

### **List of CE Projects that are Exempt for Noise Analysis/Considerations:**

<b>Project Type</b>	<b>Project Description</b>
Bridge Rehabilitation & Replacement	Replacement of structure on existing
	Bridge inventory
	Joint and crack seal
	Paint bridge
	Replace bridge deck
	Retrofit railing
	Sealing existing joints (SEJ) / bridge joint repair
Bridge Widening	Rehabilitation or widening of deck, sub or super structure of an existing bridge to upgrade bridge to loading standards or geometric standards or traffic capacity.
Corridor Traffic Management	Corridor traffic management systems
	Traffic management communications systems
	Upgrade existing intelligent transportation system to ATM network
RR Grade Crossing Protection	Signalization and/or controls for grade crossing protection
Hazard Elimination & Safety	All projects of federal traffic safety program
	Safety end treatments
	Metal Beam Guard Fence
	Communications systems
	Concrete median barrier
	Continuous illumination
	Gating of HOV facility
	Illumination refurbishing
	Incident detection response system
	Full ITS package: cameras, changeable signs, etc.
	Installation of vehicle detectors
	Refurbish high mast assemblies, high mast illumination rings
	Traffic light installation
	Safe Routes to Schools
Interchanges (excluding a capacity)	A complete interchange facility (such as trumpet, diamond, three-level diamond, cloverleaf, partial cloverleaf, or directional) on new location or reconstruction of interchange on existing right of way
Landscape and Scenic Enhancement	Improvements of overall aesthetics of right of way or enhancement of roadside view
	Install landscape pavers; landscaping and irrigation on the median
	Landscape enhancement or establishment; related retaining walls, parking areas and other "hardscaping" tied to landscaping
Miscellaneous Construction	Construct monument screening wall
	Bike/pedestrian paths (including Safe Routes to Schools), streetscapes
	ADA curb ramps
	Installation of video surveillance and fiber optic cable
	Waterproofing

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Outdoor Advertising Control	Outdoor advertising control measures
Pathways	Pathway and biking facilities
Pavement Preservation	Leveling up or surfacing a pavement course
	HMAC (hot mix asphalt overlay) or ARACFC (asphalt-rubber)
	Mill, seal, and overlay main lanes
	Overlay and stripe existing facility
	Rotomill and base work
Resurfacing, Restoration Rehabilitation (3R)	Reshaping and/or addition of existing base courses, including resurfacing, within existing right of way to meet 3R Standards. This function includes (but not limited to) minor safety upgrading, such as widening culverts and guard fence
	3R work done completely within existing pavement and shoulder limits
	3R work done completely within 10 feet of the existing pavement or between the flowlines of the ditches, whichever is greatest
Right of Way	Purchase of right of way only
Railroad	Install full depth concrete crossings on main and side tracks
	Railroad grade crossing replacement in existing ROW and easements
	Railroad signal construction
Recreational Trails Program	Hiking trails and amenities
Rest Area	Construction of rest area
	Reconstruction of rest area
	Rehabilitate rest areas
Traffic	New traffic signal, or upgrade of signalized intersection
	Guide sign refurbishing and sequential signing
	Install closed loop signal system—on system
	Installation of railroad signal/traffic signal pre-emption equipment
	Installation of railroad warning signals and gates
	Installation of signing and improvement of existing signs
	Installation of traffic signals
	Rehabilitation of existing changeable message signs
	Replace existing traffic buttons with thermoplastic
	Signal improvements and upgrade
	Street name signs
	Striping
Upgrade to Standards Non-Freeway	Upgrading of a non-freeway facility to current standards including base or pavement support enhancements
	Adding shoulders, rehabilitation of existing mainlines, shoulder work, adding center turn lanes in median
Utilities	Utilities associated with a construction project