

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF ROCKLIN  
APPROVING A NOTICE OF EXEMPTION  
(Stormwater Pipe Replacement)

WHEREAS, the City of Rocklin’s Environmental Coordinator has reviewed the Stormwater Pipe Replacement Project (“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 and 15302 – Replacement or Reconstruction; 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020, by the following vote:

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

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Greg Janda, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Hope Ithurnburn, Interim City Clerk

## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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

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

**Project Title:** Stormwater Pipe Replacement Project

**Project Location - Specific:** The proposed project location is existing roadways and easements within the City of Rocklin.

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

**Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:** The project involves rehabilitating storm water runoff drainage pipelines within existing drainage easements or City right-of-way throughout the City of Rocklin. The rehabilitation method(s) will be determined on a case by case basis and will include the use of cure in place products, sleeve products and/or total removal and replacement. All the work would occur within existing drainage easements or City right-of-way and there would be no or negligible expansion or increase in the capacity of the drainage pipelines.

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

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project:** City of Rocklin

**Exempt Status (Check one)**

x Categorical Exemption (California Code of Regulations Sec. 15300 et seq.): Section 15301  
– Existing Facilities Section 15302 – Replacement or Reconstruction

**Reasons why the project is exempt.** The project involves rehabilitating storm water runoff drainage pipelines as further described above. Class 1 exemptions consist of the minor alteration of existing facilities involving negligible or no expansion beyond the existing use. Examples include but are not limited to: (b) Existing facilities of both investor and publicly owned utilities used to provide electric power, natural gas, sewerage, or other public utility services, and (d) Restoration or rehabilitation of deteriorated or damaged structures, facilities or mechanical equipment to meet current standards of public health and safety, unless it is determined that the damage was substantial and resulted from an environmental hazard such as earthquake, landslide, or flood. 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. The project as proposed is consistent with the exemption class descriptions noted above and is exempt pursuant to Classes 1 and 2 of the CEQA Guidelines.

**Contact Person:** Justin Nartker, Public Services Director

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

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Justin Nartker, Public Services Director