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

Project # CRSP 133

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Vegetation Removal / Fire Break – Martin Residence 11190 Hwy 79 (CRSP 133)

LOCATION: Cuyamaca Rancho State Park **COUNTY:** San Diego

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Vegetation removal to comply with the Cal Fire defensible space regulations for property owner Martin at 11190 Hwy 79, Descanso, CA. Owner is requesting a Boundary Vegetation Modification Right of Entry Permit to weed-whack grass, trim dead branches, and clean up debris on park property that is within 100' of the residence. This form of maintenance will be an annual occurrence.

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

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Colorado Desert District

EXEMPT STATUS:

☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section)
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class: 4, 5 *Section:* 15304, 15305

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 project description including comments provided by CDPR specialists, then it is exempt under CEQA §15304 – Minor Alterations to Land and §15305 – Minor Alterations in Land Use Limitations. The action falls under the Departmental List of Exempt activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

- "Fuel management activities within 100 feet of a structure" (Class 4, Section 15304); and
- "Issuance of rights-of-way" (Class 5, Section 15305)

The project consists of minor public alterations in the condition of vegetation which does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (class 4).

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