



## NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Trestles Lot Improvements

**LOCATION:** San Onofre State Beach

**COUNTY:** San Diego

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

This proposed project would produce the following modifications to the existing day-use parking lot for Trestles Beach area that lies next to El Camino Road: 1. installation of an entrance kiosk with phone and electrical service. Kiosk will sit on top of the pavement; 2. utility trench to provide electrical and phone service will be approx. 200 feet long and extend from the kiosk to the street and then head northward paralleling El Camino; 3. installation of a self-pay machine; 4. installation of a new stout entrance gate at the lot entrance; 5. demolition of about 300 feet of chain-link fence and replace with single-strand quarter-inch metal cable wire hung on thimble eye posts; 6. installation of an interpretive display case and doggie bag dispenser at trailhead; 7. replace the existing entrance sign; 8. plant native vegetation along El Camino; 9. remove 10 feet of curbing; 10. restripe the parking lot; 11. demolish an unused cement footing, two old metal supports, and a small irrigated plot; 12. installation of a step-through section in the fence line.

DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into this project. A copy of these requirements may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Orange Coast

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section )
- Categorical Exemption

Class: 1 Section(s): 15301

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with Section 15300.2. There will be negligible or no expansion of existing use (class 1)

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