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To: WHOM IT MAY CONCERN Subject: **Notice of Availability and Intent to Adopt an Initial Study/Negative Declaration for the Historic Dumpsite Cover Project**

The California Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) has directed the preparation of and intends to adopt a Negative Declaration (ND) for the proposed project, in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and State CEQA Guidelines. DPR is the lead agency for the proposed project under CEQA.

Project Location: Carpinteria State Beach, Santa Barbara County

Description of the Proposed Project: Apply an 8 inch thick shotcrete cover to an approx. 120 foot long section of bluff face sealing an exposed section of the historic dumpsite to comply with California Code of Regulations sections 20820 and 21140 addressing public health and safety issues while providing a level of protection for the existing cultural resource.

Public Review Period: The Initial Study/Negative Declaration is being circulated for public review and comment for a period of 30 days, beginning February 8, 2012. Written comments should be submitted no later than March 8, 2012 to the following address:

Stephanie Coleman
California State Parks - Northern Service Center
One Capitol Mall - Suite 410
Sacramento, CA 95814

Or email at cegansc@parks.ca.gov please include 'Historic Dumpsite Cover' in the subject line.

Copies of the Initial Study/Negative Declaration may be reviewed at the following locations during normal business hours:

California State Parks
Channel Coast District Office
911 San Pedro Street
Ventura, CA 93001

California State Parks
Northern Service Center
One Capitol Mall - Suite 410
Sacramento, CA 95814

Carpinteria State Beach
5361 Sixth Street
Carpinteria, CA 93013

Carpinteria Public Library
5141 Carpinteria Ave
Carpinteria, CA 93013

California Department of Parks and Recreation Internet Website
http://www.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=980

Your views and comments on potential impacts of the project on the environment are welcomed.