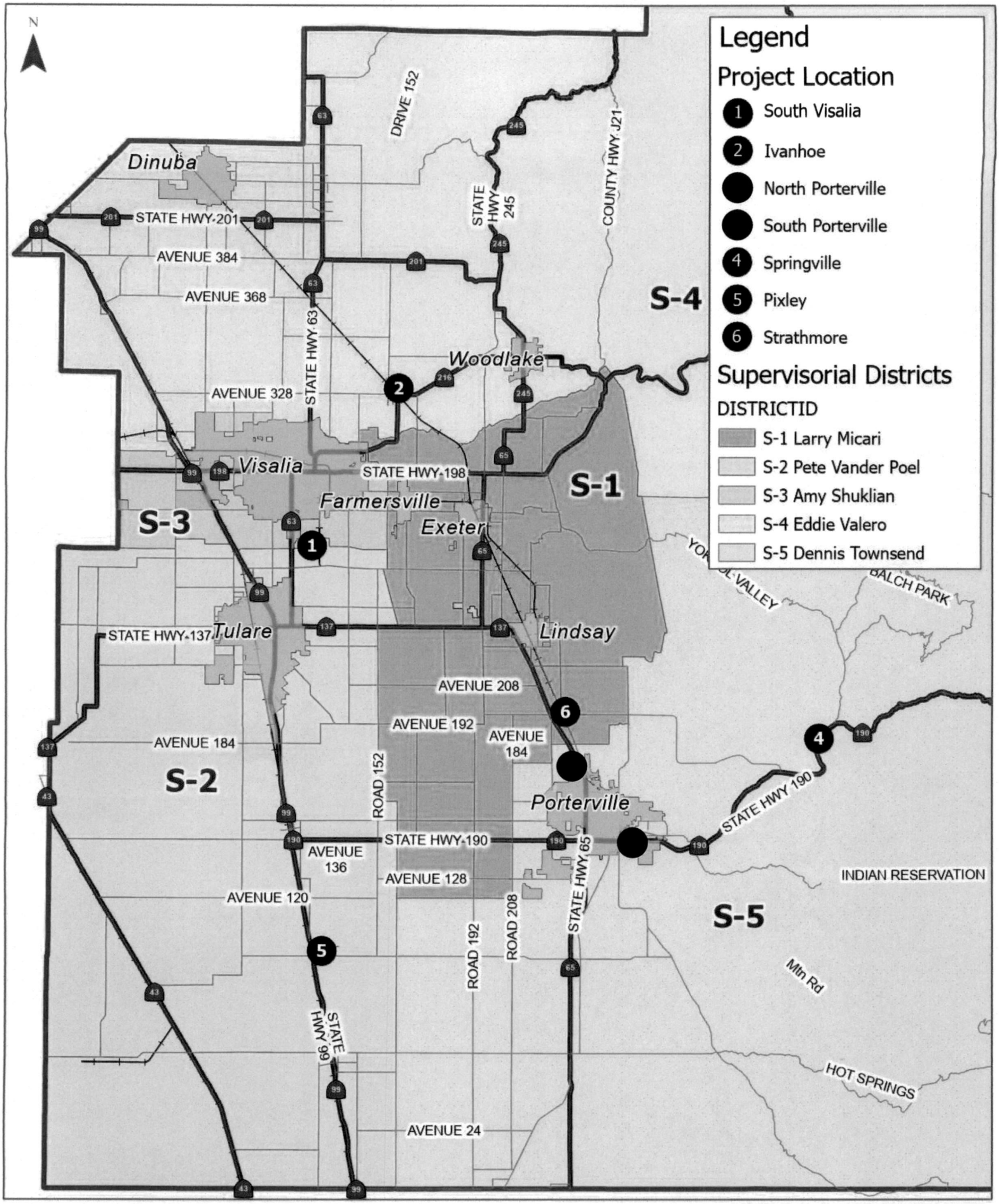

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Project Location
1 South Visalia
2 Ivanhoe
North Porterville
South Porterville
4 Springville
5 Pixley
6 Strathmore
Supervisorial Districts
DISTRICTID
S-1 Larry Micari
S-2 Pete Vander Poel
S-3 Amy Shuklian
S-4 Eddie Valero
S-5 Dennis Townsend
Dinuba
STATE HWY-201
AVENUE 384
AVENUE 368
AVENUE 328
STATE HWY-63
DRIVE 152
STATE HWY-245
COUNTY HWY J21
Woodlake
Visalia
STATE HWY-198
Farmersville
Exeter
Tulare
STATE HWY-137
Lindsay
S-1
S-2
S-3
S-4
S-5
AVENUE 208
AVENUE 192
AVENUE 184
AVENUE 136
AVENUE 128
AVENUE 120
AVENUE 24
ROAD 152
ROAD 192
ROAD 208
Porterville
STATE HWY-190
STATE HWY-65
STATE HWY-99
INDIAN RESERVATION
Mtn Rd
HOT SPRINGS
BALCH PARK
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8
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Miles
2026 Slurry Seal Program
Vicinity Map

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));
- ☐ Common Sense Exemption: CEQA Guidelines 15061(b)(3)
- ☒ Categorical Exemption: **CEQA Guidelines Class 1 Section 15301 Existing Facilities (c)**
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions:

Reasons why project is exempt: The Project is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15301, Class 1, Existing Facilities, subsection (c), because it consists of repair, maintenance, and minor alteration of existing County roads through slurry sealing and related pavement preservation activities, with negligible or no expansion of existing use. The Project would occur on existing paved roadways and would not add automobile travel lanes or expand roadway capacity. The Project is also consistent with the County of Tulare's locally adopted categorical exemption procedures pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15300.4.

The County has further determined that none of the exceptions to the use of categorical exemptions set forth in CEQA Guidelines §15300.2 apply. The Project would not result in a significant cumulative impact, would not result in a significant effect due to unusual circumstances, would not damage scenic resources within an officially designated State Scenic Highway, is not located on a hazardous waste site listed pursuant to Government Code §65962.5, and would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource.

Environmental Assessment Officer: Reed Schenke, P.E., RMA Director/EAO

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of Tulare

Project Planner/Representative: Claudia Sanchez, P.E., Engineer IV **Telephone:** 559-624-7000

Signature: Gary A. Mills Date: Aug 11, 2026 Title: Chief Planner
Gary A. Mills Environmental Planning Division

Signature: Michael Washam Date: Aug 11, 2026 Title: Associate RMA Director, Designee
Michael G. Washam, A.C.E.

☒ Signed by Lead Agency Date submitted to LCI:

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Fee Exempt per Government Code Section 6103

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Applicant(s): Tulare County Public Works
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Project Title: 2026 Slurry Seal Program

Project Location - Specific:

Location 1: South Visalia – Mulanax Drive, Avenue 264
Location 2: Ivanhoe – Avenue 332, Buckeye Road, Heather Avenue, Road 161, Freedom Avenue, Bly Avenue, Scott Road, Waverly Court, Scott Lane, Walter Avenue
Location 3: Porterville - Zachary Court, Dillon Court, Martin Street, Hill Drive, Sierra Street, Yates Avenue, State Street, Warzee Avenue
Location 4: Springville - Ward Avenue, Lenard Road, Radeleff Avenue, James Avenue, Tennis Avenue, Talley Street, McDonald Street, Pine Drive, Malcolm Drive, Tule River Drive, Cramer Street, Bridge Drive, Rio Vista Drive, Alta Drive, Shingle Mill Road
Location 5: Pixley – Elm Street, Ellsworth Avenue, Walnut Street, Carol Avenue, Sarah Avenue, Holste Avenue, Dianna Avenue, Carla Avenue, Joanne Avenue
Location 6: Strathmore - Road 231, Avenue 198, Lawson Avenue, Avenue 197, Bruce Drive, Lawson Drive, Burns Drive, Guthrie Drive, Balfour Drive

Project Location- Section, Township, Range:

Location 1: South Visalia - Section 17, Township 19S, Range 25E, MDB&M
Location 2: Ivanhoe - Section 01, Township 18S, Range 25E, MDB&M
Location 3: Porterville - Section 15, Township 21S, Range 27E, Section 06, Township 22S, Range 28E, MDB&M
Location 4: Springville - Section 02, Township 21S, Range 29E, MDB&M
Location 5: Pixley - Section 33, Township 22S, Range 25E, MDB&M
Location 6: Strathmore - Section 33, Township 20S, Range 27E, MDB&M

Project Location - City: Unincorporated communities of South Visalia, Ivanhoe, Porterville, Springville, Pixley, and Strathmore

Project Location - County: Tulare

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The 2026 Slurry Seal Program Project consists of slurry sealing approximately 9 miles of existing County roads within unincorporated communities in Tulare County, including road segments in or near South Visalia Area, Ivanhoe, North/South Porterville Area, Springville, Pixley, and Strathmore. The work would occur on existing paved roadways, including road segments within subdivisions with curb and gutter. The purpose of the Project is to preserve and protect the underlying pavement structure, extend pavement service life, and provide a renewed driving surface for users of these facilities. The Project would not add automobile travel lanes or expand roadway capacity. Construction is anticipated to begin in the third quarter of 2026 and be completed in the fourth quarter of 2026.