



**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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**FROM:** Department of Parks and Recreation  
Inland Empire District  
17801 Lake Perris Drive  
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**PROJECT TITLE:** Providence Mine Gates (18/19-IE-7)  
**LOCATION:** Providence Mountains SRA      **COUNTY:** San Bernardino

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:**

This project will secure abandon mine sites that pose a public safety hazard with wildlife friendly gates.

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 New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures*

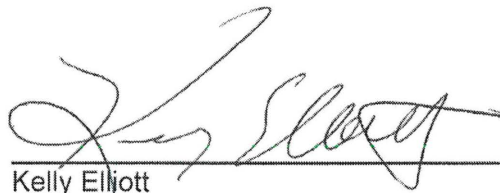
**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

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:

- Construction or installation of park facilities (Class 3 Section 15303)

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