State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife

2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT

DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

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RECEIPT NUMBER:
24-07/15/2025-0005

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER *(If applicable)*

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LEAD AGENCY	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE
MERCED COUNTY DPW		07/15/2025

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING	DOCUMENT NUMBER
MERCED COUNTY	2025-EIR-084

PROJECT TITLE

MERCED COUNTY DPW

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER
FY 2025/2026 MERCED COUNTY SB1 ROAD REHABILITATION PROJECTS		(209) 385-7601

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
715 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR WAY	MERCED	CA	95340

PROJECT APPLICANT *(Check appropriate box)*

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	$ 4,123.50	$
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	$ 2,968.75	$
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	$ 1,401.75	$

☒ Exempt from fee

- ☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)
- ☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	$ 850.00	$
☒ County documentary handling fee	$ 50.00	$ 50.00
☐ Other		$

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☐ Check ☒ Other **TOTAL RECEIVED** $ 50.00

SIGNATURE	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE
X Lea Z Holguin	Lea Holguin Deputy Clerk

ORIGINAL - PROJECT APPLICANT | COPY - CDFW/ASB | COPY - LEAD AGENCY | COPY - COUNTY CLERK | DFW 753.5a (Rev. 01012025)

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: Merced
2222 M Street
Merced, CA 95340

From: (Public Agency): Merced County DPW
715 Martin Luther King Jr. Way
Merced, CA 95340
(Address)

2025-EIR-084

FILED
July 15, 2025
MATT H. MAY
COUNTY CLERK
By _____
Deputy Clerk

Project Title: FY 2025/2026 Merced County SB1 Road Rehabilitation Projects

Project Applicant: Merced County Department of Public Works

Project Location - Specific:
Hatch Road (Merced City Limits to Cardella Road), Quinley Avenue (Oak Avenue to Brooks Road), Liberty Avenue (Arena Way to Central Avenue), Delta Road (SR152 to Henry Miller Avenue), Charleston Road (Center Avenue to Jersey Road)

Project Location - City: _____ Project Location - County: Merced

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
These projects consist of placing an asphalt overlay and reconstructing SB 1 funded roads through out unincorporated areas of Merced County. These projects will improve safety, accessibility and travel for roadway users.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Merced County

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Merced County Department of Public Works

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: Section 15301, Class 1(c)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
Pursuant to Section 15301, Class 1(c) (maintenance of existing public facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use): Projects consist of overlaying and reconstructing existing County roadways and involves no expansion of the existing use. These projects will improve public safety. No right-of-way is required.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Alvaro Buenrostro Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 209.385.7601

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: 07/02/2025 Title: Supervising 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: _____