

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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FROM: Mail Stop: 029
County of San Diego,
Department of Parks and Recreation
Attn: Kiran Seibel
5510 Overland Avenue, Suite 270
San Diego, CA 92123

SUBJECT: FILING OF NOTICE OF EXEMPTION IN COMPLIANCE WITH PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 21108 OR 21152

Project Name: FISCAL YEAR 2026-27 LEVIES FOR COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICTS

Project Location: Various locations within unincorporated San Diego County (Community Facilities Districts (CFDs): 2008-01, 2013-01, 2019-02, 2019-01, 2019-03, 2022-01, 04-1, 09-1, and 2014-01)

Project Applicant: County of San Diego Department of Parks and Recreation, 5510 Overland Avenue, Suite 270, San Diego, CA 92123 (858) 565-3600

Project Description: Annual adoption of resolutions authorizing the Fiscal Year 2026-27 levies for nine existing CFDs. The levies fund ongoing operations, maintenance, and services such as parks, stormwater facilities, fire protection, and related public facilities. The action involves no new construction or expansion of facilities.

Agency Approving Project: County of San Diego

Date Form Completed: June 24, 2026

County Contact Person: Paige Copenhaver

Telephone: (858) 815-0004

This is to advise that the County of San Diego Board of Supervisors has approved the above-described project on **June 24, 2026 (item #9)** and found the project to be exempt from the CEQA under the following criteria:

Exempt status and applicable section of the CEQA ("C") and/or State CEQA Guidelines ("G"): (check only one)

☐ Declared Emergency [C 21080(b)(3); G 15269(a)]

☐ Emergency Project [C 21080(b)(4); G 15269(b)(c)]

☐ Statutory Exemption. C Section:

☒ Categorical Exemption. G Section(s): 15060(c)(3), 15378(b)(4) and (5), and 15273(b)

☐ G 15182 – Residential Projects Pursuant to a Specific Plan

☐ Activity is exempt from the CEQA because it is not a project as defined in Section 15378.

☐ G 15061(b)(3) - It can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment and the activity is not subject to the CEQA.

Statement of reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of the annual adoption of resolutions authorizing the Fiscal Year 2026-27 levies for nine existing CFDs. The action is exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15273(b) (Rates, Tolls, Fares, and Charges), because the levies constitute charges used for the purpose of meeting operating expenses, funding ongoing maintenance of existing public facilities, meeting financial reserve requirements, and supporting capital needs necessary to maintain service within existing CFD service areas. The levies will not be used to fund capital projects that would expand any system within the CDFs.

The action is also exempt under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15060(c)(3) and 15378(b)(4) and (5) because the adoption of annual levy resolutions is a government fiscal and administrative activity that does not result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment and therefore does not constitute a CEQA project.

The following is to be filled in only upon formal project approval by the appropriate County of San Diego decision-making body.

Signature: **Kiran Seibel**

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Date: 2026.06.25 10:40:17 -07'00'

Telephone: **619-209-9922**

Name (Print): **Kiran Seibel**

Title: **Group Program Manager**

This Notice of Exemption has been signed and filed by the County of San Diego.

This notice must be filed with the Recorder/County Clerk as soon as possible after project approval by the decision-making body. The Recorder/County Clerk must post this notice within 24 hours of receipt and for a period of not less than 30 days. At the termination of the posting period, the Recorder/County Clerk must return this notice to the Department address listed above along with evidence of the posting period. The originating Department must then retain the returned notice for a period of not less than twelve months. Reference: CEQA Guidelines Section 15062.