

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): City of Fresno - PARCS Dept
1515 Divisadero Street
Fresno, CA 93721-3604

County Clerk
County of: Fresno

(Address)

Project Title: McKinley Peace Garden

Project Applicant: City of Fresno - Parks, After School, Recreation and Community Services Department

Project Location - Specific:
2743 East McKinley Avenue, Fresno, CA 93703

Project Location - City: City of Fresno Project Location - County: County of Fresno

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The City of Fresno and the California Department of California are entering into a maintenance agreement and art maintenance agreement for a community garden project.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Fresno

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Fresno - PARCS Department

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/CEQA Guidelines §15301
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The proposed project is categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA because the project does not involve new construction, ground disturbance, or increased capacity beyond existing facilities and previously approved operations. Accordingly, the project will not have a significant impact on the environment, as it involves minor repairs of the existing McKinley Community Garden facility with negligible or no expansion of the existing use.

Furthermore, staff has determined that none of the exceptions to Categorical Exemptions set forth in the CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 apply to this project.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Elizabeth Fraire Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 621-2988

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: [Signature] Date: 02/05/2020 Title: PARCS Director

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: