



### NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research  
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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Fuel Modification Easement, Chino Hills SP (06/07-IE-14)

**LOCATION:** Chino Hills SP

**COUNTY:** Orange

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

DPR will grant a 100 foot wide, seven acre, fuel modification easement along the park boundary to RRM Properties, Inc. to provide a buffer between the park and a future housing development on the property. The easement is located within the Coal Canyon parcel of Chino Hills State Park.

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

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Inland Empire

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

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

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated.  
A resource ecologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to natural resources.  
An archaeologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to cultural resources.  
Project does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (class 4)

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