

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
County of: Napa
1127 1st St., Suite A
Napa, CA 94559

From: (Public Agency): St Helena Unified School District
465 Main St.
St Helena, CA 94574

(Address)

Project Title: St Helena Bus Yard Gate Replacement Project

Project Applicant: St Helena Unified School District

Project Location - Specific:

1401 Grayson Ave, St Helena, CA 94574

Project Location - City: St Helena Project Location - County: Napa

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project would consist of removal of the existing bus yard gate and replacing it with a wider gate (30'). This would entail removal and reconstruction of part of a concrete block wall and repaving/ restriping areas of the bus yard. Beneficiaries would be students and staff in the District.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: St Helena Unified School District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: St Helena Unified School District

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; Section 15301
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 15061(b)

Reasons why project is exempt:


The proposed gate replacement would qualify for the exemption as "repair and maintenance" and "minor alterations of an existing facility" as described in Section 15301. There is no possibility of a significant impact, consistent with the exemption parameters established under Guidelines Section 15061(b).

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Kay Vang, CBO Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (707) 967-2708

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: 4/17/2026 Title: CBO

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: _____