



**Date of Notice:** September 8, 2022

# **NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION**

## **SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT**

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**PROJECT NAME/NUMBER:** Special Event Permit - Alzheimer's San Diego Balboa Walk

**COMMUNITY PLAN AREA:** Balboa Park,

**COUNCIL DISTRICT:** 3

**LOCATION:** Eastern portion of Balboa Park, El Prado, and surrounding roadways

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Special Event Permit for the Alzheimer's San Diego Balboa Walk, a fundraising walk event through Balboa Park and surround streets (see attached map) on October 15, 2022. The event would include the walk, food, vendors, a stage and entertainment, tables, chairs, generators, canopies, portable restrooms, and recycle and trash containers. Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from October 14, 2022 at 8 AM to October 15, 2022 at 2 PM. Set-up would occur on October 14, 2022 from 8 AM to 3 PM, the event would occur on October 15, 2022 from 5 AM to 10 AM and dismantling would occur on October 15, 2022 from 10 AM to 2 PM. The walk route is shown on the attached map.

The following road closures associated with the event would occur from 6 AM until 10 AM on October 15, 2022 with the parking removal starting at 4 AM and ending at 11 AM, and would include Balboa Drive South from El Prado around the loop back to El Prado, Pan American from Presidents Way to El Prado, and El Prado from Balboa Drive to Pan American. Parking would be removed from 4 AM to 11 AM on the following streets: Balboa Dr from El Prado to Marston Pt, Marston Pt from Juniper to Juniper, and Presidents Way from the Organ Pavilion lot to Pan American.

**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.

**CITY CONTACT:**  
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On September 8, 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 (**September 15, 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@sandiego.gov](mailto:Hearings1@sandiego.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 In-Person:** The appeal application can be obtained in the Lobby of the City Administration Building located at 202 'C' Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The completed appeal package must include the required appeal fee in the form of a check payable to the City Treasurer to: **City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101**.

If you have any questions regarding the procedures to file the appeal, please contact Linda J Marabian at [LJMarabian@sandiego.gov](mailto:LJMarabian@sandiego.gov). The revised Public Notice can be found here: [https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/office\\_of\\_the\\_city\\_clerk\\_public\\_notice\\_rev09252020\\_v2.pdf](https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/office_of_the_city_clerk_public_notice_rev09252020_v2.pdf)

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

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# Alzheimer's SAN DIEGO

Alzheimer's Walk San Diego - Walk4ALZ  
San Diego Walk | Balboa Park  
October 19, 2019

Walk Distance: 2.75 miles

## WALK ROUTE NARRATIVE:

Start: Behind San Diego Hall of Champions  
Head north on Pan American Road  
Left on El Prado  
Left on Balboa Drive  
Right on El Prado  
Right on Pan American Road  
Finish: Same location as start - behind San Diego Hall of Champions

