



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

[Note: The specific requirements of an NOE can be found at CEQA §15062]

Date 10/19/2021

Case Number

GS/CEF/2021/20005/001

Dept/Div/Year/Project#/NOE#

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TO: Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors
FROM LEAD AGENCY: GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

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State: CA Zip: 93101

Division: Captial, Energy and Facilities

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PROJECT INFORMATION:

Does this project involve a state/federal agency? Yes No

Project Name: Santa Maria Juvenile Hall Security Camera upgrade

District: Please select from list..

Address: 4263 California Blvd.

City/Area: Santa Maria

Zip Code: 93455

APN: 111-230-069

Project #: 20005

NOE #: 0

Funding/POPPA: 0030/063/8200/1930/20005

Project Description: *(Section §15124 of the CEQA Guidelines defines the types of information that should be included in a project description)*

This project includes Integrated design services, cost estimating services, construction administration services, and minor construction for a replacement of the video surveillance system at Santa Maria Juvenile Hall. The project is in the beginning stages of design.

These integrated operations include intercoms, ultrasonic duress buttons, and security cameras. There are currently approximately 115 cameras in use now. The project includes coordinating the operation of the cameras with the existing interactive touchscreen security electronics system and ensuring their interoperability.

The County has previously undertaken a Conceptual Interlock Architecture exercise. While many of the main elements are accounted for, the exact existing cable routing, camera views, and conditions will be critical to the development of the final design. In addition, addressing operational, security, and utility concerns in the final construction documents will be required.

DETERMINATION: Make determination after review of CEQA §15061

Scope of Exemption:

- Not a Project (§15378)
- Ministerial Exemption (§15268)
- Statutory Exemption (§15260)
- Categorical Exemption (§15354 [15302-33])
- CatEx - Existing Facilities (§15300)
- Emergency Project Exemption (§15359)

Categorical Exemptions are made up of classes of projects that generally are considered not to have potential impacts on the environment. Categorical exemptions are identified and defined in the CEQA Guidelines (14 CCR Section 15300-15331). Categorical exemptions are not allowed to be used for projects that may cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an historical resource, except when the Department of the Interior Standards are applied. Therefore, lead agencies must first determine if the project has the potential to impact historical resources and if those impacts could be adverse prior to determining if a categorical exemption may be utilized for any given project.

Cal. Code Regs. tit. 14 §15300

Justification for the Determination: 15301(a) Existing Facilities--Exterior or Interior Modifications

FINDING TO SUPPORT DETERMINATION:

Based upon the project description above, the General Services Department (as Lead Agency) has determined the project (Santa Maria Juvenile Hall Security Camera upgrade) is within the scope of §15301 exemptions which consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. The key consideration is whether the project involves negligible or no expansion of use under subsection (a) interior or exterior alterations involving such things as interior partitions, plumbing, and electrical conveyances.

Cal. Code Regs. Tit. 14, §15301(a)

Justification to Finding

This project consists of investigative, design services, construction administration, and minor construction. These services consist of replacement or addition of existing utility systems/conduit lines and Surveillance Video Security Cameras.

Department/Division

Representative

(print name: Diane Dodson Galt, Project Manager, General Services)

Date 10/19/21

Distribution:

NOTE: A copy must be posted at least 6 days prior to consideration of the activity by the decision-makers to comply with County CEQA guidelines and a copy must be filed with the County Clerk of the Board after project approval to begin a 35 day statute of limitations on legal challenges.



2021 CEQA Transmittal Memorandum

County of Santa Barbara - Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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(805) 568-2240

Complete this form when filing a Negative Declaration, Mitigated Negative Declaration, Environmental Impact Report or Notice of Exemption.

You will need to submit one original for posting plus one copy for the Department of Fish & Wildlife. A scanned copy including the date/time of posting will be emailed to the Lead Agency and Project Applicant. If you would like a return copy, please submit an extra copy along with a pre-addressed, stamped envelope.

Contact Person Diane Dodson Galt		Phone 805-896-2212	
Lead Agency General Services Department (County of Santa Barbara)		Lead Agency Email countyarchitect@countyofsb.org	
Project Title Santa Maria Juvenile Hall Security Camera upgrade			
Project Applicant Diane Dodson Galt	Email dgalt@countyofsb.org	Phone 805-896-2212	
Project Applicant Address 1105 Santa Barbara St. East Wing, Second fl.	City Santa Barbara	State CA	Zip 93101

DOCUMENT BEING FILED:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
 - 2021 Filing Fee \$3,445.25
 - Previously Paid (must attach receipt) \$0.00
 - No Effect Determination (must be attached) \$0.00

- Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration
 - 2021 Filing Fee \$2,480.25
 - Previously Paid (must attach receipt) \$0.00
 - No Effect Determination (must be attached) \$0.00

- Notice of Exemption \$0.00

- County Administrative Handling Fee (required for all filings, effective 7/19/18) \$50.00

TOTAL: \$ 50.00

PAYMENT METHOD: ALL APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING

- Cash Credit Card Check # _____ Journal Entry #JE -0236334 _____



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2022 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/22) Previously DFG 753.5a

NOTICE

Each project applicant shall remit to the county clerk the environmental filing fee before or at the time of filing a Notice of Determination (Pub. Resources Code, § 21152; Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subdivision (d); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5). Without the appropriate fee, statutory or categorical exemption, or a valid No Effect Determination issued by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), the Notice of Determination is not operative, vested, or final, and shall not be accepted by the county clerk.

COUNTY DOCUMENTARY HANDLING FEE

The county clerk may charge a documentary handling fee of fifty dollars (\$50) per filing in addition to the environmental filing fee (Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subd. (e); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5, subd. (g)(1)). A county board of supervisors shall have the authority to increase or decrease the fee or charge, that is otherwise authorized to be levied by another provision of law, in the amount reasonably necessary to recover the cost of providing any product or service or the cost of enforcing any regulation for which the fee or charge is levied (Gov. Code, § 54985, subd. (a)).

COLLECTION PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENTS

Filing Notice of Determination (NOD):

- Collect environmental filing fee or copy of previously issued cash receipt. *(Do not collect fee if project applicant presents a No Effect Determination signed by CDFW. An additional fee is required for each separate environmental document. An addendum is not considered a separate environmental document. Checks should be made payable to the county.)*
- Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- Attach copy of cash receipt and, if applicable, previously issued cash receipt, to NOD.
- Mail filing fees for CRP document to CDFW prior to filing the NOD or equivalent final approval (Cal. Code Regs. Tit. 14, § 753.5 (b)(5)). The CRP should request receipt from CDFW to show proof of payment for filing the NOD or equivalent approval. Please mail payment to address below made attention to the Cash Receipts Unit of the Accounting Services Branch.

If the project applicant presents a **No Effect Determination** signed by CDFW, also:

- Attach No Effect Determination to NOD *(no environmental filing fee is due)*.

Filing Notice of Exemption (NOE) (Statutorily or categorically exempt project (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §§ 15260-15285, 15300-15333))

- Issue cash receipt to project applicant.
- Attach copy of cash receipt to NOE *(no environmental filing fee is due)*.

Within 30 days after the end of each month in which the environmental filing fees are collected, each county shall summarize and record the amount collected on the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31) and remit the amount collected to the State Treasurer. Identify the remittance on Form No. CA25 as "Environmental Document Filing Fees" per Fish and Game Code section 711.4.

The county clerk shall mail the following documents to CDFW on a monthly basis:

- ✓ A photocopy of the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31)
- ✓ CDFW/ASB copies of all cash receipts (including all voided receipts)
- ✓ A copy of all CDFW No Effect Determinations filed in lieu of fee payment
- ✓ A copy of all NODs filed with the county during the preceding month
- ✓ A list of the name, address and telephone number of all project applicants for which an NOD has been filed. If this information is contained on the cash receipt filed with CDFW under California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 753.5, subdivision (e)(6), no additional information is required.

DOCUMENT RETENTION

The county shall retain two copies of the cash receipt (for lead agency and county clerk) and a copy of all documents described above for at least 12 months.

RECEIPT NUMBER

- # The first two digits automatically populate by making the appropriate selection in the County/State Agency of Filing drop down menu.
- # The next eight digits automatically populate when a date is entered.
- # The last three digits correspond with the sequential order of issuance for each calendar year. For example, the first receipt number issued on January 1 should end in 001. If a county issued 252 receipts for the year ending on December 31, the last receipt number should end in 252. CDFW recommends that counties and state agencies 1) save a local copy of this form, and 2) track receipt numbers on a spreadsheet tabbed by month to ensure accuracy.

DO NOT COMBINE THE ENVIRONMENTAL FEES WITH THE STATE SHARE OF FISH AND WILDLIFE FEES.

Mail to:

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
 Accounting Services Branch
 P.O. Box 944209
 Sacramento, California 94244-2090