

DATE OF NOTICE: November 15, 2024

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

IO No. 11004535

PROJECT NAME / NUMBER: 324 Fern Glen / 1118751

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: La Jolla

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 1

LOCATION: 324 Fern Glen San Diego, CA 92037

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Coastal Development Permit for a partial conversion and addition of a new attached accessory dwelling unit totaling 699-square-foot to an existing 4,030-square-foot two-story single dwelling unit, totaling 4,435 square feet, located at 324 Fern Glen. The 0.15-acre site is in the RS-1-7 Base Zone and the Coastal (Appealable) Overlay Zone within the La Jolla Community Plan Area. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: APN: 351-221-03-00

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego Development Services Department

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA State Guidelines, Section 15301, Existing Facilities.

ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: City of San Diego

STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The City of San Diego conducted an environmental review and determined that the project would qualify to be categorically exempt from CEQA under Section 15301 (Existing Facilities). Section 15301 allows for the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing facilities (public or private), involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the determination. Specifically, section 15301 (e) (1) includes additions to existing structures, provided that the addition will not result in an increase of more than 50 percent of the floor area of the structures before the addition. The exemption is appropriate since the project is a partial conversion and addition of a new attached accessory dwelling unit totaling 699-square-foot to an existing 4,030-square-foot dwelling unit, less than a 50 percent increase. The project is located on a developed site with no environmental impacts where the exceptions listed in Section 15300.2 would not apply. The site is not included on any list compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 for hazardous waste sites.

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On November 15, 2024 the City of San Diego (City), as Lead Agency, has made the above-referenced environmental determination pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This determination is appealable to the City Council. If you have any questions about this determination, contact the City Development Project Manager listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determination made by staff (including the City Manager) to the City Council must be filed in the office of the City Clerk by 5:00pm within ten (10) business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (December 3, 2024). Appeals to the City Clerk must be filed by email or in-person as follows:

- 1) Appeals filed via E-mail: The Environmental Determination Appeal Application Form DS-3031 can be obtained at https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/development-services/pdf/industry/forms/ds3031. Send the completed appeal form (including grounds for appeal and supporting documentation in pdf format) by email to hearings1@sandiego.gov by 5:00p.m. on the last day of the appeal period; your email appeal will be acknowledged within 24 business hours. You must separately mail the appeal fee by check payable to the City Treasurer to: City Clerk/Appeal, MS 2A, 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101. The appeal filing fee must be United States Postal Service (USPS) postmarked) before or on the final date of the appeal. Please include the project number on the memo line of the check.
- 2) Appeals filed in person: Environmental Determination Appeal Application Form DS-3031 can be obtained at https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/development-services/pdf/industry/forms/ds3031.pdf. Bring the fully completed appeal application DS-3031 (including grounds for appeal and supporting documentation) to the City Administration Building-Public Information Counter (Open 8:00am to 5:00pm Monday through Friday excluding City-approved holidays), 1st Floor Lobby, located at 202 C Street, San Diego, CA 92101, by 5:00pm on the last day of the appeal period. The completed appeal form shall include the required appeal fee, with a check payable to: City Treasurer.

This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request.