

# State of California – The Resources Agency DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION

### NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

**TO:** Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street, Room 222 P.O. Box 3044 Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation Angeles District 1925 Las Virgenes Road Calabasas, CA 91302-1909

PROJECT TITLE: Adamson House Olive Tree Stump Removal and Replanting

**LOCATION:** Malibu Lagoon State Beach

**COUNTY:** Los Angeles

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

This project will involve the removal of a stump and root ball with minimal disturbance and replacement with a 36" disease resistant/salt tolerant olive tree variety Olea Swan Hill to maintain the historic landscape to the period of significance. The olive trees on-site at Adamson House have significant importance to the property, the Adamson family grew olive trees off-site and brought them in to the property in the 1930's. Measures to avoid impact and further project detail 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: Angeles

#### **EXEMPT STATUS:**

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

☐ Categorical Exemption Class: 1 Section(s): 15301 – Existing Facilities

Class: 4 Section(s): 15304 – Minor Alterations to Land

## **REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:**

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with CEQA §15300.2. If the project is implemented as indicated within the CDPR Project Evaluation Form including conditions provided by CDPR staff, then it is exempt under the Departmental List of Exempt activities according to CEQA §15300.4 as:

Class: 1 Section(s): 15301 – Existing Facilities (Landscape plant replacement)

Class: 4 Section(s): 15304 – Minor Alterations in Land (Resource management projects)

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