

Notice of Exemption**21-2026-132****Appendix E**

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Marin

3501 Civic Center Drive, #234

San Rafael, CA 94903

From: (Public Agency): Town of San Anselmo
525 San Anselmo Avenue
San Anselmo, CA 94960

(Address)

Project Title: Preliminary Geotechnical Study at Nokomis Avenue Bridge Over San Anselmo Creek

Project Applicant: Town of San Anselmo

Project Location - Specific:

Nokomis Avenue at San Anselmo Creek (37.97880,-122.56687)

Project Location - City: San Anselmo Project Location - County: Marin

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Preliminary geotechnical study to gather information for developing plans to repair scour damage at Pier 2 and Pier 3. No in-water work or tree removal will occur. The purpose of the repairs is to prevent further damage to the historical bridge from scour and high-flow events, and to maintain the bridge as a safe crossing for residents to access their homes.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Town of San Anselmo

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Town of San Anselmo

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: Class 6 (\$15306), Class 4 (\$15304)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

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MARIN COUNTY CLERK
BY: L. Vanste, Deputy

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of geotechnical borings and subsurface investigations to collect soil and groundwater data for engineering analysis. The activity involves information collection and resource evaluation and will not result in significant disturbance to environmental resources. Further, the activity involves temporary, minor ground disturbance, followed by backfilling and restoration, with no removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Scott Schneider Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (415) 258-4653

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: Scott Schneider Date: 8/11/26 Title: Public Works Director

☒ 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: _____

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