

**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: Placer  
2954 Richardson Drive  
Auburn, CA 95603

**From:** (Public Agency): County of Placer  
Department of Public Works  
3091 County Center Dr., Ste 220, Auburn CA 95603  
(Address)

Project Title: HSIP Cycle 12 - High Friction Surface Treatment

Project Applicant: Placer County Department of Public Work

Project Location - Specific:  
Auburn Folsom Road, Barton Road, Dry Creek Road, Horseshoe Bar Road, Humphrey Road, Joeger Road, Riosa Road, Mt Vernon Road, McCourtney Road

Project Location - City: Various Project Location - County: Placer

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:  
Placer County, in order to reduce high-severity collisions along roadways, is applying high friction surface treatments along abrupt horizontal curves on several roadways primarily in the areas of north Auburn, Granite Bay, and Lincoln.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Placer County, Department of Public Works

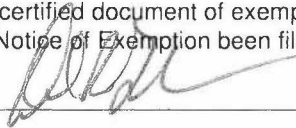
Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Placer County, Department of Public Works

- 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: Class 1, Sect. 15301 (c) Existing Facilities
  - Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:  
Class 1 consists of the ..., repair, maintenance, ..., or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination. - (c) Existing highways and streets, ..., ..., bicycle and pedestrian trails, and similar facilities (this includes road grading for the purpose of public safety)

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: Kyle Friedrich Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 530-745-7522

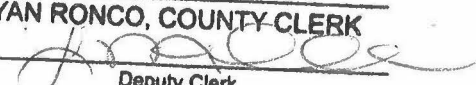
- If filed by applicant:**
1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
  2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes  No

Signature:  Date: 09/10/2025 Title: Derek Gade, Director

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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RYAN RONCO, COUNTY CLERK  
By   
Deputy Clerk