State of California – The Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
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PROJECT TITLE: Invasive shot hole borer and gold spotted oak borer management

LOCATION: Chino Hills State Park

COUNTY: Riverside/ Orange/ San Bernardino

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: This project would focus on the management of trees infested with forest pest(s) including Invasive Shot Hole Borer and Goldspotted Oak Borer. California State Parks proposes to follow Integrated Pest Management recommendations for each species, consisting of pesticide applications when necessary and removal of dead and amplifier trees/hostplants or infested limbs.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Inland Empire District

EXEMPT STATUS:

☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section)
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class: 4 *Section: 15304*

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: No potential for significant impact to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.4. If the project is implemented as indicated within the CDPR Project Evaluation Form, then it is exempt under

CEQA §15304 – Minor Alterations to Land

- Resource Management Projects

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