



**San Francisco
Planning**

2024-0000009

F I L E D

SAN FRANCISCO County Clerk

MAR 05 2024

by: Mariedyne Nadonza
Deputy County Clerk

49 South Van Ness Avenue, Suite 1400
San Francisco, CA 94103
628.652.7600
www.sfplanning.org

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Final Approval Date: January 17, 2023
Case No.: 2022-009704ENV
Project Title: SFMTA Franklin Street Quick-Build Project
Zoning: Not applicable (within public right of way)
Block/Lot: Not applicable (within public right of way)
Lot Size: Not applicable (within public right of way)
Lead Agency: San Francisco Planning Department
Project Sponsor: Elizabeth Nagle, San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency
 (415) 646-4890
Elizabeth.Nagle@sfmta.com
Staff Contact: Jennifer McKellar, San Francisco Planning Department
 (628) 652-7563
Jennifer.McKellar@sfgov.org

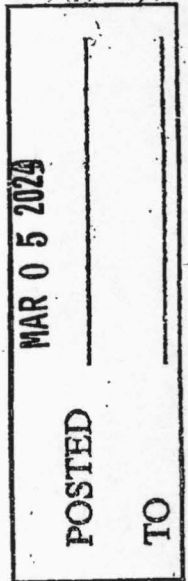
To: County Clerk, City and County of San Francisco
 City Hall Room 168
 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place
 San Francisco, CA 94102

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the Guidelines of the Secretary for Resources, and San Francisco requirements, this Notice of Exemption is transmitted to you for filing. At the end of the posting period, please return this Notice to the Staff Contact with a notation of the period it was posted.

Attached fee: \$79 filing fee

Project Description and Location

The San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) proposes to make pedestrian safety improvements on Franklin Street between Broadway and Lombard Street, as part of the Franklin Street Quick-Build Project. The project would include the following improvements: no right turn on red for northbound and westbound movements at three intersections (Franklin Street at Broadway, Green and Union streets), advance limit lines and continental crosswalks, painted safety zones and slow-turn wedges, daylighting red zones at select intersections, and new 20-foot double-yellow centerlines at select intersection approaches. The painted safety zones, slow-turn wedges, and daylighting would slow turning vehicles and increase the visibility and safety of people walking in the crosswalks. The new 20-foot double-yellow centerlines would prevent vehicles from turning into the lane of



oncoming cars or bikes. Up to 6 on-street parking spaces would be removed to implement the project. No excavation is required.

Determination

The City and County of San Francisco decided to carry out or approve the project on December 9, 2022, when the City Traffic Engineer signed Streets Division Directive Order No. 6607. The approval action date for the purpose of Administrative Code Chapter 31 occurred December 15, 2022, when the Planning Department posted the approval date on the Planning Department’s website. The project was officially approved on January 17, 2023, when no appeal of the statutory exemption was filed during the 30-day appeal period. A copy of the documents may be examined at the Planning Department, 49 South Van Ness Avenue, Suite 1400, San Francisco, CA, 94103 in file no. 2022-009704ENV.

1. An Exemption from Environmental Review has been prepared pursuant to the provisions of CEQA under:
 - Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268)
 - Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a))
 - Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c))
 - Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: _____
 - Statutory Exemption. State code number: Public Resources Code Section 21080.25
 - Community Plan Exemption (Sec. 21083.3; 15183)

2. This project in its approved form has been determined to be exempt from environmental review because it fits the definition of the above-stated statutory exemption class.

Debra Dwyer

For Lisa Gibson
Environmental Review Officer

March 4, 2024

Date

cc: Elizabeth Nagle, San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency
Supervisor Catherine Stefani, District 2



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2024 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT
 DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/24) Previously DFG 753.5a

Print  **Save**

RECEIPT NUMBER:
 38-03/05/2024-015
 STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY SAN FRANCISCO PLANNING DEPARTMENT	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL pic@sfgov.org	DATE 03/05/2024
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY	DOCUMENT NUMBER 2024-0000009	

PROJECT TITLE

SFMTA FRANKLIN STREET QUICK-BUILD PROJECT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME JENNIFER MCKELLAR	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL Jennifer.McKellar@sfgov.org	PHONE NUMBER (628) 652-7563
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 49 SOUTH VAN NESS AVENUE, SUITE 1400	CITY SAN FRANCISCO	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 94103

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

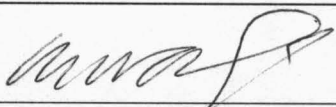
- Local Public Agency School District Other Special District State Agency Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

- Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$ 4,051.25 \$ _____
 - Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$ 2,916.75 \$ _____
 - Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$ 1,377.25 \$ _____
 - Exempt from fee
 - Notice of Exemption (attach)
 - CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)
 - Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)
-
- Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$ 850.00 \$ _____
 - County documentary handling fee \$ 79.00 \$ _____ **79.00**
 - Other \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash Credit Check Other JE GL 577039 **TOTAL RECEIVED \$ _____ **79.00****

SIGNATURE X 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Mariedyne Nadonza Deputy Clerk
---	---