

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Los Angeles
12400 Imperial Hwy

Norwalk, CA 90650

From: (Public Agency): _____
Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Agency
One Gateway Plaza, 99-16-9 Los Angeles, CA 90012

(Address)

Project Title: Sepulveda Transit Corridor Geotechnical Borings Project

Project Applicant: Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Agency

Project Location - Specific: Los Angeles County

Project Location - City: Multiple Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Metro is proposing a project which involves approximately 66 small diameter geotechnical borings within the cities of Los Angeles and Sherman Oaks, spanning approximately 9 miles. The data collection will inform design of Metro's Sepulveda Transit Corridor Project. The proposed geotechnical borings will be implemented in phases No more than 8 borings will occur at a time.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Agency

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Agency

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: Section 15306 Class 6
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of data collection that will not result in serious or significant impacts on the environment. The majority project is located in urbanized setting within public rights of way such as public streets. Other locations include private property, and educational institution. Metro conducted a desktop evaluation for all boring locations to document no impacts on environmental resources will occur.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Tom Kefalas Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (213) 418-3370

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: [Signature] Date: 7/16/29 Title: EO

☒ 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: _____