



**Date of Notice:** March 21, 2025

# **NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION**

**SPECIAL EVENTS DEPARTMENT**

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**PROJECT NAME:** Special Event Permit - La Jolla Concours d'Elegance 2025

**COMMUNITY PLAN AREA:** La Jolla

**COUNCIL DISTRICT:** 1

**LOCATION:** Ellen Browning Scripps Park and La Jolla Village

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** Special Event Permit for a 2-day event car show that would occur on La Jolla Village Streets and Ellen Browning Scripps Park on April 25 & 27, 2025. The event would consist of the temporary use of alcoholic beverages, cars, a stage, sound amplification, tents and/or canopies, tables, chairs, temporary structures, a beer garden, fencing and/or barriers, generators, onsite food preparation, food trucks, food sampling and prepackaged food, portable restrooms, recycling/trash containers, drones, and entertainment. Noise associated with the event activities and set-up/dismantling would occur from April 23, 2025, at 6 AM until 12 PM on April 28, 2025. Set-up would occur over five days and would occur from 6 AM until 10 PM on April 23-24, 2025, from 6 AM until 6 PM on April 25, 2025, from 6 AM until 10 PM on April 26, 2025, and from 2 AM until 9 AM on April 27, 2025. Day 1 of the event would occur on April 25, 2025, from 6 PM to 10:30 PM, day 2 on April 27, 2025, from 9 AM until 4 PM. Dismantling would occur on April 27, 2025, from 4:30 PM until 10 PM, and on April 28, 2025, from 6 AM until 12 PM. Sound amplification from entertainment would occur from 9 AM until 10 PM on event days.

Ellen Browning Scripps Park would be closed to the public from 6 AM on April 23, 2025, through 12 PM on April 28, 2025.

Street parking would be closed for public parking on the following streets:

Coast Boulevard between Cove to Ocean Street (west side) from 6 AM on April 23, 2025, until 10 PM on April 27, 2025.

Cuvier Street between Prospect and the School from 6 AM on April 25, 2025, until 10 PM on April 27, 2025.

Herschel Street between Prospect and Wall Street (both sides) on April 26, 2025, from 6 AM until 10 PM.

Prospect between Girard and Cave Street (east side) from 6 AM on April 26, 2025, until 10 PM on April 27, 2025.

On April 27, 2025, from 3 AM until 8 PM, Coast Boulevard between Cove and Ocean (east side), Coast Boulevard between Cave Street and the Cove, Girard Avenue between Coast Boulevard and Prospect Street, Herschel Street (south side) between Prospect Street and Wall Street for ADA parking, Ivanhoe Avenue between Prospect and Cave Streets from 4 AM until 9 AM on April 27, 2025.

Road closures associated with this event would occur on:  
April 27, 2025, from 3 AM until 8 PM on Coast Boulevard between Prospect Street and Girard Avenue, on Girard Avenue between Coast Boulevard and Prospect Street.  
Ivanhoe Avenue between Prospect Street and Cave Street from 4 AM to 9 AM.  
Coast Boulevard would be closed to thru traffic except for business and residents from 3 AM until 8 PM on April 27, 2025.

**ENTITY CONSIDERING PROJECT APPROVAL:** City of San Diego

**ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION:** Categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15301 (Existing Facilities); Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land); Section 15311 (Accessory Structures).

**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 Section(s): Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) which allows for the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing or minor alterations of existing public or private structures or facilities involving negligible or no expansion of use; Section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land) which allows for minor, temporary use of land that has negligible or no permanent effects on the environment; Section 15311 (Accessory Structures) which allows for construction, or placement of minor structures accessory to existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities, including, but not limited to, temporary use items in publicly owned facilities or other facilities designated for public use; and where 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 March 21, 2025, the City of San Diego 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 Contact listed above.

Applications to appeal CEQA determination to the City Council must be filed with the Office of the Clerk within 5 business days from the date of the posting of this Notice (**March 28, 2025**).

Appeal procedures are described in Information Bulletin 505

(<https://www.sandiego.gov/sites/default/files/dsdib505.pdf>). Appeals to the City Clerk must be filed via 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.pdf>. Send the completed appeal application form (including grounds for appeal and supporting documentation in pdf format) by email to [Hearings1@sandiego.gov](mailto: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, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Lobby, 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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