



# County of Santa Cruz <sup>44-08252025-129</sup> 110-25

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE

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Matt Machado, Deputy CAO, Director of Community Development and Infrastructure

### NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: Clerk of the Board  
701 Ocean Street, Room 500  
Santa Cruz, CA 95060

**Project Name:** AH 92 -AH 90 Emergency Repair

**Project Location:** The project is located along Aptos Beach Drive between address 252 and address 255 in Aptos CA.

**Assessor Parcel No.:** Public Road ROW

**Project Applicant:** Santa Cruz County Sanitation District

**Project Description:** The proposed project involves repair of approximately 60 linear feet of existing sewer main located along Aptos Beach Drive from manhole AH90 upstream towards manhole AH92. The sewer main is damaged and requires immediate repair. The project will be completed through conventional open-cut trenching which includes saw cutting the existing road, digging a trench, removing the existing deteriorated pipe (or portions of the pipe if spot repairs are done), replacing it with new pipe, and reconstructing the paved roadway. Construction will occur entirely within the existing asphalt roadway in the County road right-of-way.

**Agency Approving Project:** County of Santa Cruz

**County Contact:** Ivan Messina **Telephone No.** 831-454-2814

**Date Completed:** 08/11/2025

This is to advise that the County of Santa Cruz has found the project to be exempt from CEQA under the following criteria:

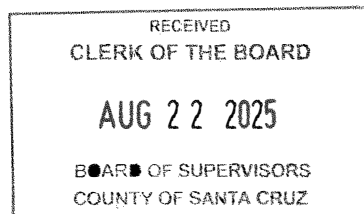
Exempt status: (*check one*)

- ☐ The proposed activity is not a project under CEQA Guidelines Section 15378.
- ☐ The proposed activity is not subject to CEQA as specified under CEQA Guidelines Section 15060 (c).
- ☐ The proposed activity is exempt from CEQA as specified under CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3).
- ☐ **Ministerial Project** involving only the use of fixed standards or objective measurements without personal judgment.
- ☒ **Statutory Exemption** other than a Ministerial Project (CEQA Guidelines Section 15260 to 15285).  
Resources Code §15282 (k)
- ☒ **Categorical Exemption**  
15301(b)(d) Class 1. Existing Facilities

#### Reasons why the project is exempt:

The project involves repair and maintenance of an existing public sewer that is in immediate need of repair and involves no expansion of the existing use or capacity. None of the exceptions in §15300.2 apply.

Signature:  Date: 08/11/2025 Title: Resource Planner IV



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