

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF ROCKLIN  
APPROVING A NOTICE OF EXEMPTION  
(Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) Installation)

WHEREAS, the City of Rocklin’s Environmental Coordinator has reviewed the Intelligent Transportation System Installation (“Project”) and determined that it is exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to California Code of Regulations Section 15301–Existing Facilities, 15302–Replacement or Reconstruction, and 15304–Minor Alterations to Land; and

WHEREAS, a Notice of Exemption has been prepared for the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Rocklin as follows:

Section 1. Based on the review and determination of the Environmental Coordinator, the City Council of the City of Rocklin finds that the Project is exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act.

Section 2. A Notice of Exemption is approved for the Project.

Section 3. Upon approval of the Project by the City Council, the Environmental Coordinator may file the Notice of Exemption with the County Clerk of Placer County and, if the Project requires a discretionary approval from any state agency, with the State Office of Planning and Research, pursuant to the provisions of Section 21152(b) of the Public Resources Code and the State EIR Guidelines adopted pursuant thereto.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of June, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers:  
NOES: Councilmembers:  
ABSENT: Councilmembers:  
ABSTAIN: Councilmembers:

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:**  County Clerk, County of Placer  
2954 Richardson Blvd.  
Auburn, CA 95604-5228

**FROM:** City of Rocklin  
Planning Department  
3970 Rocklin Road  
Rocklin, CA 95677

**Project Title:** Intelligent Transportation System Installation

**Project Location - Specific:** The proposed project location is all signalized intersections throughout the City of Rocklin.

**Project Location - City:** Rocklin, CA; **County:** Placer

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:** The proposed project is installation of an Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) at all signalized intersections throughout the City of Rocklin and would involve trenching within the existing right-of-way to install sensors and to connect to the existing traffic signaling infrastructure. All work will occur within the existing right-of-way and will not expand the existing use.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** City of Rocklin

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** City of Rocklin Public Services, Attn: Justin Nartker, 4081 Alvis Court, Rocklin, CA 95677, (916) 625-5500

**Exempt Status (Check one)**

X Categorical Exemption (California Code of Regulations Sec. 15300 et seq.): Section 15301–Existing Facilities, Section 15302–Replacement or Reconstruction, and Section 15304–Minor Alterations to Land

**Reasons why the project is exempt.** The project involves installation of an Intelligent Transportation System at all signalized intersections throughout the City of Rocklin, as further described above. Class 1 exemptions consist of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographic features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency’s determination. Examples include but are not limited to: (c) existing highways and streets, gutters, bicycle and pedestrian trails and similar facilities. Class 2 exemptions consist of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced, including but not limited to: (c) replacement or reconstruction of existing utility systems and/or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of capacity. Class 4 exemptions consist of minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes. Examples include but are not limited to: (f) minor trenching and backfilling where the surface is restored. The project as proposed is consistent with the exemption class descriptions noted above and is exempt pursuant to Classes 1, 2, and 4 of the CEQA Guidelines.

**Contact Person:** Dave Palmer, City Engineer

**Date received for Filing:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

Dave Palmer, City Engineer