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

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: SSSB Waterline Upgrade Phase II (14/15-SD-13)
LOCATION: Silver Strand State Beach - 614 **COUNTY: San Diego**

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:
Replace the original 2 ½" main waterline serving the south end of Silver Strand State Beach with 6" PVC pipe to support continued maintenance and improve visitor services. The trenches will be approximately 24" wide and 24" deep in the previously disturbed sand between the parking lots 1&2 and the park service road.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation
NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: San Diego Coast

EXEMPT STATUS:
☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
☐ Statutory Exemption
☒ Categorical Exemption
Class: 1, 4 *Section(s):* 15301 15304

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 conditions provided by CDPR specialists, then it is exempt under CEQA §15301–Existing Facilities and §15304 - Minor Alterations to Land. The action falls under the Departmental List of Exempt activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

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

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