

## CEQA Notice of Exemption

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Exemption Number: CE-25-143

Project Title (Application Number): Mobile Food Facility Ordinance (Case No. 2509-14)

Project Location – Specific: Citywide

Project Location – City/County: **City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California**

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

A Zoning Code Amendment (ZCA25-002) and Local Coastal Program Amendment (LCPA25-002) to amend Title 21 of the Zoning Regulations and Title 22 of the Transitional Zoning Regulations related to the definition of mobile food facilities (i.e. mobile food trucks) and their operation on private property. The changes to the zoning regulations will support proposed changes to Title 5 and Title 8 of the Long Beach Municipal Code. (Citywide)

Public Agency Approving Project: **City of Long Beach, California**

Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Long Beach, Department of Community Development

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: \_\_\_\_\_
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: 15304, 15311

Reasons why project is exempt:

A series of operating standards ensure that these temporary uses of land will not result in a significant effect on the environment. Location requirements have been drafted to ensure compatibility with surrounding commercial uses. Additionally, a MFF cannot operate on a site listed on the Cortese List (Government Code § 65962.5). A noise and air quality technical memorandum was prepared to ensure that the operating standards in the ordinance follow the Noise Ordinance and air quality thresholds. Additional provisions related to lighting, trash collection, and prohibition of amplified music reduce the potential for MFFs to result in impacts on surrounding uses. Therefore, per Section 15304 and 15311 of the State CEQA Guidelines, it can be seen with certainty that the subject ordinance to regulate uses that are minor temporary uses of land would not have the potential for having a significant effect upon the environment.

### Lead Agency

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