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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: Mugu Water System Valve Replacement
LOCATION: Pt. Mugu SP **COUNTY: Los Angeles**
DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:
This is the replacement of 7 automatic control valves and 3 tank monitors along the Sycamore Canyon, Thornhill Broome Beach, and La Jolla Canyon water system route. Many are frozen shut and some are leaking. When installed they will be raised to a higher position for easier maintenance.

DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into this project. A copy of these requirements may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation
NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Angeles
EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section)
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class: 1 Section(s): 15301

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:
No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with Section 15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the CDPR Project Evaluation Form including measures provided by CDPR specialists, then it is exempt under CEQA §15301 – Existing Facilities and §15304 – Minor Alterations to Land. The actions fall under the Departmental List of Exempt activities as established according to CEQA § 15300.4 as:

- "Utility repairs or minor upgrades " (Class 1, Section 15301); and
- "Minor trenching or backfilling where the surface is restored" (Class 4, Section 15304)

The project does not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (Class 4).

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