

Notice of Exemption

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From: (Public Agency):  
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Project Title: CEQA Exemption Request Project No. 6816HSIP (Initial Study #24-0003)

Imperial County Clerk-Recorder  
California

Project Applicant: Imperial County Public Works Department (ICPWD)

Project Location - Specific:

The project will be for the development of a Local Roadway Safety Plan (LRSP) for the Imperial County

Project Location - City: County wide Project Location - County: Imperial

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The Imperial County Department of Public Works has been awarded preliminary engineering funds for the development of a Local Roadway Safety Plan (LRSP) for Imperial County. The LRSP will focus on identifying opportunities to improve traffic safety on roadways that support and enhance the finding of the Imperial County Systemic Safety Analysis Report with a focus on the Safe Systems approach that uses each of the four E's of safety: Engineering, Enforcement, Education and Emergency Services. The LRSP will analyze collision data throughout Imperial County roads and provide a framework to systemically identify and analyze safety problems and recommend safety improvements.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Imperial County Public Works Department

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: John Gay, P.E., Director of Public Works

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.

Section 15306, Class 6,  
Information Collection

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is exempt as the proposed project consists of basic data collection, research, experimental management, and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious or major disturbance to an environmental resource. These may be strictly for information gathering purposes, or as part of a study leading to an action which a public agency has not yet approved, adopted, or funded. The project will be a planning document that has no potential environmental impact. Each project, that will one day be a result of this Plan, will have its own potential environmental factor and will need individual CEQA review at that time.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person:

Evelia Jimenez, Planner II

Area Code/ Telephone  
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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: 03/22/2024 Title: ICPDS Director

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

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Authority cited Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date Received for Filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152 1, Public Resources Code.