



CITY OF SANTA CRUZ
Notice of Exemption

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From: City of Santa Cruz Water Department, 212 Locust Street, Suite C, Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Project Title: Floral Drive Water Main Replacement Project

Project Address: Floral Drive between 34th Ave and 38th Ave; Santa Cruz, CA 95062

Project Location: Pleasure Point, unincorporated Santa Cruz County **County of:** Santa Cruz

Project Description: The Floral Drive Water Main Replacement Project will replace 1,350 linear feet of existing water main with a new 6" PVC water main between 34th Avenue and 38th Avenue in the Pleasure Point area of unincorporated Santa Cruz County. There will be one new hydrant installed at 35th Ave and Floral Dr. The installation trench will be restored with asphalt, type 2 slurry seal, and thermoplastic striping per County of Santa Cruz standards.

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Santa Cruz Water Department

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Santa Cruz

Exempt Status: (check one)

- Ministerial Project (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268)
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c))
- Categorical Exemption (Sec. 15301)
- Statutory Exemptions (Sec. 18282(k))

Reasons why project is exempt: This project is exempt under California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines §15301, Class 1, Existing Facilities, for operation, maintenance, permitting or minor alteration of existing public facilities involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use, and §15282(k), for the installation of new pipeline or maintenance, repair, restoration, removal, or demolition of an existing pipeline as long as the project does not exceed one mile in length.

Additionally, the project is not barred by the applicable exceptions for taking a Class 1 Categorical Exemption (14 Cal Code Regs §15300.2) because it would not: result in a cumulative impact from successive projects of the same type in the same place, have a reasonable possibility of a significant effect, cause damage to scenic resources within a State scenic highway, be located on a hazardous waste site, or cause a substantial change to a historical resource.

Contact Person: Heidi Luckenbach Phone: (831) 420-5214

Signature: Heidi R Luckenbach Date: 6/24/2026

Signed by Public Agency

Title: Water Director Signed by Applicant

Date Received for filing at County Clerk: _____

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