



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Inland Empire District
17801 Lake Perris Drive
Perris, CA 92571

PROJECT TITLE: Alessandro Island Ferry Dock, Lake Perris SRA (15/16-IE-15)

LOCATION: Lake Perris State Recreation Area COUNTY: Riverside

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

A concessionaire has submitted a proposal and business plan to operate boating tours on Lake Perris. The tours would allow visitors who do not have access to a vessel an opportunity to see the lake and visit the island. The tour would operate from the existing marina docks. Two new docks would be placed on the island so that the tour boat could dock safely and allow a platform for the visitors to offload. The docks will be movable so that it can be operable during fluctuating water levels. Nothing permanent will be installed. The dock will be placed on the sand and will be anchored using cables and weights. 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: Inland Empire

EXEMPT STATUS:

- Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
- Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
- Statutory Exemption (Section)
- Categorical Exemption

Class: 3 Section(s): 15303

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 staff, then it is exempt under the CDPR list of Exempt Activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

Class 3, Section 15303-New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures

- Construction or installation of park facilities such as kiosks, restrooms, small parking lots, interpretive signing or panels, fencing, signs, above-ground fuel and water tanks, mobile home pads with utility connections, campsite, fencing and gates, boat launching facilities, concessionaire structures, and tent cabins.

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