



Date of Notice: April 19, 2022

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME: Special Event Permit – Abrazo 5K Community Walk

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: San Ysidro

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 8

LOCATION: Sidewalks within San Ysidro, 317 Cottonwood Road

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Special Event Permit for a 5K walk event that would include the route, a stage, entertainment, food and beverage vendors, and the temporary use of canopies, fencing and/or barriers, a generator, portable restrooms, trash and recycling containers, tables, and chairs to occur on sidewalks of street of 317 Cottonwood Road in San Ysidro on May 14, 2022. Noise associated with the event activities and setup/dismantling would occur from 6 AM until 1 PM on May 14, 2022. Sound amplification would be used for announcements/entertainment and would occur from 8 AM until 12 PM. On May 14, 2022, set-up would occur from 6 AM until 7AM, the event would occur from 8 AM until 12 PM, and dismantling would occur from 12 PM until 1 PM. Approximately 300 attendees are anticipated throughout the course of the event. The 5K route would begin on public street in front of 317 Cottonwood Road, head south on Cottonwood Road towards W Seaward Ave, turn right onto W San Ysidro Boulevard, slight left onto Dairy Mart Road, head west on Tequila Way towards Del Carmen Way, head east on Plantel Way towards Dairy Mart Road, turn right onto Dairy Mart Road, turn left onto Vista Lane, head east on Vista Lane towards Corte Amalia, continue onto S Vista Avenue, continue onto Cottonwood Road to the finish area. See route map attached.

Road closures would be associated with the event and would include S Vista Avenue and Cottonwood Road between Sunset Lane and W Seaward Avenue. Parking closures would occur between 6 AM and 1 PM on May 14, 2022 and would include S Vista Avenue and Cottonwood Boulevard between Sunset Lane and W Seaward Avenue. Potential pedestrian delays would be associated with this event from 8 AM until 12 PM and would include the sidewalks along the 5K route.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego Mayor-Appointed Designee

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: CEQA exemptions §Section 15301 (Existing Facilities); §Section 15304(e) (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 and determined the project meets the categorical exemption criteria set forth in the CEQA State Guidelines: §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(e) (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.

In addition, the exceptions set forth in the CEQA State Guidelines §15300.2 do not apply to this project wherein: a) the project would not impact an environmental resource of hazardous or critical concern where designated, precisely mapped, and officially adopted pursuant to law by federal, state, or local agencies; b) no cumulative impacts of successive projects of the same type in the same place were identified; c) there is no reasonable possibility that the project would have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances; d) the project would not result in damage to scenic resources, including but not limited to, trees, historic buildings, rock outcroppings, or similar resources, within a highway officially designated as a state scenic highway; e) the project is not located on a site which is included on any list compiled pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code; and f) the project would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource.

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On April 19, 2022, 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 26, 2022**). During the Statewide "Safer-at-Home" directive to reduce the spread of COVID-19, beginning March 19, 2021, appeals to the City Clerk must be filed by email or US Mail as follows:

1. Appeals filed via E-mail: Send the appeal by email to Hearings1@san-diego.gov; your email appeal will be acknowledged within 24 hours. The [appeal application can be obtained here](#). 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 postmarked within 5 business days of the date the appeal is filed.
2. Appeals filed via US Mail: Send the appeal by US Mail to City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. Appeals filed by US Mail must have a United States Postal Service (USPS) postmark by the appeal deadline to be considered valid. The [appeal application can be obtained here](#). You must

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Route Map 1

