

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

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

From: (Public Agency): California Natural Resources Agency
715 P Street, 20th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

(Address)

Project Title: Sycamore Canyon Acquisition Project

Project Applicant: Arroyos & Foothills Conservancy

Project Location - Specific:
APN5663017005

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 ok 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: California Natural Resources Agency

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));

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: Shannon Asquith Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (916) 902-6445

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: Andrea Scharffer Date: 2/14/2024 Title: Deputy Assistant Secretary

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code. Date received for filing at OPR: _____

Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code