

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): City of West Covina
1444 W. Garvey Avenue S
West Covina, CA 91790

County Clerk
County of:

(Address)

Project Title: Cortez Park Playground Installation

Project Applicant: City of West Covina

Project Location - Specific:

2441 E. Cortez Street, West Covina CA 91791

Project Location - City: West Covina Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The removal of existing playground equipment and the installation of new playground equipment within an expanded area to make the playground accessible and safer. The existing equipment is old, while the ground cover are woodchips. The woodchips will be replaced with a rubberized surface. The project will stay within the footprint of the current playground.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of West Covina

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Kelly McDonald

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));
[X] Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: 15303 New construction or conversion of small structures
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The proposed new playground equipment is accessory to the park use

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Jo-Anne Burns Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (626)939-8422

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: [Signature] Date: 4/14/2021 Title: Planning manager

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: