**CEQA DOCUMENT DECLARATION**

**ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE RECEIPT**

Please complete the following:

1. **LEAD AGENCY:** County of Santa Clara Department of Parks and Recreation

2. **PROJECT TITLE:** Coyote Canyon Natural Resources Management Plan & Interim Access Plan

3. **APPLICANT NAME:** County of Santa Clara Department of Parks and Recreation

4. **APPLICANT ADDRESS:** 298 Garden Hill Drive, Los Gatos, CA 95032

5. **PROJECT APPLICANT IS A:**
   - [ ] Local Public Agency
   - [ ] School District
   - [ ] Other Special District
   - [ ] State Agency
   - [ ] Private Entity

6. **NOTICE TO BE POSTED FOR:** 30 DAYS

7. **CLASSIFICATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT**

   a. **PROJECTS THAT ARE SUBJECT TO DFG FEES**
      - [ ] ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (Public Resources Code §21152) $3,271.00
      - [ ] NEGATIVE DECLARATION (Public Resources Code §21060(C)) $2,354.75
      - [ ] APPLICATION FEE WATER DIVERSION (State Water Resources Control Board Only) $850.00
      - [ ] PROJECTS SUBJECT TO CERTIFIED REGULATORY PROGRAMS $1,112.00
      - [ ] COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEE (REQUIRED FOR A-1 THROUGH A-4 ABOVE) $50.00

   b. **PROJECTS THAT ARE EXEMPT FROM DFG FEES**
      - [ ] NOTICE OF EXEMPTION ($50.00 COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEE REQUIRED) $60.00

   c. **NOTICES THAT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO DFG FEES OR COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE FEES**
      - [ ] NOTICE OF PREPARATION NO FEE
      - [ ] NOTICE OF INTENT NO FEE

8. **OTHER:**

   FEE (IF APPLICABLE): $0.00

9. **TOTAL RECEIVED:** $2,404.75

*Note: "SAME PROJECT" means no changes. If the document submitted is not the same (other than dates), a "NO EFFECT DETERMINATION" letter from the Department of Fish and Game for the subsequent filing or the appropriate fees are required.

This form must be completed and attached to the front of all CEQA documents listed above (including copies) submitted for filing. We will need an original (wet signature) and two (2) copies. If there are attachments, please provide three (3) sets of attachments for submission. (Your original will be returned to you at the time of filing.)

Checks for all fees should be made payable to: SANTA CLARA COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER

Please note: Fees are annually adjusted (Fish & Game Code §711.4(b)); please check with this office and the Department of Fish and Game for the latest fee information.

"... no project shall be operative, vested, or final, nor shall local government permits for the project be valid, until the filing fees required pursuant to this section are paid." Fish & Game Code §711.4(c)(3)

(Fees Effective 01-01-2019)
State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
2019 ENVIRONMENTAL FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT
DFW 753.5a (REV. 12/01/18) Previously DFG 753.5a

RECEIPT NUMBER:
ENV22516

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA DEPARTMENT OF
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING
SANTA CLARA
PROJECT TITLE
COYOTE CANYON NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PLAN & INTERIM ACCESS PLAN

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME
COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA DEPARTMENT OF
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS
298 GARDEN HILL DRIVE
PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL
CITY
LOS GATOS
STATE
CA
ZIP CODE
95032

DATE
12/11/2019

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)
☐ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:
☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
 $3,271.00

☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)
 $2,354.75
 $2,354.75

☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW
 $1,112.00

☐ Exempt from fee
 ☐ Notice of Exemption (attach)
 ☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)
 $850.00
 $50.00

☐ County documentary handling fee

☐ Other

PAYMENT METHOD:
☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☐ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED
$2,404.75

SIGNATURE
Raymund A Reyes, Deputy County Clerk-Recorder

ORIGINAL - PROJECT APPLICANT
COPY - CDFW/ASB
COPY - LEAD AGENCY
COPY - COUNTY CLERK
DFW 753.5a (Rev. 12/01/18)
Notice of Determination

To:  ■ County Clerk
     County of Santa Clara
     ☐ Office of Planning & Research
     1400 Tenth St., Room 121
     Sacramento, CA 95814

Project Title
Coyote Canyon Natural Resources Management Plan and Interim Access Plan

File
N/A

State Clearinghouse Number
2019059009

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Project Location
The 2,741-acre Property is located in unincorporated Santa Clara County, east of the City of Morgan Hill, in the foothills of the Diablo Range. The Property is located between Anderson Lake County Park and Coyote Lake-Harvey Bear Ranch County Park.

APN (s)
865-06-010, -014, -051; 865-07-006, -013, -014, -015, -056; 817-23-006, -009, -012; -018; and 817-24-003

Project Description

The Proposed Project is the implementation of a Natural Resources Management (NRM) Plan and an Interim Access (IA) Plan to incorporate the Coyote Canyon Property (Property) into the Coyote Lake-Harvey Bear Ranch County Park (Park) and to establish use of the Property as a public regional park.

Under the NRM Plan, the County of Santa Clara Parks and Recreation Department ("Department") would manage the 2,741-acre Property in accordance with Department guidelines and policies including, but not limited to, the Santa Clara County General Plan, Santa Clara County Parks 2018 Strategic Plan, and the Santa Clara Valley Habitat Plan. During evaluation of the Property for the NRM Plan, it was determined that the Property provides highly suitable habitat for sensitive plant and wildlife species and no major changes to the existing management regime were recommended. The Department would implement strategies that include surveys and monitoring, invasive plant control, wildfire fuel management, and rangeland management to protect and enhance the natural resources of the Property. Natural resources management goals, objectives and recommendations are provided in Section Four of the IA Plan and within the NRM Plan in Appendix C.

The IA Plan proposes the conversion of existing ranch roads to recreational trails, construction of new trails, and the long-term maintenance of a 10.4-mile trail network within the Project area. The IA Plan also identifies existing ranch roads that will serve as service roads to be used for Department operations and emergency vehicles. These service roads would be closed to the public. Trail improvements identified in the Plan include drainage improvements, installation of signs and benches, and trail resurfacing. Existing ranch roads that are in poor condition or are unsuitable for conversion to trails may be decommissioned.
Public access to the Property would be consistent with the Santa Clara County General Plan, the Santa Clara County Countywide Trails Master Plan, the Santa Clara County Uniform Interjurisdictional Trail Design Use and Management Guidelines, and the Santa Clara County Parks Trail Maintenance Manual and Best Management Practices.

For additional details, see the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the Coyote Canyon Natural Resources Management Plan. A hard copy version of the IS/MND and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Plan (MMRP) are available for review at:

- County of Santa Clara Parks and Recreation Department, Administration Office, 298 Garden Hill Drive, Los Gatos, CA 95032-7669
- Anderson Lake County Park, Visitor Center, 19245 Malaguerra Avenue, Morgan Hill, CA 95037
- Coyote Lake-Harvey Bear Ranch County Park, Park Ranger Office, 10840 Coyote Lake Road, Gilroy, CA 95020

The full text of the IS/MND and MMRP are available in electronic format on the County of Santa Clara Parks and Recreation Department's website: http://www.parkhere.org/coyotecanyon.

This is to advise that the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors has adopted the above described project on December 10, 2019 and has made the following determinations regarding the project. The Environmental Impact Report or Negative Declaration and record of project approval may be examined at the Santa Clara County Department of Parks and Recreation.

1. The project: □ will have ■ will not have a significant effect on the environment.

2. Monitoring Program: ■ was □ was not adopted.

3. ■ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
   Mitigation measures: ■ have □ have not been made a condition of approval of the project.

4. □ An Environmental Impact Report has been prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA
   Mitigation measures: □ have □ have not been made a condition of approval of the project.
   A Statement of Overriding Considerations: □ was □ was not adopted for this project.
   □ Findings were made pursuant to Section 15091 of CEQA.

Signature: Cherie young
Title: Associate Planner
Date: 12/11/2019