

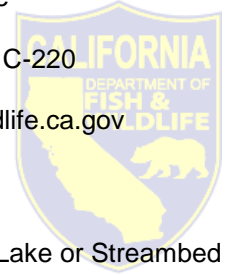
Notice of Exemption

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Project Title: Routine Maintenance Belaire HOA Weed Abatement Project (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-RIV-39195-R6)

Project Location (Riverside County): The Routine Maintenance Belaire Homeowners Association (HOA) Weed Abatement Project (Project) is located to the east of Interstate 15 and east of Laurel Canyon Way, in the City of Corona, County of Riverside, State of California; Latitude 33.860483, Longitude -117.532787. The Project is in the U.S. Geological Survey 7.5' Township 3 North, Range 6 West, San Bernardino Principal Meridian; Assessor's Parcel Number: 107-080-023.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-RIV-39195-R6, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Belaire Homeowners Association as represented by Dwight Peterson.

The Project consists of routine vegetation management activities along the fence line of seven homes located between 1661 Laurel Canyon Way (tract 10168-1 lot 23) and 1697 Laurel Canyon Way (tract 10168-1 lot 28) and the Belaire sewer line service road (Exhibit 1B). The vegetation management activities involve tree trimming and the removal of non-native trees and weedy invasives along the fence line of the homes.

Maintenance activities are expected to occur bi-annually, from the end of February to the beginning of March and from the end of October to the beginning of November. All weeding will be done by hand; no mechanized equipment will be used other than chain saws and weed eaters.

Public Agency Approving Project: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

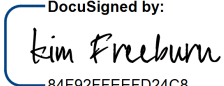
Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project: Belaire Homeowners Association

Exempt Status:

- Statutory Exemption.
 Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 4; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section (15304)

Reasons why project is exempt: This project is limited to minor alterations to vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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