

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

From: (Public Agency): Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy
570 W. Ave. 26, Los Angeles, CA 90065

County Clerk
County of: Los Angeles
12400 Imperial Highway
Norwalk, CA 90650

(Address)

Project Title: Sycamore Canyon Acquisition Project

Project Applicant: Arroyos & Foothills Conservancy

Project Location - Specific:
APN 5663017005

Project Location - City: Glendale Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Fee title acquisition of 10.04 acres containing oak woodland, riparian and chaparral habitat and a seasonal stream to conserve it in perpetuity as a wildlife corridor and open space for the benefit of wildlife and public use.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Arroyos & Foothills Conservancy

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: Section 15313, Class 13, acquisition of land for wildlife conservation
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

This project will acquire this land to conserve it for wildlife conservation in perpetuity. This land will be maintained in its natural state and its habitat restored to improve its service as wildlife linkage between large areas of open space in the San Rafael Hills.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Paul Edelman Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 310-589-3200 x128

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: 6-15-23 Title: DEPUTY DIRECTOR

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: