



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Beach Trail Temporary Fencing and Revegetation (10-11-SD-31)

LOCATION: Torrey Pines State Reserve **COUNTY:** San Diego

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

This project consists of installing approximately 200' of temporary symbolic fencing in Torrey Pines State Reserve, Beach Trail, along the switchbacks to reduce foot traffic on shortcut trails. Also included in the project will be the revegetation of approximately 2,500 sq. ft. along the switchback trails. Revegetation will consist of plant species from onsite plant materials and seed stock. In addition to plantings, trimmings from nearby trail maintenance will be use a mulch to help provide additional physical and symbolic barriers. DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into this project. A copy of these requirements may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: San Diego Coast

EXEMPT STATUS:

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section)
- Categorical Exemption
Class: 3e, 4 Section(s): 15303e 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with Section 15300.2. A resource ecologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to natural resources. An archaeologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to cultural resources. Consists of construction of limited numbers of new, small facilities (Class 3) Project does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (class 4)

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