

CEQA Notice of Exemption

TO: Office of Planning & Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Development Services
411 W. Ocean Blvd, 3rd Floor
Long Beach, CA 90802

L.A. County Clerk
Environmental Fillings
12400 E. Imperial Hwy., Room 1201
Norwalk, CA 90650

Exemption Number: SE-21-083

Project Title (Application Number): Belmont Pier Planned Development District (PD-2) - Coastal Commission Suggested Modifications

Project Location – Specific: Belmont Pier Planned Development District (PD-2) Area

Project Location – City/County: **City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California**

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Adoption of the California Coastal Commission (CCC) suggested modifications to the Belmont Pier Planned Development District (PD-2) Area and associated amendments to the Local Coastal Program (LCP) Long Beach Municipal Code, and applicable maps. The following actions by City Council are required to adopt the proposed CCC modifications: 1) Declare Ordinance approving a Zoning Code Amendment (ZCA21-001) amending the Belmont Pier Planned Development District (PD-2); 2) Declare Ordinance approving a Zone Change (ZCHG21-001) and amending the Use District Map (Zoning Map) from the Belmont Pier Planned Development District (PD-2) Subarea 4 to R-4-R, and from PD-2 Subarea 5 to PD-2 Subarea 4; 3) Adopt Resolution approving a General Plan Amendment (GPA21-002) to the Local Coastal Program Element of the General Plan to implement suggested modifications by the California Coastal Commission; 4) Adopt Resolution adopting amendments to the Local Coastal Program (LCP) of the General Plan by amending the Implementation Plan Land Use Map by amending portions of the Map to make conforming changes, incorporating modifications suggested by the California Coastal Commission; and, 5) Adopt Resolution authorizing the Director of Development Services to submit the Local Coastal Program Amendment (LCPA19-005, LCP5LOB200014-1) and associated materials to the California Coastal Commission for its review and certification.

Public Agency Approving Project: **City of Long Beach, California**

Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Long Beach

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: _____
- Statutory Exemption. State code number: 15265, Adoption of Coastal Plan and Programs

Reasons why project is exempt:

CEQA does not apply to activities and approvals by the City necessary for the preparation and adoption of an Local Coastal Program amendment. The overall project was analyzed as part of the previously-certified Environmental Impact Report (EIR) (EIR-01-16) (State Clearinghouse No. 2013041063) and Addendum to the EIR-01-16 for the Belmont Pool Revitalization Project. The specific plan has been analyzed in accordance with the certified EIR-01-16 and Addendum and will not result in any new significant impacts.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Scott Kinsey, AICP Contact Phone: (562) 570-6194

Signature:  Date: 7/14/21 Title: Planner V