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
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PROJECT TITLE: Pismo Lake Fence

LOCATION: Pismo State Beach

COUNTY: San Luis Obispo

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: The 4th Street Fence Project at Pismo State Beach aims to establish a protective boundary along the designated area near Pismo Lake. The proposed fencing will serve to manage public access, improve resource protection, and enhance operational efficiency. The project will be executed in coordination with the City of Pismo Beach. The fence will be installed along the turnaround roadway at 4th Street, extending approximately 678–750 feet as per the most recent mapping records. The fence will run along the property boundary as identified by the surveyor-provided limits. Five-foot no-climb wire fencing will be attached to metal t-stakes and wooden posts.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Oceano Dunes District

EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section   )
☒ Categorical Exemption
  Class: 3 and 11   *Section:* 15303, 15311

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: The project falls within the CE classes listed above. Proposed activities consist of new construction/installation of fencing (Class 3, Section 15303) and construction or placement of fencing and signs, seasonal or temporary (Class 11, Section 15311). The Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities is in accordance with CCR §15300.4. There are no exceptions to the exemptions that apply.

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