

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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FROM: Nevada County Department of Public Works  
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**Project Title:** Guardrail Safety Audit Project

**Project Applicant:** Nevada County Department of Public Works

**Project Location - Specific:** A new guardrail would be constructed on Magnolia Road on the western side of Kingston Lane. Guardrail upgrades to current standards would be completed at locations selected from Banner Lava Cap Road at Cascade Canal, Gracie Road at Cascade Canal, Greenhorn Road south of Flying Cloud Drive, Greenhorn Road west of Glenn Pines Road, McCourtney Road at Lime Kiln Road, McCourtney Road east of Paddock Lane, Penn Valley Drive east of Willowbrook Lane, Pleasant Valley Road at Sweetland Creek, Pleasant Valley Road north of spillway bridge, Rough and Ready Highway 2100 ft north of Highway 20, Rough and Ready Highway east of Stagecoach Way, Tammy Way at Gary Way, Wheeler Cross Road at Rattlesnake Canal, Willow Valley Road east of Genasci Drive.

**Project Location - County:** Nevada County

**Description of Project:** This project comprises construction of one new guardrail opposite an existing guardrail, and guardrail upgrades to current standards at various locations.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** Nevada County Board of Supervisors

**Name of Public Agency Carrying Out Project:** Nevada County Department of Public Works

**Exempt Status:**

- Ministerial (Section 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Section 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption: 15301(c) repair or minor alteration of existing structures or facilities  
15301(f) addition of safety devices in conjunction with existing facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State Code Number:

**Reasons why project is exempt:** This project consists of repair or minor alteration of existing structures or facilities and addition of safety devices for use in conjunction with existing facilities and involves negligible or no expansion of use.

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**Lead Agency:** Nevada County

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**Signature:**

**Date:**

**Title:** Assistant Engineer  
 Signed by Lead Agency