



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

**NOTICE OF DETERMINATION**

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**SUBJECT:** Filing of the Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 of the Public Resources Code.

**PROJECT TITLE:** Cardiff State Beach Living Shoreline Project

**STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER:** 2016021029

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**PROJECT LOCATION:** Cardiff State Beach, City of Encinitas

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Restoration of a dune system along 2,900 feet of Cardiff State Beach in the City of Encinitas, CA. The dune would serve as a natural sea level rise (SLR) adaptation strategy and to protect a vulnerable segment of Coast Highway 101. The project would beneficially re-use 25,000 cubic yards of export sand from the San Elijo Lagoon Restoration Project for dune construction. The dunes would be planted with native seed after construction. The project also entails the reconfiguration and burial of existing riprap, construction of a footpath along HWY 101 and 6 beach access points.

The California Department of Parks and Recreation approved this project on March 23, 2016 and has made the following determinations:

1.  The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.  
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2.  A Final Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and adopted, pursuant to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).  
 An Environmental Impact Report has been completed in compliance with CEQA, and has been presented to the decision-making body of this Department for its independent review and consideration of the information, prior to approval of the project.
3. Mitigation measures were were not made conditions of project approval.

The Final Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration may be examined on the CDPR website at the following URL:  
[http://www.parks.ca.gov/?page\\_id=983](http://www.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=983)

Brian Dewey, Assistant Deputy Director  
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