

**Notice of Exemption****Appendix E**

**To:** Office of Planning and Research  
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County of: Los Angeles  
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**From:** (Public Agency): City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks  
221 N. Figueroa Street, Suite 400  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
(Address)

Project Title: Van Nuys Sherman Oaks War Memorial Park – Soccer Fields Replacements ProjectProject Applicant: City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and ParksProject Location - Specific: 14201 Huston St, Sherman Oaks, CA 91423Project Location - City: Los Angeles Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

On August 4, 2022, The Recreation and Park Board of Commissioners approved the following scope of work for the Project: **1).** Removal of three (3) existing synthetic turf soccer fields. **2).** Installation of three (3) new synthetic turf soccer fields. During the process of bidding and awarding the project, the quotes came back significantly higher than anticipated for the current project scope detailed above. Beneficiaries are patrons of the park.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and ParksName of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and ParksExempt 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: \_\_\_\_\_
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: Art. 5, Sec 15061(b)(3)

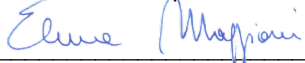
Reasons why project is exempt:

The proposed Board action consists of activities – approval of the revised total budget and commitment of supplemental Park Fees – for which the underlying Project has previously been evaluated for environmental significance. The Project has not been changed and no potential environmental impacts can reasonably be expected.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: ELENA MAGGIONI Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 213-482-6980

**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:  Date: 03/07/2024 Title: Environmental Supervisor

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.

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