

Date of Notice: February 11, 2025

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION

CITY PLANNING DEPARTMENT

PROJECT NAME/NUMBER: Pedestrian Safety Upgrades

COMMUNITY PLAN AREA: Uptown, Southeastern San Diego, San Ysidro, Barrio Logan, Downtown, Mira Mesa, Tierrasanta, Kearney Mesa, Mid-City: City Heights, Clairemont Mesa, University, Serra Mesa, Pacific Beach,

Encanto Neighborhoods, Linda Vista, Navajo, Peninsula, Skyline-Paradise Hills, North Park

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9

LOCATION: Citywide – see attachment for location list

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project consists of upgrading pedestrian countdown timers, pedestrian push buttons to audible, installation of blank out signs on existing traffic signal poles, relocating existing street name signs, and new striping with continental crosswalks at 31 intersection locations throughout the City. No trenching will occur, and all work will be within the public right-of-way (paved streets) or previously disturbed, and non-sensitive areas only. Traffic Control Plan (TCP) and Best Management Practices will be implemented throughout construction activities.

ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL: City of San Diego

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: Categorically Exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA State Guidelines Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities) and 15302 (Replacement or Reconstruction)

ENTITY MAKING ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: City of San Diego Mayor-Appointed Designee.

STATEMENT SUPPORTING REASON FOR ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:

The City of San Diego conducted an environmental review that determined the project would not have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities), which consists of the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former use and 15302 (Replacement or Reconstruction) which consists of replacement or reconstruction of existing structures and facilities where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced. The exceptions listed in CEQA Guidelines Section 15300.2 would not apply in that no cumulative impacts were identified; no significant effects on the environment were identified; the project is not adjacent to a scenic highway; no historical resources would be affected by the action; and the project was not identified on a list of hazardous waste sites pursuant to Section 65962.5 of the Government Code.

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On February 11, 2025 the City of San Diego made the above-referenced environmental determination pursuant to CEQA. This determination is appealable to the City Council. If you have any questions about this determination, contact the City Contact listed above.

Applications to appeal the CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed with the Office of the Clerk within five (5) business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (February 19, 2025). Appeals to the City Clerk must be filed via e-mail or in-person as follows:

- 1. Appeals filed via Email: The Environmental Determination Appeal Application Form DS-3031can be obtained at https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/legacy/development-services/pdf/industry/forms/ds3031.pdf. 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.
- 2. Appeals filed In-Person: 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.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.

The appeal application can also be obtained from the City Clerk, 202 'C' Street, Second Floor, San Diego, CA 92101.

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

POSTED ON THE CITY'S CEQA WEBSITE
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<u>Transportation Department Citywide Pedestrian Safety Upgrades Locations List</u>

- 1. 6th Avenue & Pennsylvania Avenue
- 2. 30th & Market Street
- 3. Alaquinas Drive West Park Avenue & Beyer Boulevard
- 4. Boston Avenue & South 28th Street
- 5. Broadway & 2nd Avenue
- 6. Camino Ruiz & New Salem Street
- 7. Clairemont Mesa Boulevard & La Cuenta Drive
- 8. Convoy Street & Engineer Road
- 9. Convoy Street & Ronson Road
- 10. Dairy Mart Road & Tequila Way
- 11. El Cajon Boulevard & Menlo Avenue
- 12. Gateway Drive & Home Avenue
- 13. Genesee Avenue & Genesee Court East
- 14. Governor Drive & Stadium Street
- 15. Gramercy Drive & Mobley Street
- 16. Grand Avenue & Bayard
- 17. Grand Avenue & Fanuel
- 18. Imperial Avenue & San Jacinto Drive
- 19. Ingraham Street & La Playa Avenue
- 20. Linda Vista Road & Glidden Street
- 21. Linda Vista Road & Kramer Street
- 22. Mission Gorge Road & Rainer Avenue
- 23. National Avenue & Cesar Chavez Parkway
- 24. Orcutt Avenue & Waring Road
- 25. Rosecrans Street & Bryon Street & Shelter Island Drive
- 26. Skyline Drive & Sychar Road
- 27. University Avenue & 10th Avenue
- 28. University Avenue & 30th Street
- 29. University Avenue & Vermont Street
- 30. West Ash Street & North Harbor Drive
- 31. West Point Loma Boulevard & Adrian Street Rue D'Orleans