

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk

County of: Santa Cruz

Governmental Center, 701 Ocean Street

Santa Cruz CA 95060

From: (Public Agency): City of Santa Cruz
Public Works Department, 809 Center Street,
Room 201, Santa Cruz CA 95060

(Address)

Project Title: Citywide Intersection Daylighting Improvements

Project Applicant: City of Santa Cruz

Project Location - Specific:

Various locations

Project Location - City: Santa Cruz Project Location - County: Santa Cruz

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Bike and pedestrian safety improvements will occur at approx. 88 intersection locations throughout the City of Santa Cruz. Majority of the project consists of striping, painting of curbs and post daylighting. At approx. nine locations, construction will include curb ramps, bulb-outs and similar pedestrian crossing features. The purpose of this project is to improve public safety by enhancing visibility at applicable intersections. The project is needed to comply with CA AB 413. All work will be in City right-of-way.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Santa Cruz

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Santa Cruz

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 Part C
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project is a minor alteration to existing public facilities.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Amelia Conlen Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 831-420-5423

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: 12/15/2025 Title: TRANSPORTATION PLANNER

■ 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: _____