State of California – The Natural Resources Agency
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Paso Picacho Campground ADA Improvements
LOCATION: Cuyamaca Rancho State Park **COUNTY:** San Diego

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:
The project would improve ADA accessibility within the Paso Picacho Campground within Cuyamaca Rancho State Park as required by the Tucker vs. the State of California consent decree. Improvements include but are not limited to: **1)** cabins; **2)** campsites; **3)** campfire center; **4)** Group Camp "A"; **5)** routes of travel throughout the park. Further specifics detailing the work included as well as measures to avoid and/or minimize impacts may be obtained through the contact information below.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation
NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption
☒ Categorical Exemption **Class:** 1,3 **Section:** 15301,15303

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: No potential for significant impact to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the CDPR Project Evaluation Form including measures provided by CDPR staff, then it is exempt under the CDPR List of Exempt Activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

15301–Existing Facilities; "Modifications of existing facilities for handicap access"
15303-New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures, "Construction of park facilities…"

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