

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: City of Santa Rosa
69 Stony Circle
Santa Rosa, CA 95401

County Clerk
County of Sonoma
585 Fiscal Drive, Room 103
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Project Title: N Dutton Ave Restriping

Project Applicant: City of Santa Rosa, Transportation and Public Works Department

Project Location – Specific: N Dutton Ave from W College Ave to W 3rd St

Project Description: The scope of the project will consist of a lane diet, addition of a protected/buffered bike lane, addition of crosswalks, and restriping.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: CITY OF SANTA ROSA

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Felicia Ong, (707) 543-3864

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(C)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: Insert Number

Reasons why project is exempt: The project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15301(c) (Class 1 – Existing Facilities), which applies to the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing highways and streets involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. The project consists of restriping and reconfiguration of travel lanes within the existing roadway right-of-way, including a lane diet, protected/buffered bicycle lanes, and crosswalk improvements. The project does not widen the roadway, extend infrastructure, or increase vehicular capacity and represents a minor alteration of an existing public facility.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Kristinae Toomians, 707-543-4692

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: Kristinae Toomians Date: 01/30/2026 Title: Environmental Coordinator

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant