

Notice of Exemption

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From: Contra Costa County
Dept. of Conservation & Development
30 Muir Road
Martinez, CA 94553

☒ County Clerk
County of: Contra Costa

Project Title: 2015 Road Surface Treatment Projects, CP#15-10

Project Applicant: Contra Costa County Public Works Department

Project Location – Specific: Unincorporated areas of Alamo, East Richmond, Pleasant Hill, El Sobrante, and Shadow Creek

Project Location – County: Contra Costa

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project: Applying various road surface treatments to selected unincorporated County roadways to prevent water from seeping under the pavement, in order to extend pavement life. The purpose of this Project is to conduct preventative maintenance on select streets within western, southern and central Contra Costa County. The application of the surface treatments will create a water proof membrane that will cover each road surface and will prevent water from seeping under the pavement and damaging the roadway. Once applied each surface treatment will extend the life of the existing pavement. This CEQA is for the three following Projects:

1. 2015 Asphalt Rubber Cape Seal – Shadow Creek and East Richmond, Project No. 0672-6U2149 (Unincorporated Shadow Creek, East Richmond areas)
2. 2015 Micro Surface with Fiber Project, Project No. 0672-6U2148 (Unincorporated Alamo areas)
3. 2015 Slurry Seal, Project No. 0672-6U2147 (Unincorporated Pleasant Hill and El Sobrante areas)

The Project consists of cleaning the road surface (including weed removal and sweeping), removing existing striping, applying surface treatments to each of the roadways (see attached list), restriping the roadways, and site cleanup. Residential streets will be closed for approximately half a day in order to apply the surface treatment and to provide sufficient time for curing. Residents will be notified one week prior to any activity and "No Parking" signs will be posted the day before actual application. The Project will maintain the existing drainage pattern, and the appropriate Best Management Practices (BMPs) will be implemented to protect storm drain inlets during construction. Some areas will require vegetation removal and trimming in order to accommodate the project; no tree removal is necessary. Emergency vehicles will have access at all times. Real property transactions are not anticipated in support of the Project.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project:

Contra Costa County

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:

Contra Costa County Public Works Department

Exempt Status:

- ☐ Ministerial Project (Sec. 21080(b) (1); 15268; ☒ Categorical Exemption: **15301(c)**
☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a)); ☐ Other Statutory Exemption, Code No.: _____
☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)); ☐ General Rule of Applicability [Article 5, Section 15061 (b)(3)]

Reasons why project is exempt: The projects consist of the maintenance of existing facilities involving no expansion of use beyond that previously existing; pursuant to section 15301(c) of the CEQA guidelines.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Kimani Birden - Public Works Dept. Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (925) 313-2190

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: 3-16-15 Title: Principal Planner

☐ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

AFFIDAVIT OF FILING AND POSTING

I declare that on _____ I received and posted this notice as required by California Public Resources Code Section 21152(c). Said notice will remain posted for 30 days from the filing date.

Signature _____

Title _____

Applicant:

Public Works Department
255 Glacier Drive
Martinez, CA 94553
Attn: Kimani Birden
Environmental Services Division
Phone: (925) 313-2190

Department of Fish and Game Fees Due

- ☐ EIR - \$3,069.75
☐ Neg. Dec. - \$2,210.00
☐ DeMinimis Findings - \$0
☒ County Clerk - \$50
☒ Conservation & Development - \$25

Total Due: \$ 75.00

Total Paid \$ _____

Receipt #: _____