

Notice of Exemption

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From:

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Project Title: Routine Maintenance of Concrete Channel on Las Virgenes Creek at the Intersection of Meadow Creek Lane (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. 1600-2021-0007-R5)

Project Location (Los Angeles County): The Routine Maintenance of Concrete Channel on Las Virgenes Creek at the Intersection of Meadow Creek Lane is located at the intersection of Lost Hills Road and Meadow Creek Lane. The project is located along Las Virgenes Creek in the City of Calabasas, Los Angeles County. The project site lies within the Calabasas U.S. Geological Survey 7.5-minute quadrangle at latitude 34.129307° N and longitude - 118.707810° W; Assessor's Parcel Number 2063-034-900.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement Notification No. 1600-2021-0007-R5, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the City of Calabasas as represented by Alex Farassati.

The Routine Maintenance of Concrete Channel on Las Virgenes Creek at the Intersection of Meadow Creek Lane includes the routine removal of sediment, debris, and vegetation from a 0.53-acre section of Las Virgenes Creek. This section of Las Virgenes Creek consists of concrete chambers and culvert that collect sediment and debris and have vegetation growing within them. These activities will be done on a routine basis between September 1 and October 16 each year and will take approximately 25 days to complete.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: CITY OF LONG BEACH

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
- Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301

Reasons why project is exempt: The Routine Maintenance of Concrete Channel on Las Virgenes Creek at the Intersection of Meadow Creek Lane consists of the maintenance of existing concrete chambers and culvert within Las Virgenes Creek. This maintenance is necessary to remove accumulated debris and sediment. No expansion of use is proposed. The Routine Maintenance of Concrete Channel on Las Virgenes Creek at the Intersection of Meadow Creek Lane is exempt because it involves the maintenance of existing structures and/or facilities.

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