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City of Needles

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San Bernardino

DOCUMENT NUMBER

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PROJECT TITLE

Needles OHMV Staging Area Project

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME

City of Needles

PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL

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PHONE NUMBER

(760) 326-2115 x127

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS

817 Third Street

CITY

Needles

STATE

CA

ZIP CODE

92363

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	\$	0.00
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$3,043.75	\$	0.00
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,437.25	\$	0.00

☒ 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	\$	0.00
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☒ County documentary handling fee		\$	50.00
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☐ Other		\$	
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PAYMENT METHOD:

Money Order #9569520865

☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☐ Check ☒ Other**TOTAL RECEIVED** \$ 50.00

SIGNATURE

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AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

Alicia Meza, Deput Clerk

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: San Bernardino

385 N. Arrowhead Avenue, 2nd Floor

San Bernardino, CA 92415-0130

From: (Public Agency): City of Needles
817 Third Street
Needles, Ca 92363

(Address)

Project Title: Needles OHMV Staging Area ProjectProject Applicant: City of Needles

Project Location - Specific:

APN 0185-233-60, City-owned parcel adjacent to the Needles Rodeo Grounds

Project Location - City: Needles Project Location - County: San Bernardino

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project consists of development of a public Off-Highway Motor Vehicle (OHMV) staging area to support the City's existing OHMV route network. Improvements include construction of a paved parking area with ADA-accessible spaces, installation of a prefabricated restroom, informational kiosks and signage, fencing, landscaping, drainage improvements, utility connections, and associated site improvements. The project will provide organized parking, sanitation facilities, visitor information, and improved access management for OHMV users and visitors.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of NeedlesName of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Needles

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: _____
☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Sections 15303 (Class 3), 15304 (Class 4) and 15332 (Class 3)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of development of a public OHMV staging area on a previously disturbed site within the incorporated City of Needles. The project includes construction of parking improvements, a prefabricated restroom, signage, fencing, landscaping, drainage facilities, utility connections, and associated site improvements. The project qualifies for categorical exemptions pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15303, 15304, and 15332. The project is located on a previously disturbed urban site, is served by existing public infrastructure and utilities, and will not result in significant impacts related to traffic, noise, air quality, water quality, biological resources, or cultural resources.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Irene Romero, City Planner Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (760) 326-2115 X127

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: 06/17/26 Title: City Planner

▪ 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.

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