

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121
Sacramento, CA 95814

Assessor/Recorder/County Clerk
Attn: Fish and Wildlife Notices
1600 Pacific Highway, Suite 260, MS A-33
San Diego, CA 92101

FROM: County of San Diego, Department of Public Works
Environmental Services Unit
Attn: **Samantha Mayer**
5510 Overland Avenue, Suite 410, MS O-332
San Diego, CA 92123

SUBJECT: FILING OF NOTICE OF EXEMPTION IN COMPLIANCE WITH PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 21108 OR 21152

Project Name: 9061 Creekford Drive Emergency Project

Project Location: The emergency project is located within Unincorporated San Diego County at 9061 Creekford Drive

Project Applicant: Department of Public Works
5510 Overland Ave, Suite 410, San Diego, CA 92123

Project Description: The project includes the repair and stabilization of a small section of Creekford Drive.

Agency Approving Project: County of San Diego

County Contact Person: Thomas Duffy Telephone: (858)232-1150

Date Form Completed: January 24, 2024

This is to advise that the County of San Diego Department of Public Works has approved the above described project on January 24, 2024, and found the project to be exempt from CEQA under the following criteria:

Exempt status and applicable section of the CEQA ("C") and/or State CEQA Guidelines ("G"): (check only one)

- Categorical Exemption:** Sec. G
- Declared Emergency:** Sec. C 21080(b)(3);
- Emergency Project:** Sec. G 15269(a)
- General:** Sec. C.
- Ministerial:** Sec. C 21080(b)(1); G 15268
- Preliminary Review:** Sec. G
- Statutory Exemption:** Sec. G

Statement of reasons why project is exempt: The project proposes to repair and stabilize a small section of Creekford Drive which was compromised as a result of water runoff during the Jan 19-22, 2024, rain events. On January 23rd, 2024 Governor Newsom proclaimed a state of emergency in San Diego County. The project is statutorily exempt from CEQA review per section 15269(a) Emergency Project: Projects to maintain, repair, restore, demolish or replace property or facilities damaged or destroyed as a result of a disaster in a disaster-stricken area in which a state of emergency has been proclaimed by the Governor pursuant to the California Emergency Services Act, commencing with Section 8550 of the government code.

The following is to be completed only upon formal project approval by the appropriate County of San Diego decision-making body.

Signature: Tom Duffy Telephone: (858)232-1150

Name (Print): Tom Duffy Title: Environmental Planning Manager

This Notice of Exemption has been signed and filed by the County of San Diego.

This notice must be filed with the Recorder/County Clerk as soon as possible after project approval by the decision-making body. The Recorder/County Clerk must post this notice within 24 hours of receipt and for a period of not less than 30 days. At the termination of the posting period, the Recorder/County Clerk must return this notice to the Department address listed above along with evidence of the posting period. The originating Department must then retain the returned notice for a period of not less than nine months. Reference: CEQA Guidelines Section 15062.