

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
County of Fresno

From: Caltrans District 6
1352 W. Olive Ave.
Fresno, CA 93728

Project Title: Repair, Replace, Reline and Clean Culverts

Project Applicant: Caltrans District 6

Project Location - Specific: On State Route 168 at various locations in Prather, Shaver Lake, Pine Ridge, Tollhouse.

Project Location - City: Prather, Shaver Lake, Pine Ridge, Tollhouse Project Location - County: Fresno

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project is located on State Route 168 in Fresno County. The proposed work includes replacing, repairing, relining, and cleaning culverts. Some locations may require repair and installation of culvert end treatments. Soil disturbance is expected to be minimal for liner replacements. All work to occur in the Caltrans right of way.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans District 6

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans District 6

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, Class 1c
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Routine maintenance on existing facilities.


Lead Agency Contact Person: Pedram Mafi

Phone number: 559-981-7400

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: 9/12/25 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist Supervisor

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.