

Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk
County of Contra Costa

From: Caltrans; District 4
111 Grand Avenue, Environmental Maintenance
Oakland, CA 94612

Project Title: Re-Encampment Deterrent Measures- 1V410/0426000443

Project Applicant: Caltrans; D4 Maintenance

Project Location - In Contra Costa County, along I-680, I-242, and I-04 at various locations.

Project Location - City: Various Project Location - County: Contra Costa

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

Provide deterrent measures to re-establish encampment of the Persons Experiencing Homelessness (PEH)

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: _____

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: _____

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: PRC 21084; 14CCR 15301
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

CLASS 1: EXISTING FACILITIES (d) Restoration or rehabilitation of deteriorated or damaged structures, facilities, or mechanical equipment to meet current standards of public health and safety, unless it is determined that the damage was substantial and resulted from an environmental hazard such as earthquake, landslide, or flood.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Mariam Farrar Phone number: 510-851-2292

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: Mariam Farrar Date: 7/8/2026 Title: Senior Env Scientist

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.