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**2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
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RECEIPT Number: 19 — 05/06/2026 — 202605061230017
STATE CLEARING HOUSE # (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY PALOS VERDES PENINSULA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 05/06/2026
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING	DOCUMENT NUMBER 2026100217	

PROJECT TITLE QUICK START FENCING PROJECTS		
PROJECT APPLICANT NAME PALOS VERDES PENINSULA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 375 VIA ALMAR	CITY STATE PALOS VERDES ESTATES CA	ZIP CODE 90274

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box):

- Local Public Agency
 School District
 Other Special District
 State Agency
 Private Entity


CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

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

PAYMENT METHOD:

- Cash
 Credit
 Check
 Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 25.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE ISAURA CORREA, ITC
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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
12400 Imperial Highway
Norwalk, CA 90650

From: (Public Agency): Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District
375 Via Almar, Palos Verdes Estates, CA 90274
(Address)

Project Title: Quick Start Fencing Projects

Project Applicant: Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District

Project Location - Specific: See Attachment A for complete list of sites.

Project Location - City: Palos Verdes Estates, Rancho Palos Verdes, and Rolling Hills E; Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project consists of upgrading campus security fencing at existing school sites. Work includes replacing deteriorated fencing, installing new fencing where needed, upgrading gates and access points, and minor associated improvements such as posts, footings, and limited grading adjacent to fence lines. All work will occur within existing developed school campuses. The project will improve campus safety and security for students, staff, and visitors and does not expand school capacity or change the use of the facilities.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District

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: §15301 §15303
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project involves minor alterations and upgrades to existing school facilities, including replacement and installation of fencing and gates within previously developed campuses. The work does not result in an expansion of use, increase in capacity, or significant environmental impacts. Any new fencing or gates are small accessory structures consistent with typical campus security improvements. The project qualifies under CEQA Guidelines §§15301 and 15303. None of the exceptions to categorical exemptions (CEQA Guidelines §15300.2) apply. See Attachment A (Summary Memo)

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Brenna Terrones Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 310-896-3418

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: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 5/6/2026 Title: Asst. Supt. Admin Services

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 May 06 2026
UNTIL June 05 2026
REGISTRAR - RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

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Quick Start Fencing Projects

Notice of Exemption (NOE) – Attachment A

Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District

Lead Agency

The Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District (PVPUSD) is the Lead Agency for the proposed project pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The District is responsible for reviewing and approving maintenance and improvement projects occurring within its school facilities.

Project Location

The proposed project will occur at multiple existing Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District school campuses located within the cities of Palos Verdes Estates, Rancho Palos Verdes, and Rolling Hills Estates, Los Angeles County, California. Project locations include the following campuses:

- Silver Spur Elementary School
- Soleado Elementary School
- Vista Grande Elementary School
- Ridge Crest Intermediate

All work will occur within the boundaries of existing developed campuses.

Description of Project

The project consists of the installation, replacement, and/or improvement of perimeter and security fencing at existing Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District campuses. Work may include:

- Replacement of deteriorated or outdated fencing with new fencing systems
- Installation of additional perimeter fencing to improve campus security
- Replacement or installation of gates and access control points
- Minor associated improvements such as posts, footings, and hardware
- Limited site restoration or minor grading immediately adjacent to fence lines

All work will occur within existing school property boundaries and within previously developed or disturbed areas. No expansion of school capacity or change in the use of the sites is proposed.

Reasons Why the Project Is Exempt

The proposed project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the following section of the CEQA Guidelines:

Class 1 – Existing Facilities (CEQA Guidelines §15301)

Class 1 consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public facilities involving negligible or no expansion of existing use.

The proposed fencing improvements involve minor alterations to existing school facilities and security infrastructure within established campuses. The project will not increase student capacity, expand building area, or change the existing use of the facilities.

Class 3 – New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures (CEQA Guidelines §15303)

To the extent that new fencing segments or gates are installed where none previously existed, these improvements qualify as small accessory structures under Class 3 exemptions.

These improvements are minor in nature and typical of security upgrades at existing school campuses.

Exceptions to the Use of Categorical Exemptions (CEQA Guidelines §15300.2)

The District has evaluated the project and determined that none of the exceptions to categorical exemptions apply.

(a) Location

The project sites are developed school campuses and are not located in environmentally sensitive areas.

(b) Cumulative Impact

The fencing improvements represent minor facility upgrades and will not contribute to significant cumulative environmental impacts.

(c) Significant Effect Due to Unusual Circumstances

The project consists of routine campus security improvements and does not involve unusual circumstances that would create the potential for significant environmental impacts.

(d) Scenic Highways

The project sites are not located within designated state scenic highway corridors.

(e) Hazardous Waste Sites

The project sites are not listed on the Cortese List pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5.

(f) Historical Resources

The project involves minor site improvements within developed campuses and will not impact historical resources.

Conclusion

The proposed fencing improvements at Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District campuses consist of minor alterations and security upgrades to existing school facilities located within previously developed sites. The project will not result in an expansion of use, increase in capacity, or significant environmental effects. The project therefore qualifies for categorical exemptions under CEQA Guidelines §§15301 (Existing Facilities), and §§15303 (New Construction of Small Structures).

None of the exceptions to the use of categorical exemptions listed in CEQA Guidelines §§15330.2 apply to the project. Accordingly, the project is exempt from further environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act.

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May 06 2026

Dean C. Logan, Registrar – Recorder/County Clerk

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Los Angeles County Registrar / Recorder
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BUSINESS FILINGS REGISTRATION
NORWALK DEPARTMENT HEADQUARTER

Cashier: I. CORREA



Wednesday, May 6, 2026 2:10 PM

Item(s)

<u>Fee</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Total</u>
NoE - County Posting Fee 2026100217	1	\$25.00
Total		\$25.00

Total Documents:

1

Customer payment(s):

Cash \$100.00
Change (\$75.00)