

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Madera

200 W. 4th Street

Madera, CA 93637

From: (Public Agency): City of Madera
428 East Yosemite Avenue
Madera, CA 93638

(Address)

Project Title: ALY - 06, Alley Paving Projects – Northeast (135)

Project Applicant: City of Madera

Project Location - Specific:

City of Madera Right of Way, Northeast Portion of the City. Plans are publically available at the Engineering Department of the City of Madera, Project ALY-06 Northeast 135

Project Location - City: Madera Project Location - County: Madera

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The proposed Project involves the paving of 12 dirt or partially paved existing alley segments to meet Air District requirements. All alley paving will be done within existing City right-of-way. Existing dirt surfaces will be graded, and a layer of asphalt will follow. Existing utility boxes will be raised to grade.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Madera

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Madera

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 1 (c) Existing Facilities - Section 15301
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Class 1 consists of the repair or minor alteration of existing public transportation facilities involving negligible or no expansion of former use. This includes existing streets, sidewalks and similar facilities, and road grading for the purpose of public safety. The proposed Paving Project will not alter the existing alley segments beyond their existing use.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Steve Bettencourt

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (559) 661-5428

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: 8/11/2026 Title: Senior Civil Engineer

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: _____

**2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT**

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

RECEIPT NUMBER:
20-08132026-056

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY CITY OF MADERA	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL sbettencourt@madera.gov	DATE 08/13/2026
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING MADERA	DOCUMENT NUMBER 2026056	

PROJECT TITLE
ALY-06, ALLEY PAVING PROJECTS - NORTHEAST (135)

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME CITY OF MADERA	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL sbettencourt@madera.gov	PHONE NUMBER (559) 661-5428
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 428 E YOSEMITE AVE	CITY MADERA	STATE CA
	ZIP CODE 93638	

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
☐ Other		\$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☒ Credit ☐ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ _____ \$50.00

SIGNATURE

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AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Mary Perlongo, Deputy County Clerk-Recorder