

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Los Angeles

From: (Public Agency): City of Norwalk
12700 Norwalk Blvd.
Norwalk, CA 90650

(Address)

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Jan 15 2026

Dean C. Logan, Registrar – Recorder/County Clerk

Electronically signed by ISaura CORREA

Project Title: Wireless Telecommunications Permit (WTP) No. 2024-02 and Director Approval Request (DAR) No. 2025-09

Project Applicant: Leticia Smith of Smartlink on behalf of APC Towers

Project Location - Specific:

12616 Pioneer Boulevard

Project Location - City: Norwalk

Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Request to construct and operate an unmanned wireless telecommunications facility designed as a 60-foot mono-pine (WTP No. 2024-02) and a request to install an eight (8) foot high block wall to enclose the equipment area (DAR No. 2025-09). The subject property, at one (1) acre in size, is generally known as 12616 Pioneer Boulevard (APN No. 8048-013-011), located within a C-3 (General Commercial) zone.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Norwalk

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Leticia Smith of Smartlink on behalf of APC Towers

Exempt Status: (check one):

- ☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- ☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- ☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Class 3, CEQA Section 15303
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the project will not have a significant effect on the environment per Section 15303 (New Construction of Small Structures) of the CEQA Guidelines. Section 15303 Class 3 consists of construction of limited numbers of new, small facilities or structures, and installation of small new equipment and facilities in small structures.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Kristy Wong

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 562-929-5744

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: [Signature] Date: 1/15/2026 Title: Interim Director of Community Development

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

THIS NOTICE WAS POSTED

ON January 15 2026

UNTIL February 17 2026

REGISTRAR – RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK



State of California—Department of Fish and Wildlife

**2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT**

DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT Number:

19 — 01/15/2026 — 202601151240017

STATE CLEARING HOUSE # (if applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY CITY OF NORWALK	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 01/15/2026
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING	DOCUMENT NUMBER 2026011140	

PROJECT TITLE

WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS PERMIT (WTP) NO: 2024-02 AND DIRECTOR APPROVAL
REQUEST (DAR) NO. 2025-09

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME CITY OF NORWALK	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 12700 NORWALK BLVD.	CITY NORWALK	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 90650

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box):

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)	\$4,227.50	\$ 0.00
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)	\$3,043.75	\$ 0.00
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW	\$1,437.25	\$ 0.00
☒ Exempt from fee		
☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)		
☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)		
☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)		
☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)	\$850.00	\$ 0.00
☒ County documentary handling fee		\$ 25.00
☐ Other		\$ 0.00

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☒ Credit ☐ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 25.00

SIGNATURE

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AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

ISAURA CORREA, ITC