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☐ Notice of Determination

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) or Negative Declaration (ND)

☐ No Effect Determination

☑ Notice of Exemption (NOE)

☐ Other (Please fill in type):

1. LEAD AGENCY: Sunnyvale School District

2. LEAD AGENCY EMAIL: brandt.burns@sesd.org

3. PROJECT TITLE: Cumberland Elementary School Playground Refurbishments

4. APPLICANT NAME: Sunnyvale School District PHONE: 408-522-8200x106

5. APPLICANT EMAIL: brandt.burns@sesd.org

6. APPLICANT ADDRESS: 825 West Iowa Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94086

7. PROJECT APPLICANT IS A: ☐ Local Public Agency ☑ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

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SUNNYVALE SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: Santa Clara County Clerk-Recorder
East Wing, First Floor
70 West Hedding Street
San José, CA 95110

From: Sunnyvale School District
825 West Iowa Avenue
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

Project Title: Cumberland Elementary School Playground Refurbishments

Project Location: Cumberland Elementary School, 824 Cumberland Drive

Project Location – City: Sunnyvale, CA 94087   **Project Location – County:** Santa Clara County

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Sunnyvale School District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Sunnyvale School District

Lead Agency Contact Person: Brandt Burns   **Phone Number:** (408) 522-8200 x1060

Description of Project: The Sunnyvale School District (SSD) proposes to replace some of the existing playground components, install new playground equipment, re-stripe the existing asphalt play surface, install new shade structures, and add new playground matting at the Cumberland Elementary School campus.

Exempt Status: One or more of the following Categorical Exemptions are applicable to the proposed project:

Class 1 - Section 15301. Existing Facilities: Operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alterations to a public facility involving no or negligible expansion of existing or former use.
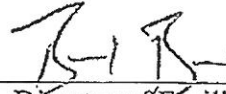
Class 2 - Section 15302. Replacement or Reconstruction: Replacement or reconstruction of structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site for substantially the same purpose.

Class 4 - Section 15304. Minor Alterations to Land: Minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation that do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

Class 11 - Section 15311. Accessory Structures: Construction or replacement of minor structures accessory to existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities including on-premises signs.

Class 14 – Section 15314. Minor Additions to Schools: Minor additions to schools within school grounds where the addition does not increase student capacity by more than 25 percent or ten classrooms.

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The proposed improvements to Cumberland Elementary School would not introduce a new use onto the campus or result in an enrollment increase. Per section 15300.2 of the CEQA Guidelines, it has been determined the project is not located on a hazardous waste site and the project would not affect environmental resources of hazardous or critical concern, result in a significant impact due to unusual circumstances, damage scenic resources, affect an historical resource, or result in a cumulative impact. For these reasons, the project is exempt from the provisions of CEQA.

5/2/23

Signature of Lead Agency Representative: Brandt Burns, Director of Facilities and Operations

Date: May 1, 2023