correct, and establish the factual basis for the City Council's adoption of this Resolution.
2. The City Council hereby approves the Plans, Specifications and Estimate for the Woodward Park Splash Pad and Improvements Capital Improvement Program Project (CIP 24086)

3. The City Council hereby approves the California Environmental Quality Act Notice of Exemption determination for the Project.
4. The City Council hereby accepts the Invitation to Bid for the Woodward Park Splash Pad and Improvements Capital Improvement Program Project (CIP 24086) and hereby instructs the City Clerk to sign same.
5. The City Council hereby directs the City Manager or designee to record the Notice of Exemption with the San Joaquin County Clerk/Recorder and transmit it to all required state and local agencies, and complete and execute all associated documents, to take all appropriate actions necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the resolution.
6. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Manteca at a public meeting of said City Council held on the 4th day of February, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES: Breitenbucher, Halford, Lackey, Morowit, Singh

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

MAYOR: _____



GARY SINGH
Mayor

ATTEST: _____



CASSANDRA CANDINI-TILTON
City Clerk