

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
County of San Mateo

From: Caltrans District 4 Office of Maintenance Environmental
111 Grand Ave
Oakland, CA 94612

Project Title: SR-35/SR-84 Safety Enhancements Project (EA 3X800)

Project Applicant: Caltrans

Project Location - Specific: The project is located at the junction of SR-35 and SR-84 in the City of Woodside, San Mateo County from post mile (PM) 10.487 to 10.766 on SR-35 and from PM 14.894 to 14.957 on SR-84.

Project Location - City: Woodside

Project Location - County: San Mateo

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

Caltrans proposes installing stop signs, flashing beacons, and several other traffic and warning signs at the junction of SR-35 and SR-84 in the City of Woodside, San Mateo County. The project will also remove, relocate, and add pavement markings such as crosswalk ladders, yield lines, and arrows. Some vegetation trimming and cleaning and grubbing will be required in areas where the vegetation is blocking existing signage. Some project elements will occur off the paved roadway. One-way traffic control will be required during construction. All work shall remain within Caltrans right of way (ROW) and equipment shall be staged within Caltrans ROW in areas absent of vegetation.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Caltrans

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Caltrans

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: PRC 21084; 14 CCR 15301 Class 1
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 Existing Facilities. The project is not anticipated to result in any environmental impacts. The project contains a number of standardized project measures which are employed on most, if not all, Caltrans projects and were not developed in response to any specific environmental impacts resulting from the project.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Juliane Smith

Phone number: (510) 926-0426

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: Juliane Smith Date: 12/24/25

Title: Senior Environmental Scientist (NEPA/CEQA Specialist)

☒ 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.