

Notice of Exemption

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From: San Bernardino County
Department of Public Works
Environmental Management Division
825 E. Third Street, Room 123
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0835

Project Description

Project Title: Ranchero Road Emergency Road Repair

Project Location: The project is located along Ranchero Road, across from Oak Hills High School between Catapa and Coyote Trail Roads in the city of Hesperia, San Bernardino County.

Project Description: The project consists of emergency repairs to an existing roadside drain. Stormwater run-off from Ranchero Road currently bypasses the drain and flows toward an adjacent roadway, resulting in flooding. Work will include, but is not limited to, removing a limited portion of the existing curb to redirect runoff into the existing roadside drain, repairing damaged asphalt within the drain, placing riprap at the outlet to stabilize the area and prevent erosion, and completing other minor repairs necessary to restore the drain's proper function. The work is necessary to prevent continued flooding, erosion, roadway damage, and hazards to the traveling public during storm events. All work will be limited to the existing roadway and roadside drain.

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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: _____
☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____
☐ Other Exemption: _____

Reasons why project is exempt: Section 15269(b) of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines allows for emergency repairs to publicly or privately owned facilities essential to public health, safety, or welfare; even those that require a reasonable amount of planning to address an anticipated emergency. Section 15269(c) exempts specific actions necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency.


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☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR: N/A