

Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Bishop Airport Layout Plan (ALP) Update and Narrative Report Preparation BY M. Thompson DEPUTY

Project Location - Specific: Bishop (Eastern Sierra Regional) Airport, 703 Airport Road, Bishop, CA 93514.

Project Location - City: Bishop Project Location - County: Inyo

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project: The project includes the preparation of an ALP Update and Narrative Report to meet new FAA Standards; to establish a schedule for development of airport facilities to meet the degree of demand; and to prepare planning-level cost estimates for future projects. Benefits include updating the ALP plan set to comply with the FAA requirements; establishing future project costs and priorities; and to improve the management, operations, and development process at the airport.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Inyo County

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Inyo County

Exempt Status: (check one)

- 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: Section 15306; 15309
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt: The project includes the preparation of a planning document. It does not have the potential for ground disturbance, and consists only of aerial mapping, data collection, developing forecasts of of future demand; preparing cost estimates; and developing recommendations for future development.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Lynn M. Flanigan

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If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature:  Date: September 24, 2013 Title: Planning Director

Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR:

Signed by Applicant

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