

Date of Notice: January 28, 2020

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME/NUMBER: Landscape Maintenance for Public Utilities Department, Water Systems Operations

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Scripps Miramar Ranch; Rancho Penasquitos; San Ysidro; Navajo; La Jolla; Black Mountain Ranch; Rancho Bernardo; College Area; Miramar Ranch North; Encanto; Peninsula

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 1-2, 4-9

LOCATION: Miramar Water Treatment Plant; Scripps Lake Water Pump Station; Scripps Lake Water Pump Station; Princess Park WPS; Rancho Penasquitos WPS; Scripps Wood #11 WPS; Del Cerro WPS; Deerfield WPS; College Ranch RES and WPS; Bayview RES; Black Mountain RES; Rancho Bernardo RES; Soledad RES; Montezuma WPS; Scripps Poway WPS; Meanly Reservoir Tank (Dog Park); Otay Water Treatment Plant; Corner of Encina Dr./San Ysabel; Point Loma RES; Miramar RES; and San Vicente RES.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The City of San Diego Public Utilities Department, Water Systems Operations division is soliciting bids for a licensed Landscape Maintenance contractor to provide landscape maintenance and improvement services at the sites identified above.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Categorically Exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities) and 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land).

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 Sections 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 use; and Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land), which allows minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes. 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.

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On January 28, 2020, 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 in the office of the City Clerk within 10 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (**February 11, 2020**). 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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