



Date of Notice: September 12, 2025

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME: Special Event Permit - 37th annual Mission Bay triathlon

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Mission Bay Park, Mission Beach

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 2

LOCATION: Bonita Cove, Ventura Park/Cove, Fiesta Island, Mission Beach, and surrounding roadways (see attached maps)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Special Event Permit for a triathlon/duathlon race event that would occur on October 12, 2025, at various locations in Bonita Cove, Ventura Cove, Fiesta Island, and surrounding roadways (see attached maps) within Mission Bay and Mission Beach. See maps attached. The event would include the swimming, bicycling, and running events, alcohol, portable restrooms, trash/recycling containers, canopies, tables, chairs, a stage, generators, sound amplification, a fenced-in beer garden, and entertainment. Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from 7 AM on October 11, 2025, until 2 PM on October 12, 2025. Set-up would occur on October 11, 2025, from 7 AM to 5 PM, and from 2 AM until 6 AM on October 12, 2025. The event would occur on October 12, 2025, from 6 AM to 12:30 PM, and dismantling would occur on October 12, 2025, from 12:30 PM to 2 PM.

Road, parking, and parking lot closures would occur on October 12, 2025, and would include the following:

Fiesta Island Rd. from E. Mission Bay Dr. to E. Mission Bay Dr. closed (October 12, 2025, 6AM TO 10AM)
Sea World Drive w/b from E. Mission Bay Drive to Ingraham St. (October 12, 2025, 6AM TO 10AM)
W. Mission Bay Dr W/B On ramp to W. Mission Bay Dr to Gleason Rd (October 12, 2025, 6AM TO 10AM))
Off-ramp to Sunset Cliffs S/B Ingraham St to Sunset Cliffs (October 12, 2025, 6AM TO 10AM)
E. Mission Bay dr. S/B Fiesta Island to Pacific Hwy (October 12, 2025, 6AM TO 9:30AM)

Parking closures: (October 12, 2025, 6AM TO 12PM)

Mission Blvd San Fernando Pl to W. Mission Bay Dr. N/B lane #2

Fiesta Island Lot

Ventura Point parking lots

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 September 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 (**September 19, 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.

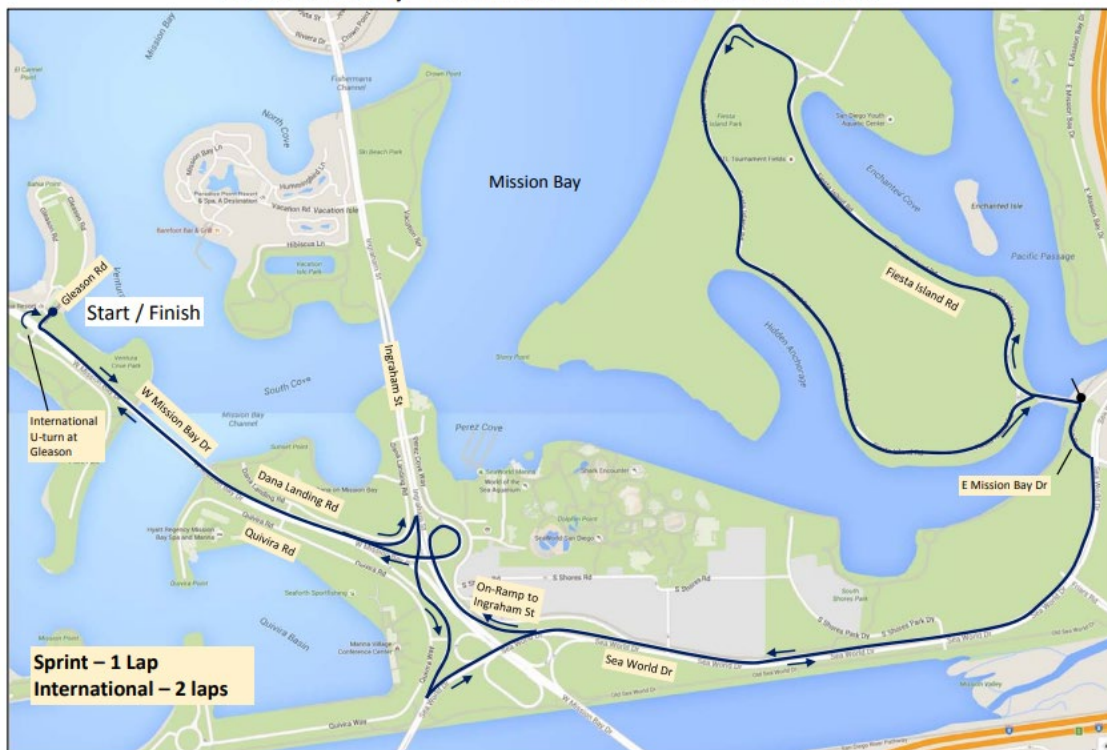
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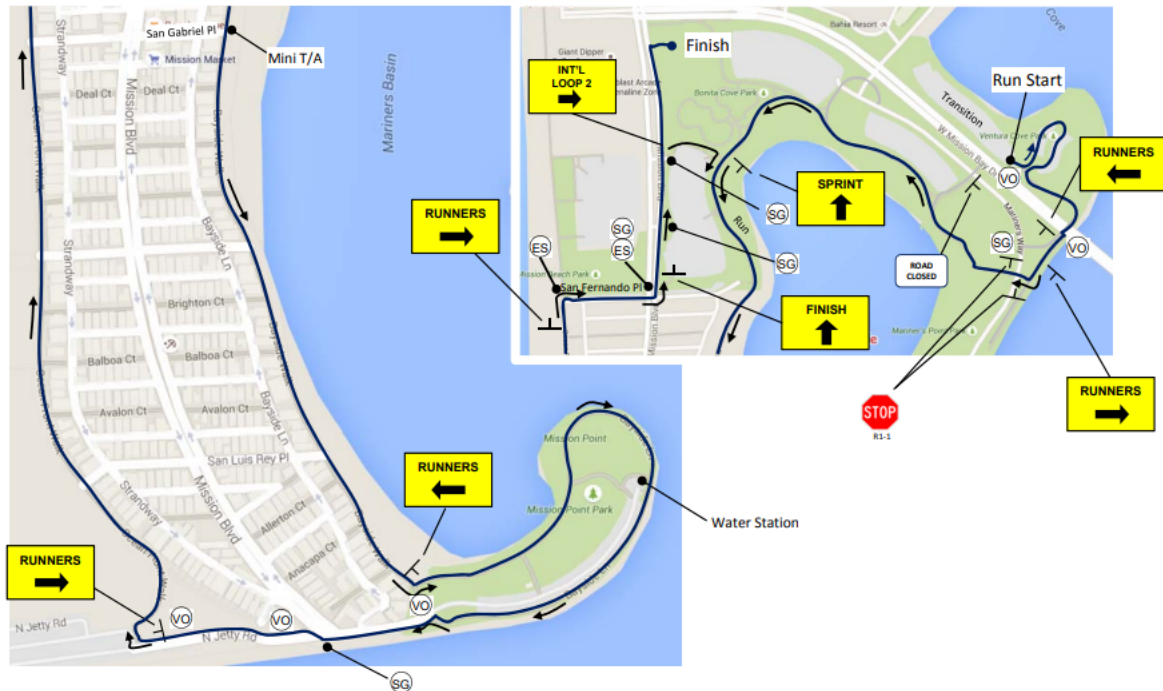
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Mission Bay Triathlon Bike Route Overview







TRAFFIC CONTROL PLANS FOR:					
MISSION BAY TRIATHLON					
PRIME CONTRACTOR:		KOZ EVENTS			
GRANFONDO TOURS		5125 CONVOY ST. #312			
DRAWN BY: T. PANEK		SAN DIEGO CA 92111			
TAPER LENGTH:	SIGN SPACING: 500'	CONE SPACING: 30'	DATE DRAWN: 1/4/2016	SCALE: NONE	SHEET:

Mission Bay Triathlon 5K Run Route



LEGEND:				TRAFFIC CONTROL PLANS FOR:			
				MISSION BAY TRIATHLON			
Curb Line		Paint Marking		Delineator W/ Tape		Event Staff	
Cars		Hard Fencing		Type 1 Barricade		Police	
Route Arrow		18 in Cones				Volunteer	
		28 in Cones				Security Guard	
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Site Map

Mission Bay Triathlon

