

Notice of Exemption

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State Clearinghouse Number: n/a

Project Title: Cottonwood Creek Basin Routine Maintenance Project (Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2021-0004-R5)

Project Location (include county): The project is located within a constructed sedimentation basin in Cottonwood Creek, north of Encinitas Boulevard between South Vulcan Avenue and Interstate 5, in the City of Encinitas, County of San Diego.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2021-0004-R5, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to City of Encinitas.

The project is limited to periodic maintenance of an entire concrete-lined detention basin. The basin is 0.37 acres and was constructed in 2003 under Streambed Alteration Agreement #R5-2002-0028. Maintenance will be performed on a routine basis (annually or as needed to reduce flood risk). Project activities include the removal of vegetation and sediment using an excavator, dozer, backhoe/bobcat, dump trucks, and/or hand tools, including shovels.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

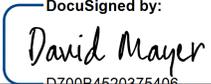
Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Encinitas

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption. State code number
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1 Existing Facilities; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301

Reasons why project is exempt: This project consists of the routine maintenance of a public constructed basin. This project will not result in expansion of use of the basin.

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