



CEQA NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: County Clerk, County of Orange

From: County of Orange
OC Public Works, Development Services/Planning

Individual Public Project Number (IP): **IP 17-213**

Project Title: Santiago Canyon Road Safety Improvements Project

Project Location(s): Santiago Canyon Road, Orange County, CA

Project Description: The County of Orange is proposing to provide 11.7 miles of safety improvements on Santiago Canyon Road, between Live Oak Canyon Road and State Route 241. The proposed project will enhance safety along Santiago Canyon Road and includes the following improvements: increasing pavement friction by the use of a High Friction Surface Treatment, installation of traffic control devices, and restriping the existing bicycle lane to include a buffer. Shoulder grading, tree trimming and vegetation removal may be required along the roadway edge. Excavation of up to five feet in depth will be required for the replacement of guardrail posts. Other appurtenant measures will be included, as needed.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Board of Supervisors

Name of Applicant or Agency Carrying-Out Project: OC Public Works

Address of Applicant or Agency: 300 N. Flower Street, Santa Ana, CA 92703

Exempt Status:

- ☐ Ministerial (Guidelines Section No. 15268)
☐ Emergency Project (Guidelines Section No. 15269)
☐ Common Sense (Guidelines Section No. 15061(b)(3))
☐ Statutory Exemption: State Code number:
☒ Categorical Exemption: Class 1, Section 15301, Class 2, Section 15302, Class 3, Section 15303, Class 4, Section 15304
☐ Other Exemption:

Reason(s) why project is exempt: Maintenance and repair of existing facilities; replacement or reconstruction, new construction, and minor alterations to land, which does not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

Date of Decision:

CEQA Contact Person: Cindy Salazar Phone: (714) 667-8870

Project Manager Signature: _____

Name:

Title:

Fish & Game Fees: Pursuant to Section 711.4 (c) (2)(A) of the California Fish and Game Code, this project is exempt from the required fees, as it is exempt from CEQA. Filing Fee is exempt per Government Code Section 6103.

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