

CEQA DETERMINATION OF EXEMPTION

Subject: This California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Determination of Exemption is in compliance with Carlsbad Municipal Code Section 19.04.060. An appeal to this determination must be filed in writing with the required fee within ten (10) calendar days of the City Planner's decision consistent with Carlsbad Municipal Code Section 21.54.140.

Project Number and Title: CUP 2021-0002 / CDP 2021-0001 – POINSETTIA PARK WCF

Project Location - Specific: 6651 Hidden Valley Road, Carlsbad, CA 92011 (APN 214-140-13-00)

Project Location - City: Carlsbad **Project Location - County:** San Diego

Description of Project: Minor Conditional Use Permit and Coastal Development Permit to install a new Verizon Wireless Communication Facility (WCF) within Poinsettia Community Park. The project includes removal of an existing, 68'-1" tall, baseball field light pole and the installation of a new 68'-1 light pole with wireless antennas placed around the pole with a 3'-2" diameter screening "tube" and subterranean equipment enclosure in the same general location of the new WCF.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Carlsbad

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Carlsbad

Name of Applicant: Verizon Wireless

Applicant's Address: 15505 Sand Canyon Avenue, D1, Irvine, CA 92618

Applicant's Telephone Number: 619-729-2294

Name of Applicant/Identity of person undertaking the project (if different from the applicant above): Jacob's Telecommunications, Inc. (Rachael Davidson)

Exempt Status: (Check One)

- Ministerial (Section 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Section 21080(b)(4); 15269 (b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption - State type and section number: Class 3, Section 15303, New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures
- Statutory Exemptions - State code number: _____
- Common Sense Exemption (Section 15061(b)(3))

Reasons why project is exempt: The proposal is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). CEQA Section 15303 exempts the construction, expansion and installation of small new equipment facilities or structures.

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