



Date of Notice: June 12, 2025

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME: Special Event Permit - San Diego Pride Parade & 5K 2025

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Balboa Park, Uptown

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 3

LOCATION: University Ave., 6th Ave., Balboa Dr., Normal St. (see attached map)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Special Event Permit for a parade and 5K event that would include vendors, a parade, floats, cars, animals, food vendors, food trucks, onsite food preparation, entertainment, music, a stage, tents/canopies, fencing and/or barriers, tables, chairs, portable restrooms, and trash/recycling containers, and would occur on July 19, 2025, on University Ave, 6th Ave. and Balboa Drive as shown on the attached map. Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from 4 AM until 4 PM on July 19, 2025. There would be a public announcement system used and sound amplification would occur on July 19, 2025, from 8 AM until 4 PM. Set-up would occur from 4 AM until 8 AM, the event would occur from 8 AM until 3 PM, and dismantling would be a rolling clean up as the parade and run ends through 4 PM. The parade and 5K routes are shown on the attached maps.

The following road and street parking closures associated with the event would occur from 5 AM until 4 PM on July 19, 2025:

Closure #1- Centre Street between University Avenue and Park Boulevard (approx.. 100ft south of University to parking lot); (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #2- Normal Street between Washington Street and University Avenue; (parking both sides and median from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #3- Cleveland Avenue between Richmond Street and Washington Street; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #4- Harvey Milk Street between Cleveland Avenue and Centre Street; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #5- Lincoln Avenue between Washington Street and Park Boulevard; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #7 - Herbert Street between University and Essex; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #10 - Southbound Park Blvd. from University to Howard

Closure #11 - Polk Ave from Washington to Park; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #12 - Richmond from Essex to Cleveland (parking both sides Richmond & Essex for shuttle stop from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #14- University from Park to Vermont

The following road closures associated with the event would occur from 6:30 AM until 4 PM on July 19, 2025:

Closure #6- University from 5th Ave to Vermont

Closure #8 - 6th Avenue between University Avenue and Upas Street; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #9 - Balboa Dr. between Upas Street to El Prado; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #13 - 10th from Essex to University; (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

Closure #15- Quince from Balboa to 6th Avenue (parking both sides from 4 AM until 4 PM)

The following street parking closures associated with the event would occur from 6 AM until 4 PM on July 19, 2025:

Parking Closure #7 DMV Parking Lot

Parking Closure #8 - Both sides of University between Park and 5th

Parking Closure #13 - Both sides of Vermont for 100ft between north and south of University Ave.

Parking Closure #14 - Both sides of 10th for 100ft between north and south of University Ave.

Parking Closure #15 - Both sides of 9th for 100ft between north and south of University Ave.

Parking Closure #16 - Both sides of 8th for 100ft between north and south of University Ave.

Parking Closure #17 - Both sides of 7th for 100ft between north and south of University Ave.

Parking Closure #18 - Both sides of Laurel St. between 6th and Balboa.

Parking Closure #22- Centre Street approx.. 100ft south of University to parking lot

Parking Closure #23- south side of Park from University to Howard

Parking Closure #24- North side of Essex first 100' east of Richmond

Parking Closure #25- Both sides of Balboa from Upas to Laurel

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 June 12, 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 (**June 20, 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@sandiego.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.

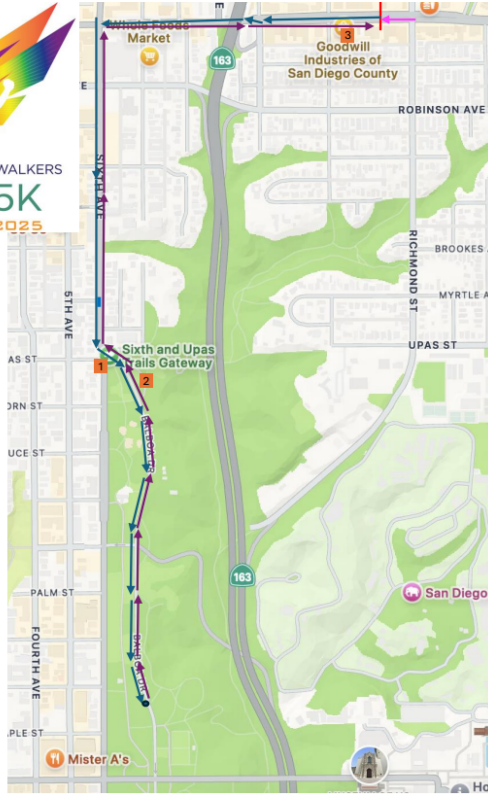
The appeal application can also be obtained from the City Clerk, 202 'C' Street, 1st Floor Lobby, San Diego, CA 92101. This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request.

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- Key**
- Start/Finish
 - Mile Markers
 - Turn Around
 - Outbound
 - Inbound
 - Water station
 - Kids' Dash

Description

5K

Start/Finish: First lamp post west of Richmond on the south side of University (eastbound lanes)

Proceed west on University

At 10th: transition to the westbound lanes of University

At 6th: left turn, proceed south on 6th in southbound lanes

Water station @ 6th and Ivy

At Balboa Dr: left turn into Balboa park remaining on west side of Balboa Dr

Mile 1: immediately upon entering Balboa Park

Proceed south on west side of Balboa Dr

Turn around: 0.54 miles from entering Balboa park; 610 feet north of Balboa Dr and El Prado intersection (footpath intersects Balboa Dr on east side of road).

Proceed north on Balboa Dr, remaining on east side of road

Mile 2: north of small parking lot on east side of Balboa Dr (where red zone ends on east curb)

At 6th: turn right (north) remaining in northbound lanes

At University: turn right (east) remaining in eastbound lanes

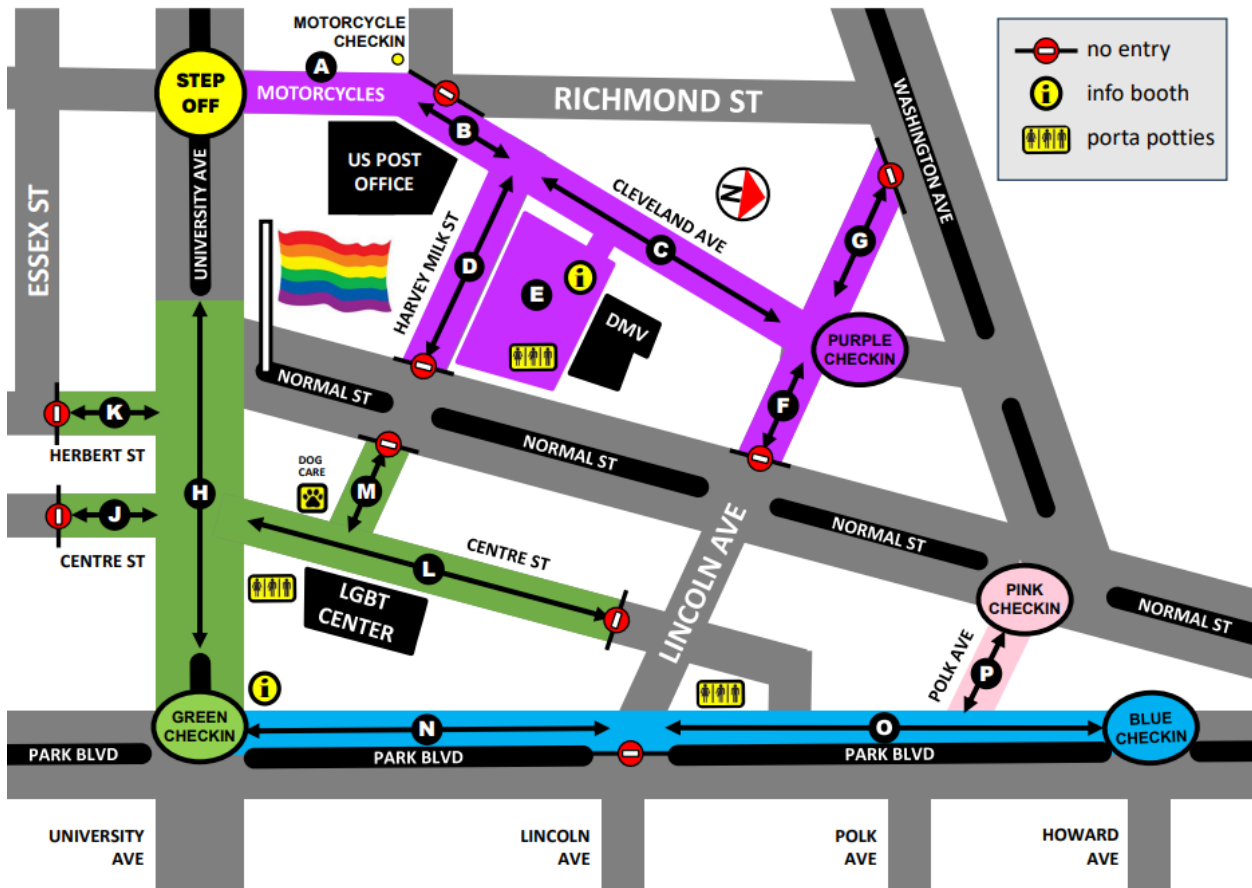
Mile 3: directly in front of Goodwill on south side of University












Start/Finish: First lamp post west of Richmond on the south side of University (eastbound lanes)

Kids' Dash

East side of University and Richmond intersection to 5K start/finish line, south side of University (eastbound lanes)

2025 SAN DIEGO LGBT PRIDE PARADE – STAGING AREA MAP

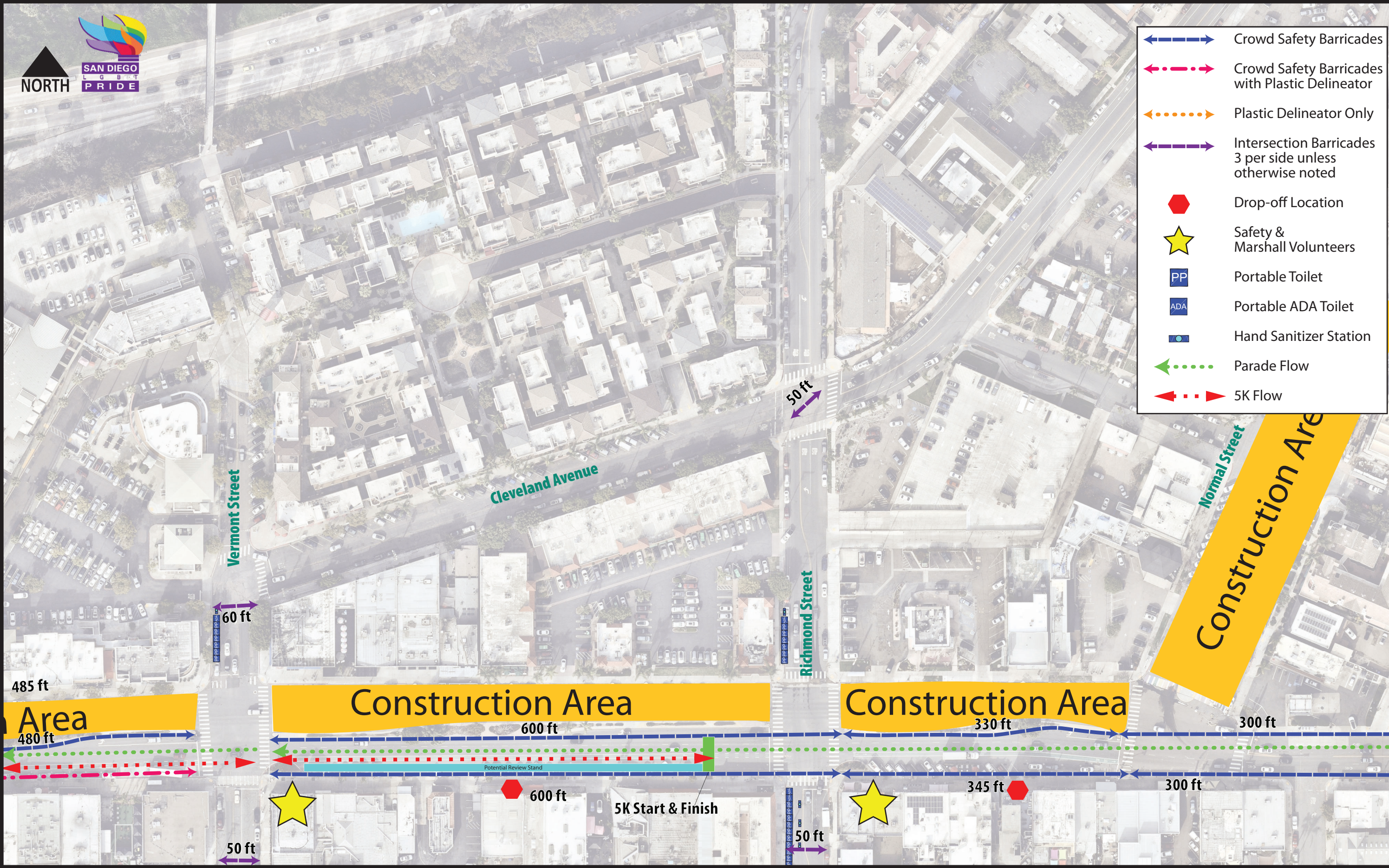


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