

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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LEAD AGENCY:

CITY OF EASTVALE
12363 Limonite Avenue, Suite 910
Eastvale, CA 91752

PROJECT CASE NO: CIP-93040

PROJECT TITLE: Hamner Utility Trench Repair

PROJECT APPLICANT: Public Works Department, City of Eastvale

PROJECT LOCATION: Hamner Avenue (from Schleisman Road to Riverboat Drive)

CITY: Eastvale

COUNTY: Riverside

APN(s): N/A (Public Right-of-way)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Rehabilitation of an existing utility trench. Scope includes removal of failed asphalt and excavation of storm drain backfill to resolve subsidence and moisture-related issues. To restore the roadway surface, a new section will be installed which will include crushed aggregate base and rubberized hot mix asphalt. Throughout construction, the project will adhere to safety and environmental protocols, including traffic control, erosion mitigation, and dust suppression measures.

AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT: City of Eastvale, City Council

NAME OF PERSON OR AGENCY CARRYING OUT PROJECT: Brain Sandona, Principal Engineer

The project or activity identified above is determined to be exempt from further environmental review requirements contained in the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

EXEMPT STATUS:

- 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 no: Class 1: Existing Facilities. (Section 15301)
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

REASONS TO SUPPORT EXEMPTION FINDING (attach if needed):

Pursuant to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA Public Resources Code, Section 21083 et. Seq.), this project meets the criteria for a Categorical Exemption under Section 15301 (Class 1 – Existing Facilities) of the CEQA Guidelines in that the proposed project involves negligible or no expansion of use consistent with the criteria set forth in Section 15301. Utility trench rehabilitation and restoration of roadway surfaces does not alter the existing public street nor does it add additional vehicular travel lanes; therefore qualifies for a Class 1 (Existing Facilities) exemption and no further environmental review is required pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15301.

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SIGNATURE:  **DATE:** 5/14/2026 **TITLE:** City Planner