

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: 500 South Main Street
Bishop CA. 93514

Project Title: SR 158 Driveway Encroachment Permit (APN No. 016-191-005)

Project Applicant: Marisa Gierlich

Project Location - Specific: State Route 158 Post Mile 4.51

Project Location - City: June Lake Project Location - County: Mono

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The California Department of Transportation proposes to issue an encroachment permit (Permit No. 09-25-6-RM-0184) for the reconstruction of two entrance/exit driveways that lead to State Route 158 in Mono County, CA at Post Mile 4.51.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Dept of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Marisa Gierlich

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(d) Class 1
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is exempt under Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) of the CEQA Guidelines because it involves the reconstruction of two existing driveways within the State Route 158 right-of-way with no expansion of use. The project will not result in significant environmental effects, impacts to sensitive resources.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Heather Elder Phone number: 760-874-8320

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: *Stephen Pfeiler* Date: 8/22/2025 Title: Environmental Branch Chief

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.