Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
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From: Caltrans, District 6
2015 East Shields, Suite 100
Fresno, CA 93726

Project Title: Bush Street Roundabout

Project Applicant: California Department of Transportation

Project Location - Specific: Intersection of Bush Street and Bell Haven Drive, State Route 41 northbound on-ramp/off-ramp and Bush Street, and State Route 41 southbound on-ramp/off-ramp and Bush Street.

Project Location - City: Lemoore Project Location - County: Kings

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:
The purpose of the project is to mitigate traffic created by the development of Tract 848 subdivision. The project includes construction of three single lane roundabouts on Bush Street and the intersections of Belle Haven Drive, State Route 41 northbound (NB) on/off ramps and State Route 41 southbound (SB) on/off ramps. No new right-of-way is required, and no excess soils are anticipated.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: California Department of Transportation

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Lennar Homes, LLC

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 2, Section 15302
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:
Caltrans has determined that the proposed roundabout project falls under the CEQA Class 2 Categorical Exemption and will not contribute to any environmental impacts by incorporating proper and acceptable Caltrans standards practices.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Judith Lopez Phone number: 559-240-5068

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: Judith Lopez Date: 11/20/2026 Title: Senior Environmental Scientist

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.