



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Date of Notice: August 21, 2024

# NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

## ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

### ENGINEERING & CAPITAL PROJECTS DEPARTMENT

WBS No. B-18142.02.06

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**PROJECT NAME:** Block 6DD1 (Clairemont Mesa) Road Improvements UU410

**COMMUNITY PLAN AREA:** Clairemont Mesa

**COUNCIL DISTRICT:** 2

**LOCATION:** Work will occur within developed City right-of-way and City easements at the following locations: Kamloop Avenue, Moraga Avenue, Taos Drive, Quapaw Avenue, Fox Avenue, Nemaha Drive, Tacoma Street, Yucca Avenue, Calfur Avenue, Wicopee Place, Taos Place, Ecochee Avenue, Elsinore Place, Kenosha Avenue, Moraga Place, Paducah Drive, Cadden Drive, Southview Drive, and Cadden Court.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The project proposes roadway improvements, including street resurfacing, relocation of street signage, and installation of new curb ramps.

**ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL:** City of San Diego

**ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** This activity is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA State Guidelines, Sections 15301(c) (Existing Facilities) and 15303(d) (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures).

**ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** City of San Diego Engineering & Capital Projects Department

**STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** The City of San Diego conducted an environmental review which determined that the project meets the following categorical exemption criteria set forth in CEQA State Guidelines: Section 15301(c) (Existing Facilities), which allows for the maintenance and minor alteration of existing public facilities involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use, such as the resurfacing of existing streets and the relocation of existing street signage to accommodate curb ramp installation; Section 15303(d) (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures) which allows for the construction and location of limited numbers of small structures, such as the installation of new curb ramps; and where the exceptions listed in Section 15300.2 would not apply.

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On August 20, 2024, the City of San Diego made the above-referenced environmental determination pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This determination is appealable to the City Council. If you have any questions about this determination, contact the City Project Manager listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determinations made by staff to the City Council must be filed in the Office of the City Clerk within five (5) business days from the date of the posting of this Notice. An application to appeal this CEQA determination must be filed by 5:00 p.m. on August 28, 2024. Appeal procedures are described in Information Bulletin 505 (<https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/dsdib505.pdf>). Appeals to the City Clerk must be filed by email or in person as follows:

- 1) Appeals filed via E-mail: The Environmental Determination Appeal Application Form DS-3031 can be obtained at <https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/development-services/pdf/industry/forms/ds3031.pdf>. Send the completed appeal application form (including grounds for appeal and supporting documentation in pdf format) by email to [Hearings1@sandiego.gov](mailto:Hearings1@sandiego.gov) by 5:00 p.m. on the last day of the appeal period; your email appeal will be acknowledged within 24 hours. You must separately mail the appeal fee by check payable to the City Treasurer to: City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The appeal filing fee must be United States Postal Service (USPS) postmarked within five (5) business days of the date the appeal is filed.
- 2) Appeals filed in person: The Environmental Determination Appeal Application Form DS-3031 can be obtained at <https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/development-services/pdf/industry/forms/ds3031.pdf>. Deposit the fully completed appeal application (including grounds for appeal and supporting documentation) to the City Administration Building – Public Information Counter (Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday excluding City-approved holidays), 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Lobby, located at 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101, by 5:00 p.m. on the last day of the appeal period. The completed appeal form shall include the required appeal fee, with a check payable to: City Treasurer. Please include the project name on the memo line of the check/money order. This Drop-Off Box is checked daily, and payments are processed the following business day.

This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request.

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