

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Santa Clara

110 West Tasman Drive, First Floor

San Jose, California 95134

From: (Public Agency): City of Mountain View, Public Works
500 Castro Street
Mountain View, CA 94039

(Address)

Project Title: Shoreline Irrigation Main Replacement Project

Project Applicant: City of Mountain View, Public Works

Project Location - Specific:

The Shoreline Irrigation Main system is located within the existing Shoreline at Mountain View park. Shoreline at Mountain View park is a 750-acre area, bounded by Ponds A1 and A2W to the north (which are part of the Don Edwards San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge) North Shoreline Boulevard to the north and east, a paved road to the south and west.

Project Location - City: Mountain View Project Location - County: Santa Clara

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project proposes maintenance and replacement of the Shoreline Irrigation Main system due to its age and recent required repairs. With the project, the irrigation system will have the same purpose and capacity as it does under existing conditions. The existing Shoreline Park irrigation system is composed of approximately 16,500 linear feet of pipe. The new irrigation system would consist of approximately 17,250 linear feet of high-density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe with diameters varying between three to 12 inches. The additional length of pipe is due to adjusting the alignment to minimize impacts to environmentally sensitive areas with the new construction.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Public Works

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Jason Chou, Senior Civil Engineer

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: _____

Class I Existing Facilities and Class II Replacement or Reconstruction (CEQA Guidelines Sections 15301 and 15302, respectively)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project would involve the maintenance and replacement of the existing irrigation system to ensure its continual operation; the project would not increase the capacity of the irrigation system and would continue to serve existing demands; and none of the exceptions set forth in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 apply to the project.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Jason Chou Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 650-903-6130

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: _____

Date: 9/23/2026

Title: PROJECT MANAGER / SCB

■ 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: _____