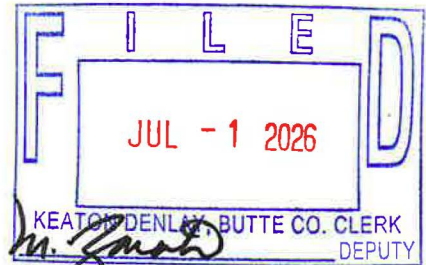


NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: ☒ Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

For Clerk Use Only

☒ County Clerk
County of Butte
155 Nelson Ave
Oroville, CA 95965



FROM: City of Chico, Public Works Department
P. O. Box 3420
Chico, CA 95927
(530) 879-6900

DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING

Posted: _____ through _____
(date) (date)

Project Title: 2027 Pavement Preservation (Capital Project No. 50634)

Project Location – General: Chico, Butte County, CA

Project Location - Specific: Various streets between East Avenue and Manzanita Avenue, and North Avenue and Ceanothus Avenue (see attached map)

Description of Project: The Project consists of pavement preservation treatments including cape seal, slurry seal, and mill and asphalt overlay on various streets within the project limits. Additionally, approximately 8 curb ramps will be rehabilitated.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Chico

Name of Person Carrying Out Project: Brendan Ottoboni – Director of Public Works – Engineering

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- ☐ Ministerial
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a);
- ☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c);
- ☒ Categorical Exemption: Class 1, Section 15301(c) Existing Facilities
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions.

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The project involves improvements to public facilities. The project involves no increase in capacity. The project area has been previously disturbed and includes existing roadway surfaces in need of treatment/rehabilitation. There are no unusual circumstances leading to a reasonable possibility that significant environmental impacts will result from the project. Therefore, the City finds that the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) in accordance with CEQA Section 15301 (c).

Lead Agency Contact: Tracy R. Bettencourt, AICP

Area Code/Telephone: (530) 879-6903

Signature: Tracy R. Bettencourt Date: 6/29/26 Title: Senior Planner
for: Brendan Vieg, Community Development Director

DECLARATION OF FEES DUE
(California Fish and Game Code Section 711.4)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF LEAD AGENCY/APPLICANT:

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CLASSIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT:

1. **NOTICE OF EXEMPTION/STATEMENT OF EXEMPTION**
☒ **A. Statutorily or Categorically Exempt**
\$50.00 (Fifty Dollars) Butte County Clerk's Filing Fee

2. **NOTICE OF DETERMINATION - FEE REQUIRED (2026)**
☐ **A. Negative Declaration**
\$3,043.75 State Filing Fee
\$50.00 Butte County Clerk's Filing Fee
☐ **B. Environmental Impact Report**
\$4,227.50 State Filing Fee
\$50.00 Butte County Clerk's Filing Fee

3. ☐ **OTHER (Specify) General Rule Exemption**
\$50.00 Butte County Clerk's Filing Fee

THREE COPIES OF THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED WITH ALL ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS FILED WITH THE BUTTE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

ALL APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING ANY ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTS WITH THE BUTTE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

THE \$50.00 HANDLING FEE IS REQUIRED PER FILING IN ADDITION TO THE FILING FEE SPECIFIED IN FISH AND GAME CODE SECTION 711.4(d).

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO COUNTY OF BUTTE.

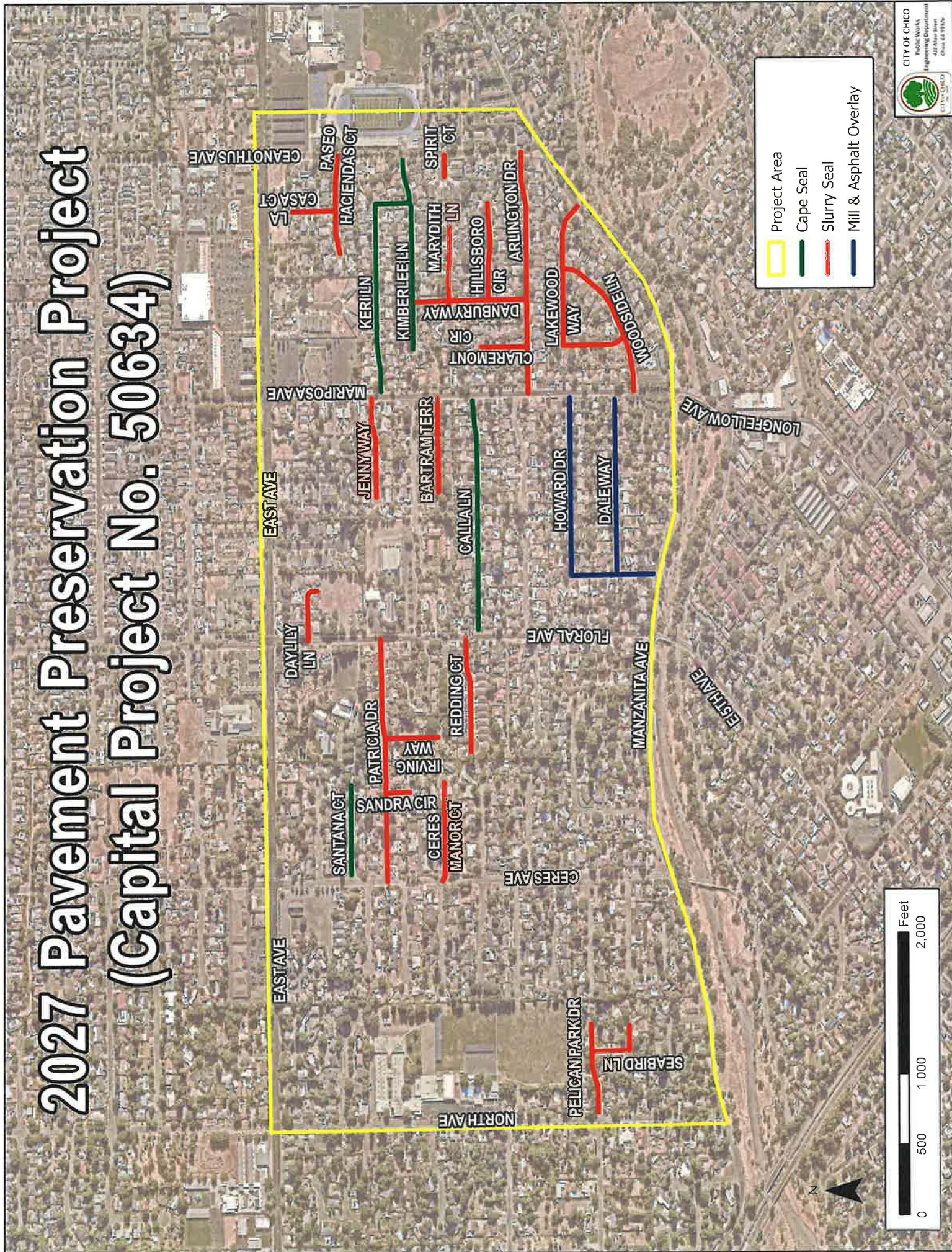
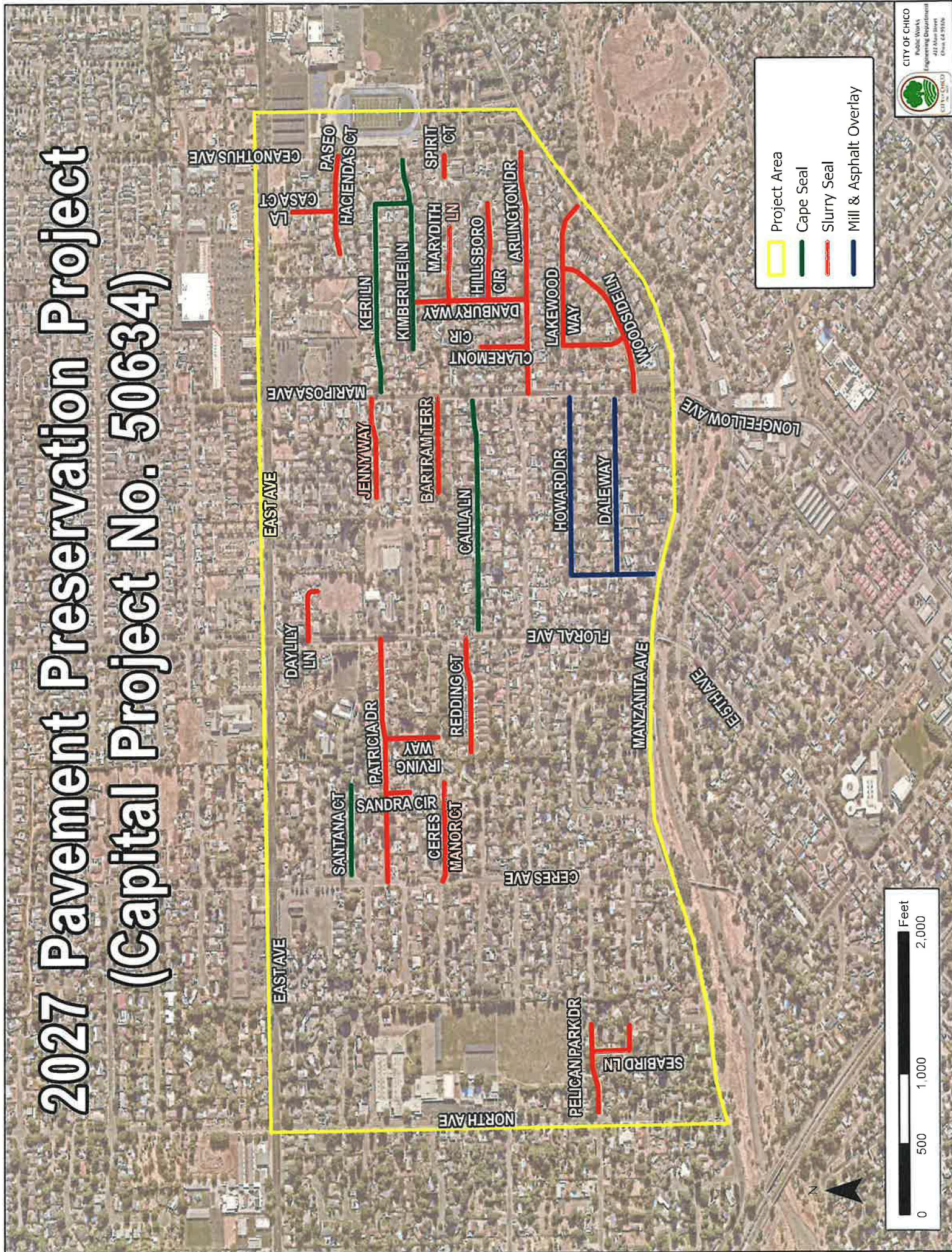
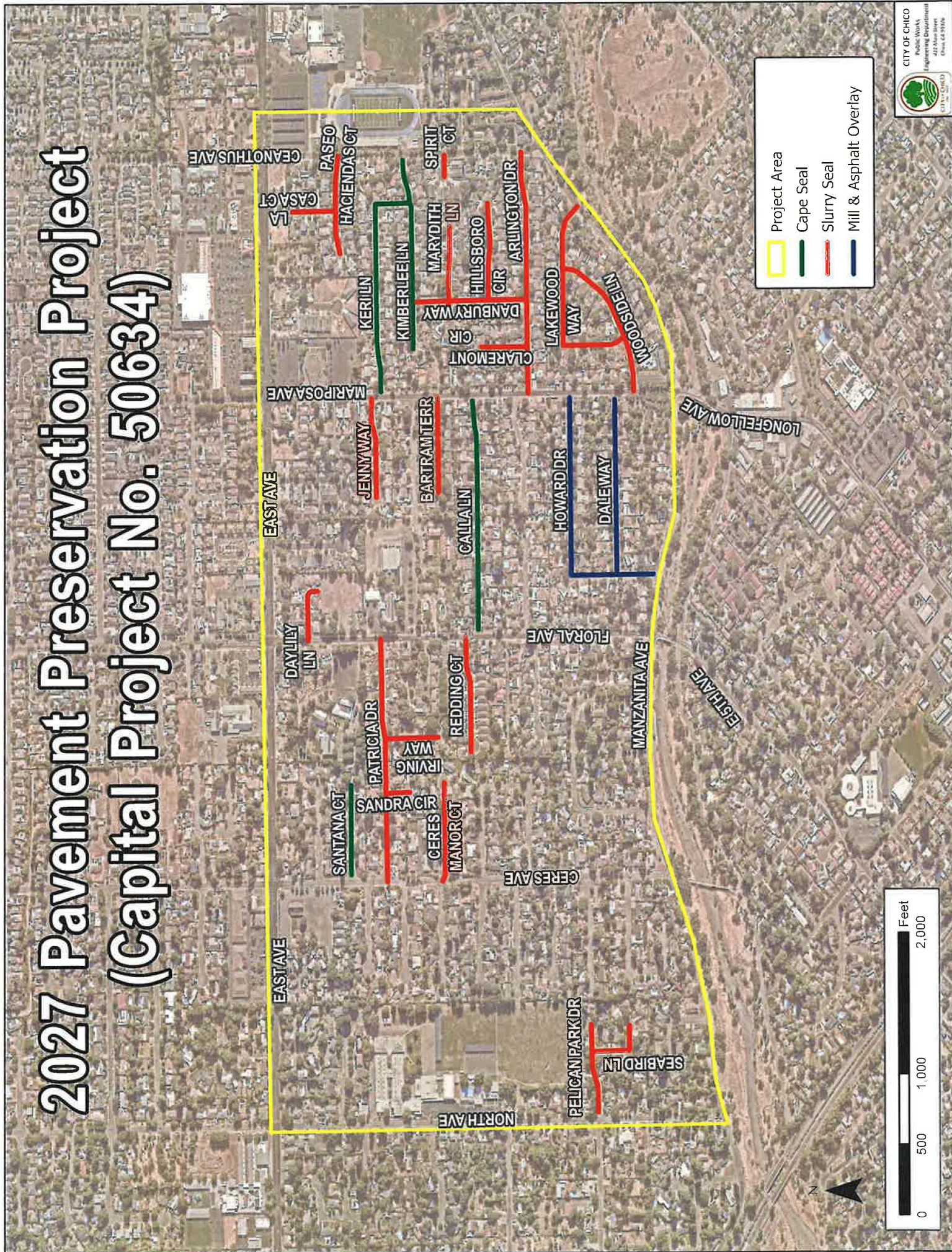
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Legend:

- Project Area
- Cape Seal
- Slurry Seal
- Mill & Asphalt Overlay

Scale: 0, 500, 1,000, 2,000 Feet

City of Chico
Public Works
Engineering Department
412 Main Street
Chico, CA 95926



**2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT**

DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/26) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:

04-07012026-045

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE
CITY OF CHICO PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT		07/01/2026
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING		DOCUMENT NUMBER
BUTTE		321

PROJECT TITLE

2027 PAVEMENT PRESERVATION CAPITAL PROJECT NO 50634

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER
CITY OF CHICO		(530) 879-6903
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS	CITY	STATE
PO BOX 3420	CHICO	CA
		ZIP CODE
		95927

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$4,227.50	\$	
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$3,043.75	\$	
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,437.25	\$	

☒ Exempt from fee☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$	
☒ County documentary handling fee	\$50.00	\$	\$50.00
☐ Other		\$	

PAYMENT METHOD:☐ Cash ☒ Credit ☐ Check ☐ Other**TOTAL RECEIVED** \$ \$50.00

SIGNATURE

X

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Mark Zarate, Deputy County Clerk-Recorder