



Date of Notice: April 21, 2025

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME: Special Event Permit – Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Barrio Logan, Downtown, Midway, Mission Bay Park, Pacific Beach, La Jolla, University City, and Torrey Pines

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 1, 2, 3, 8

LOCATION: Roadways through Barrio Logan, Downtown, Midway, Mission Bay Park, Pacific Beach, La Jolla, University City, and Torrey Pines (see attached maps and route descriptions)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Special Event Permit for that portion of the Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics Southern California event that would occur within the City of San Diego right-of-way jurisdiction on May 27, 2025. Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from 9:30 AM until 4 PM on May 27, 2025. Set up would occur from 9:30 AM to 10 AM, the event would occur from 10:15 AM to 4 PM, and dismantling would occur from 4 PM until 4 PM. The route within the City of San Diego's jurisdiction is shown on the attached maps and route descriptions.

No road closures would occur with this event within the City of San Diego's jurisdiction. Intersection monitoring and delays may occur as runners make their way along the route. The route and run would obey rules of the road.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities); Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land); Section 15311 (Accessory Structures).

ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: City of San Diego Mayor-Appointed Designee

STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The City of San Diego conducted an environmental review that determined the project would not have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section(s): Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) which allows for the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or minor alterations of existing public or private structures or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use; Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land) which allows for minor, temporary use of land that has negligible or no permanent effects on the environment; Section 15311 (Accessory Structures) which allows for construction, or placement of minor structures accessory to existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities, including, but not limited to, temporary use items in

publicly owned facilities or other facilities designated for public use; and where the exceptions listed in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 would not apply in that no cumulative impacts were identified; no significant effects on the environment were identified; the project is not adjacent to a scenic highway; no historical resources would be affected by the action; and the project was not identified on a list of hazardous waste sites pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code.

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On April 21, 2025, 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 Contact listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed with the Office of the Clerk within 5 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (**April 28, 2025**).

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 via 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@san Diego.gov by 5:00p.m. on the last day of the appeal period; your email appeal will be acknowledged within 24 business 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) before or on the final date of the appeal.
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>. Bring the fully completed appeal application DS-3031 (including grounds for appeal and supporting documentation) to the City Administration Building— Public Information Counter (Open 8:00am to 5:00pm Monday through Friday excluding City approved holidays), 1st Floor Lobby, located at 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101, by 5:00pm 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.

The appeal application can also be obtained from the City Clerk, 202 'C' Street, 1st Floor Lobby, San Diego, CA 92101. This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request.

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Day 1, Tuesday, May 27, 2025				
Leg	Time	Start	Stop	Agencies
1 (5.3 miles)	1015	4th & F St. -E/B to 3rd Ave.; W/B on E St.; N/B on Broadway/National City Blvd (Stop at National City PD) to W/B 8th St. to N/B Harbor Dr.	Harbor Dr. and 32nd St.	Chula Vista PD San Diego PD - Southern, Border Patrol, National City PD, SDPD Southeastern
2 (3.5 miles)	1119	Harbor Dr. and 32nd St. N/B Harbor Dr. to E/B Cesar Chavez to N/B 25th St. to W/B Broadway	Broadway and 15th St. SDPD Headquarters	San Diego PD- Central/MidCity, Coronado PD, SD Sheriff
3 (2.5 miles)	1201	Broadway and 15th St. W/B Broadway to N/B PCH	PCH and Palm St.	SDPD HQ, US Postal
4 (2.3 miles)	1231	PCH and Palm St. N/B PCH to Taylor St. (frontage road)	PCH and Taylor St.	SD Harbor Police, City Schools, BOP, DA
5 (3.2 miles)	1259	PCH and Taylor St. N/B PCH to N. Mission Bay Dr. & Mission Bay Dr.	N. Mission Bay Dr. & Mission Bay Dr. (De Anza Cove) (10-15 min lunch break for support team)	CHP, SDPD-Western, IRS CI, FBI, DHS, RJD
6 (2.6 miles)	1338	N. Mission Bay Dr. & Mission Bay Dr. to W/B Grand Ave. to Mission Blvd.	Grand Ave. and Mission Blvd.	CHP-EI Cajon, SDPD Northeastern, DEA, BOP, CDCR-Parole, Community College PD
7 (1.9 miles)	1410	Grand Ave. and Mission Blvd. N/B Mission Blvd. to N/B La Jolla Blvd.	La Jolla Blvd. and Colima	La Mesa PD, El Cajon PD, SDSU PD
8 (2.8 miles)	1433	La Jolla Blvd. and Colima N/B La Jolla Blvd. to E/B Pearl St. to N/B Girard Ave. to E/B Torrey Pines Rd.	Torrey Pines Rd. and High Ave.	SDPD-Northern, SDPD Traffic
9 (1.3 miles)	1507	Torrey Pines Rd. and High Ave. E/B Torrey Pines Rd. to N/B Torrey Pines Rd.	Torrey Pines Rd. and La Jolla Pkwy.	SDPD Eastern, SDPD Neighborhood Policing
10 (2.2 miles)	1523	Torrey Pines Rd. and La Jolla Pkwy. N/B Torrey Pines Rd. to North Torrey Pines Rd.	North Torrey Pines Rd. and La Jolla Shores	SDPD SWAT / Chiefs Leg
11 (2.2 miles)	1543	North Torrey Pines Rd. and La Jolla Shores N/B North Torrey Pines Rd.	North Torrey Pines Rd. and Science Park Rd.	US Marshals, UCSD PD
12 (2.6 miles)	1609	North Torrey Pines Rd. and Science Park Rd. N/B North Torrey Pines Rd.	North Torrey Pines Rd. and Carmel Valley Rd.	SDPD-Northwestern, SDC Probation, US Probation
Torch Retires for the night.				
Day 2, Wednesday, May 28, 2025				
Leg	Time	Start	Stop	Agencies
13a (5 miles)	0630	Carmel Valley Rd. and PCH N/B PCH	PCH and Las Olas Restaurant	DA
13b (5.3 miles)	0730	PCH and Las Olas Restaurant N/B PCH	PCH and La Costa Ave.	San Diego Sheriff's Dept, DEA, Secret Service, Training Academy
14 (3 miles)	0834	PCH and La Costa Ave. N/B PCH	PCH and Hilton Garden Inn	Escondido PD, Carlsbad PD, CSUSM PD
15 (3.7 miles)	0910	PCH and Hilton Garden Inn N/B PCH	PCH and Buena Vista	Carlsbad PD, Palomar College PD
16 (4 miles)	0955	PCH and Buena Vista N/B thru Oceanside	Front gate - Camp Pendleton	Oceanside PD, CHP
17	1043	Front gate - Camp Pendleton	Carl's Jr at El Camino Road Hand off to OC Sheriff's	US Marine Corps, NCIS

Finish: Camp Pendleton

