CITY OF STOCKTON NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: COUNTY CLERK COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN 44 N. San Joaquin St., Ste. 260 Stockton, CA 95202

FROM: Lead Agency City of Stockton c/o Public Works Department 22 East Weber Avenue, Suite 301 Stockton, CA 95202

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION PURSUANT TO PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 21152(B) AND CALIFORNIA CODE **OF REGULATIONS TITLE 14, SECTION 15062**

PROJECT DATA

HSIP 10 - Guardrail Rehabilitation Project No. WT22049/HSIPSL-5008(198) Project Title:

CEQA Exemption File No.: NOE 36-23 Applicant: City of Stockton Public Works Department

Project Description/Location: The City of Stockton's Public Works Department will be performing guardrail rehabilitation in two locations; 1) along Lower Sacramento Road in-between Bear Creek and Armor Drive; and 2) along the 99 Frontage Road just south of the Stockton Soccer Complex. The project proposes to rehabilitate/replace guardrail posts, sections, and end sections, and one (1) tree removal.

DETERMINATION/FINDING OF EXEMPTION

The above-described activity/project is exempt from the environmental assessment requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the following section(s) of the State CEQA Guidelines (California Code of Regulations, Title 14):

The activity is not a "project" as defined in CEQA Guidelines Section 15378.

The activity is exempt under the "general rule" at CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(B)(3).

The project is "Statutorily Exempt" per CEQA Guidelines Section:

X The project is "Categorically Exempt" per CEQA Guidelines Section 15301(D).

BASIS FOR FINDING OF EXEMPTION

- The activity does not qualify as a project and/or clearly could not have a significant effect on the environment and, therefore, CEQA does not apply.
- The activity constitutes a discretionary project under the City's jurisdiction and qualifies as a project which has been X determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and, therefore, is exempt from the provisions of CEQA under the above-noted statutory or categorical exemption(s).

JODI ALMASSY, DIRECTOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

By

Liszet Burgueno, Junior Engineer

(DATE OF FINAL APPROVAL)

July 13, 2023

(DATE OF PREPARATION)

AFFIDAVIT OF FILING AND POSTING

I declare that on the date stamped above, I received and posted this notice or included it on a list of such notices which was posted as required by California Public Resources Code Section 21152(B). Said notice or list of notices will remain posted for 35 days from the filing date.

Signature

Title

Posting Period Ending Date