



**State of California – The Resources Agency  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
1416 Ninth Street  
P.O. Box 942896  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** City of Ventura Storm Drain Maintenance

**LOCATION:** San Buenaventura State Beach      **COUNTY:** Ventura

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

The City of Ventura is conducting maintenance of a storm drain outfall on a city owned portion of beach property up coast (west) of the Ventura pier. Access to this area can only be achieved via travel across San Buenaventura State Beach property (parcel 073-0-280-190). The City’s contractor will unload an excavator in the State Parks parking lot adjacent to the pier and drive it across a small portion of State Parks beach to access the storm drain replacement project. No excavation work or ground disturbance will occur on State Park property.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Channel Coast District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**


- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section            )
- Categorical Exemption  
    Class: 1                                      Section: 15301

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

- **Class 1, Section 15301 – Existing Facilities**  
Consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, or minor alteration of existing public structures, facilities, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. Exemption is limited to defined activity on S.B. property.

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