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Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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County Clerk
County of: Humboldt
825 5th Street
Eureka, CA 95501

From: (Public Agency): City of Eureka, Lead Agency
Engineering Department
531 K Street Eureka, CA 95501-1165
(Address)

Project Title: Sewer Improvements 2026

Project Applicant: City of Eureka Engineering Department

Project Location - Specific:
Within the rights-of-way of W Harris Street, from Oregon Street to Albee Street.

Project Location - City: Eureka Project Location - County: Humbodlt

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:
The City of Eureka Engineering Department will replace 1,830 linear feet of existing 6 inch PVC sewer main with new 8" HDPE sewer main with trenchless installation "burst and pull". After installing the new sewer main, sewer laterals that are active will be reconnected using conventional trenching methods; digging a two-foot -wide trench, four to seven feet deep to access and replace the lateral before backfilling the trench. Erosion Control BMPs, a traffic control plan, and daily site cleanup will be used to limit environmental disruptions. Eureka City Council authorized the project October 6, 2026 and the class 1 exemption.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Eureka

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

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: 15301 - Class 1
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
The project involves replacement of the existing sewage main and existing sewage laterals, along with some pavement repair and maintenance within the existing roadway prism with no expansion of the roadway facility or existing capacity. The contractor will use Best Management Practices and follow an Erosion Control Plan to ensure there are no offsite environmental impacts resulting from the project.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Collin Slavey Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 7074414158

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: Collin Slavey Date: 10/12/2026 Title: Project Manager

▪ 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: _____