



Date of Notice: November 14, 2019

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME/NUMBER: Installation of Artwork on Existing Sound Wall in Teralta Park

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: City Heights

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 9

LOCATION: Teralta Neighborhood Park (Park), on an existing cast-in-place concrete sound wall located on the south boundary of the Park, a property owned by the State of California in San Diego, CA. Property at the Park is located on top of the SR15 between Polk Avenue on the south end and Orange Avenue on the north end, and between 40th Street to the west and Central Avenue to the east.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project involves the installation of a mural on an existing cast-in-place concrete sound wall. The artwork installation is pending approval by Caltrans and City. If approved, the mural will be installed at the site for a period of time at the discretion of the City.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego.

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: This activity is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities).

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 is exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities), which allows the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use. The exceptions listed in CEQA 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: Christine E. Jones, Chief of Civic Art Strategies

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On November 14, 2019, 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 the CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed in the office of the City Clerk within 10 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (November 29, 2019). The appeal application can be obtained from the City Clerk, 202 'C' Street, Second Floor, San Diego, CA 92101.

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

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