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CENTRAL COAST DISTRICT DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT

For the February 2016 Meeting of the California Coastal Commission

February 10, 2016

To: Commissioners and Interested Parties

From: Dan Carl, Central Coast District Deputy Director

Following is a listing for the waivers, emergency permits, immaterial amendments and extensions issued by the Central Coast District Office for the February 2016 Coastal Commission hearing. Copies of the applicable items are attached for your review. Each item includes a listing of the applicants involved, a description of the proposed development, and a project location.

Pursuant to the Commission's direction and adopted procedures, appropriate notice materials were sent to all applicants for posting at the project site. Additionally, these items have been posted at the District office and are available for public review and comment.

This report may also contain additional correspondence and/or any additional staff memorandum concerning the items to be heard on today's agenda for the Central Coast District.

DE MINIMIS WAIVERS

The Executive Director has determined that the following developments do not require a coastal development permit pursuant to Section 30624.7 of the California Coastal Act of 1976.

Applicant	Project Description	Project Location
3-15-2067-W Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute	Construction of a 16-square-foot concrete pad and installation of a 12-foot crane on an existing concrete dock at Moss Landing Harbor across from the Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute facilities.	7700 Sandholdt Road, Moss Landing, Monterey County.
3-15-2115-W City of Pacific Grove	Installation of approximately 50 linear feet of three-foot-tall fencing atop an existing rock wall located on the inland side of an existing swimming pool in Lovers Point Park.	620 Ocean View Boulevard, Pacific Grove, Monterey County.
3-16-0038-W SWVP Monterey LLC	Demolition of existing deck, slab, fencing and gates in the pool area of the Monterey Tides Hotel and construction of new deck, fencing, gates, outdoor shower and ADA-compliant pool lifts.	2600 Sand Dunes Drive, Monterey

EMERGENCY PERMITS

The Executive Director has determined that the following developments do not require a coastal development permit pursuant to Section 13142 of the California Code of Regulations because the development is necessary to protect life and public property, or to maintain public services.

Applicant	Project Description	Project Location
G-3-16-0019 Quin Delta LLC	Emergency Coastal Development (ECDP authorizes emergency repair of a portion of the shoreline adjacent to the Moss Landing Boat Yard facility. Proposed emergency action includes placement of 100 linear feet of quarter-ton-rip-rap rock at the edge of the undermined asphalt deck to a height of approximately 10 feet. The rock will be stacked by a front-loader tractor with a revetment slope of 2:1.El Nino Related	7501 Sandholt Rd., Moss Landing.
G-3-16-0015 Monterey County Resources Management Agency & CA State Parks	This ECDP authorizes Monterey County, acting as contractor and agent for the California Department of Parks and Recreation, to manage the sandbar at Carmel River State Beach during the 2015-2016 rainy season, including by cutting and managing a channel between the lagoon and the Carmel Bay to reduce the water level in the lagoon so as to avoid/minimize flooding of existing residences and State Park facilities upstream of the lagoon fronting Carmel River State Beach, Carmel, Monterey County. El Nino Related.	

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G-3-16-0017

Michael Candau

Emergency Coastal Development Permit consisting of the filling of a large cavity that has formed in the bluff underneath the Applicant's property at 3006 Pleasure Point Drive in Santa Cruz County. The cavity will be filled with existing materials and an estimated 150 cubic yards concrete reinforced with rebar that will be initially supported by vertical shotcrete layers on the seaward property boundary. The shotcrete and concrete will be pumped from the driveway and along the side yard of the residence to the cavity in the bluff, and the new seawall structure is not expected to extend beyond the Applicant's property lines. The work will be timed to take place during low tides and periods with low ocean wave run-up conditions, but is expected to be completed in February. El Nino Related.

3006 Pleasure Point Dr., Santa Cruz

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED PERMIT WAIVER

Date: January 28, 2016

To: All Interested Parties

From: Susan Craig, Central Coast District Manager

Brian O'Neill, Coastal Planner

Subject: Coastal Development Permit (CDP) Waiver 3-15-2067-W

Applicant: Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute

Proposed Development

Construction of a 16-square-foot concrete pad and installation of a 12-foot crane on an existing concrete dock at Moss Landing Harbor across the street from the Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute facilities at 7700 Sandholt Road in Moss Landing, Monterey County (APN 133-231-010-000).

Executive Director's Waiver Determination

Pursuant to Title 14, Section 13238 of the California Code of Regulations, and based on project plans and information submitted by the Applicant regarding the proposed development, the Executive Director of the California Coastal Commission hereby waives the requirement for a CDP for the following reasons:

The proposed project involves the installation of a small concrete pad and crane on an existing concrete dock. The proposed project is necessary to facilitate the transfer of equipment between the Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute's research vessels and the dock. The new crane will replace an existing mobile crane that has been kept at this location but does not have adequate lifting capacity to serve the Applicant's research needs. The concrete will be manually brought to the project location and poured using a wheelbarrow and shovel. The proposed project will implement Best Management Practices designed to protect water quality, including good housekeeping measures and construction of a temporary containment barrier to prevent materials or debris from entering the water. Accordingly, the project will not have any significant adverse impacts on coastal resources, including public access to the shoreline.

Coastal Commission Review Procedure

This waiver is not valid until the waiver has been reported to the Coastal Commission. This waiver is proposed to be reported to the Commission on February 11, 2016 in Morro Bay. If four Commissioners object to this waiver at that time, then the application shall be processed as a regular CDP application.

If you have any questions about the proposal or wish to register an objection, please contact Brian O'Neill in the Central Coast District office.

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Date: January 28, 2016

To: All Interested Parties

From: Susan Craig, Central Coast District Manager

Brian O'Neill, Coastal Planner

Subject: Coastal Development Permit (CDP) Waiver 3-15-2115-W

Applicant: City of Pacific Grove

Proposed Development

Installation of approximately 50 linear feet of three-foot-tall metal fencing atop an existing rock wall located on the inland side of an existing swimming pool in Lovers Point Park at 620 Ocean View Boulevard, Pacific Grove, Monterey County (APN 006-155-099-000).

Executive Director's Waiver Determination

Pursuant to Title 14, Section 13238 of the California Code of Regulations, and based on project plans and information submitted by the Applicant regarding the proposed development, the Executive Director of the California Coastal Commission hereby waives the requirement for a CDP for the following reasons:

The proposed project involves the installation of a three-foot-tall protective metal fence atop an existing three-foot-tall rock wall that extends along approximately 50 feet of the sidewalk on Ocean View Boulevard and abuts the inland side of the Lovers Point Park Children's Pool. From the top of the rock wall there is an approximately ten-foot vertical drop to the deck area of the pool. The Monterey County Health Department determined that the height of the existing rock wall does not comply with County code requirements with respect to pool safety, and required the City of Pacific Grove to either close the pool or install temporary orange snow fencing until a permanent fence could be installed on top of the rock wall to provide compliance with County safety code requirements. The Children's Pool is a popular low-cost recreational amenity that offers swim lessons for small children and recreational swimming for \$2.00 per person. The proposed three-foot-tall fence is the minimum fencing height that is commercially available and is similar in style, color, and design to other fencing in the immediate area. The proposed fencing will bring the pool into compliance with County code requirements regarding pool safety, which is necessary to keep the popular pool open and operational. The proposed project does not pose a risk to water quality because no demolition is proposed and minimal construction is necessary to install the fencing. Accordingly, the project will not have any significant adverse impacts on coastal resources, including public access to the shoreline.

Coastal Commission Review Procedure

This waiver is not valid until the waiver has been reported to the Coastal Commission. This waiver is proposed to be reported to the Commission on February 11, 2016 in Morro Bay. If four Commissioners object to this waiver at that time, then the application shall be processed as a regular CDP application.

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If you have any questions about the proposal or wish to register an objection, please contact Brian O'Neill in the Central Coast District office.

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Date: January 28, 2016

To: All Interested Parties

From: Susan Craig, Central Coast District Manager

Brian O'Neill, Coastal Planner

Subject: Coastal Development Permit (CDP) Waiver 3-16-0038-W

Applicant: SWVP Monterey LLC

Proposed Development

Demolition of existing deck, slab, fencing, and gates in the pool area of the Monterey Tides Hotel and construction of new deck, fencing, gates, outdoor shower, and ADA-compliant pool lifts at 2600 Sand Dunes Drive in the City of Monterey, Monterey County (APNs 011-422-017-000, 011-422-018-000, 011-421-005-000).

Executive Director's Waiver Determination

Pursuant to Title 14, Section 13238 of the California Code of Regulations, and based on project plans and information submitted by the Applicant regarding the proposed development, the Executive Director of the California Coastal Commission hereby waives the requirement for a CDP for the following reasons:

The proposed project involves demolition and replacement of an existing pool deck and appurtenant equipment. The proposed project will not expand upon the existing pool area or increase impermeable site coverage. The project will provide hotel patrons with upgraded pool facilities, bring the facility into compliance with Monterey County Health Department code regarding pool fencing, and provide ADA-compliant lifts into the pool and spa. The pool area is on the landward side of the hotel and is not visible from the beach or Highway 1. Additionally, the proposed project will implement Best Management Practices designed to protect water quality, including good housekeeping measures, spill prevention safeguards, and stormwater runoff controls. Accordingly, the project will not have any significant adverse impacts on coastal resources, including public access to the shoreline.

Coastal Commission Review Procedure

This waiver is not valid until the waiver has been reported to the Coastal Commission. This waiver is proposed to be reported to the Commission on February 11, 2016 in Morro Bay. If four Commissioners object to this waiver at that time, then the application shall be processed as a regular CDP application.

If you have any questions about the proposal or wish to register an objection, please contact Brian O'Neill in the Central Coast District office.



California Coastal Commission

EMERGENCY COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

Emergency CDP G-3-16-0019 (Moss Landing Boat Yard)

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This emergency coastal development permit (ECDP) authorizes emergency repair of a portion of the shoreline adjacent to the Moss Landing Boat Yard facility at 7501 Sandholdt Road in Moss Landing Harbor in the unincorporated community of Moss Landing, Monterey County (all as more specifically described in the Commission's ECDP file).

Based on the materials presented by the Permittee, Quin Delta LLC, and the Permittee's consultant, Ken Israel, the northeast corner of the boatyard shoreline is being eroded and undermined by high tides and strong currents, which is resulting in the loss of the boatyard's haul-out and repair areas. The boatyard facilities are a coastal dependent use and are essential to maintaining commercial, recreational, and scientific boating (Coastal Act priority uses) in the Moss Landing Harbor. The proposed emergency action includes placement of 100 linear feet of quarter-ton rip-rap rock at the edge of the undermined asphalt deck to a height of approximately 10 feet. The rock will be stacked by a front-loader tractor with a revetment slope of 2:1. The situation represents a sudden unexpected occurrence demanding immediate action to prevent or mitigate loss or damage to life, health, and property. Therefore, the Executive Director of the California Coastal Commission hereby finds that:

- (a) An emergency exists that requires action more quickly than permitted by the procedures for administrative or ordinary coastal development permits (CDPs), and that the development can and will be completed within 30 days unless otherwise specified by the terms of this ECDP; and
- (b) Public comment on the proposed emergency development has been reviewed if time allows.

The emergency development is hereby approved, subject to the conditions listed on the attached pages.

Susan Craig, Central Coastal District Manager for Charles Lester, Executive Director

Enclosures: (1) Emergency Coastal Development Permit Acceptance Form; (2) Regular Permit Application Form

cc (via email): Linda McIntyre, Moss Landing Harbor District
David Mack, Monterey County Planning and Building
Jacqueline Pearson-Meyer, National Marine Fisheries Service
Jacob Martin, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Katerina Galacatos, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Linda Connolly, CA Department of Fish & Wildlife

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Conditions of Approval

- 1. The enclosed ECDP acceptance form must be signed by the Permittee and returned to the California Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office within 15 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by February 20, 2016). This ECDP is not valid unless and until the acceptance form has been received in the Central Coast District Office.
- 2. Only that emergency development specifically described in this ECDP is authorized. Any additional and/or different emergency and/or other development requires separate authorization from the Executive Director and/or the Coastal Commission.
- 3. The emergency development authorized by this ECDP must be completed within 30 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by March 6, 2016) unless extended for good cause by the Executive Director.
- 4. The emergency development authorized by this ECDP is only temporary, and shall be removed if it is not authorized by a regular CDP. Within 60 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by April 5, 2016), the Permittee shall submit a complete application for a regular CDP to have the emergency development be considered permanent. The emergency development shall be removed in its entirety within 150 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by July 5, 2016) unless before that time the California Coastal Commission has issued a regular CDP for the development authorized by this ECDP. The deadlines in this condition may be extended for good cause by the Executive Director.
- 5. In exercising this ECDP, the Permittee agrees to hold the California Coastal Commission harmless from any liabilities for damage to public or private properties or personal injury that may result from the project.
- 6. This ECDP does not obviate the need to obtain necessary authorizations and/or permits from other agencies (e.g., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Central Coastal Regional Water Quality Control Board, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, California Department of Fish & Wildlife, NOAA Fisheries, etc.). The Permittee shall submit to the Executive Director copies of all such authorizations and/or permits upon their issuance.
- 7. The emergency repairs shall be limited in scale and scope to the shoreline in the northeast corner of the site identified in the application form dated received in the Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office on January 29, 2016.
- 8. A licensed civil engineer with experience in coastal structures and processes shall oversee all construction activities and shall ensure that all emergency development is limited to the least amount necessary to abate the emergency.
- 9. All emergency construction activities shall limit impacts to public access and to the Moss Landing Harbor to the maximum extent feasible including by, at a minimum, adhering to the following construction requirements (which may be adjusted by the Executive Director if such adjustments: (1) are deemed necessary due to extenuating circumstances; and (2) will not adversely impact coastal resources):
 - a. All work shall take place during daylight hours. Lighting of the intertidal area is prohibited.

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- b. Construction work and equipment operations shall not be conducted seaward of the mean high water line unless tidal waters have receded from the authorized work areas.
- c. Grading of intertidal areas is prohibited.
- d. Any construction materials and equipment delivered to the intertidal or beach area shall be delivered by rubber-tired construction vehicles. If transiting on any beach area, all such vehicles shall remain as high on the upper beach as possible and avoid contact with harbor waters and intertidal areas.
- e. All construction materials and equipment placed on any beach areas during daylight construction hours shall be stored beyond the reach of tidal waters. All construction materials and equipment shall be removed in their entirety from any beach areas by sunset each day that work occurs. The only exceptions shall be for: (1) erosion and sediment controls (e.g., a silt fence at the base of the construction area) as necessary to contain rock and/or sediments in the construction area, where such controls are minimized in their extent; and (2) storage of larger materials beyond the reach of tidal waters for which moving the materials each day would be extremely difficult. Any larger materials intended to be left on any beach areas overnight must be approved in advance by the Executive Director, and shall be subject to a contingency plan for moving said materials in the event of tidal/wave surge reaching them.
- f. All construction areas shall be minimized and demarked by temporary fencing designed to allow through public access and protect public safety to the maximum extent feasible. Construction (including but not limited to construction activities, and materials and/or equipment storage) is prohibited outside of the defined construction, staging, and storage areas.
- g. The construction site shall maintain good construction site housekeeping controls and procedures (e.g., clean up all leaks, drips, and other spills immediately; keep materials covered and out of the rain (including covering exposed piles of soil and wastes); dispose of all wastes properly, place trash receptacles on site for that purpose, and cover open trash receptacles during wet weather; remove all construction debris from the beach; etc.).
- h. All construction activities that result in discharge of materials, polluted runoff, or wastes to the adjacent marine environment are prohibited. Equipment washing, refueling, and/or servicing shall not take place on any beach area that may form at low tide. Any erosion and sediment controls used shall be in place prior to the commencement of construction as well as at the end of each work day.
- i. All beach areas and all shoreline access points impacted by construction activities shall be restored to their pre-construction condition or better within three days of completion of construction. Any beach sand in the area that is impacted by construction shall be filtered as necessary to remove all construction debris.
- j. All contractors shall ensure that work crews are carefully briefed on the importance of observing the construction precautions given the sensitive work environment. Construction contracts shall contain appropriate penalty provisions sufficient to offset the cost of retrieval/clean up of foreign

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materials not properly contained and/or remediation to ensure compliance with this ECDP otherwise.

- k. The Permittee shall notify planning staff of the Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office immediately upon completion of construction and required beach-area restoration activities. If planning staff should identify additional reasonable measures necessary to restore the beach and beach access points, such measures shall be implemented immediately.
- 10. Copies of this ECDP shall be maintained in a conspicuous location at the construction job site at all times, and such copies shall be available for public review on request. All persons involved with the construction shall be briefed on the content and meaning of this ECDP, and the public review requirements applicable to it, prior to commencement of construction.
- 11. A construction coordinator shall be designated to be contacted during construction should questions arise regarding the construction (in case of both regular inquiries and emergencies), and his/her contact information (i.e., address, phone numbers, etc.) including, at a minimum, a telephone number that will be made available 24 hours a day for the duration of construction, shall be conspicuously posted at the job site where such contact information is readily visible from public viewing areas, along with indication that the construction coordinator should be contacted in the case of questions regarding the construction (in case of both regular inquiries and emergencies). The construction coordinator shall record the name, phone number, and nature of all complaints received regarding the construction, and shall investigate complaints and take remedial action, if necessary, within 24 hours of receipt of the complaint or inquiry.
- 12. Within 30 days of completion of the construction authorized by this ECDP, the Permittee shall submit site plans and cross sections prepared by a licensed civil engineer with experience in coastal structures and processes clearly identifying all development completed under this emergency authorization (comparing any previously permitted condition to both the emergency condition and to the post-work condition), and a narrative description of all emergency development activities undertaken pursuant to this emergency authorization.
- 13. This ECDP shall not constitute a waiver of any public rights which may exist on the property. The Permittee shall not use this ECDP as evidence of a waiver of any public rights which may exist on the property.
- 14. Failure to comply with the conditions of this approval may result in enforcement action under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Coastal Act.
- 15. The issuance of this ECDP does not constitute admission as to the legality of any development undertaken on the subject site without a CDP and shall be without prejudice to the California Coastal Commission's ability to pursue any remedy under Chapter 9 of the Coastal Act.

As noted in Condition 4 above, the emergency development carried out under this ECDP is at the Permittee's risk and is considered to be temporary work done in an emergency situation to abate an emergency. If the Permittee wishes to have the emergency development become a permanent development, a regular CDP must be obtained. A regular CDP is subject to all of the provisions of the

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California Coastal Act and may be conditioned or denied accordingly.

If you have any questions about the provisions of this ECDP, please contact the Commission's Central Coast District Office at 725 Front Street, Suite 300, Santa Cruz, CA 95060, (831) 427-4863.



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EMERGENCY COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

Emergency CDP G-3-16-0015 (Carmel River Lagoon Sandbar Management)

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Note: This revised emergency coastal development permit (ECDP) supersedes and replaces ECDP G-3-15-0024 issued to Monterey County on September 23, 2015 for emergency breaching of the Carmel River Lagoon sandbar and includes additional flexibility in the breaching protocol in order to adapt to changing conditions of the nearshore beach environment.

This ECDP authorizes Monterey County, acting as contractor and agent for the California Department of Parks and Recreation, to manage the sandbar at Carmel River State Beach during the 2015-2016 rainy season, including by cutting and managing a channel between the lagoon and Carmel Bay to reduce the water level in the lagoon so as to avoid/minimize flooding of existing residences and State Park facilities upstream of the lagoon fronting Carmel River State Beach (all as more specifically described in the Commission's ECDP file).

Based on the materials presented by the Permittee (Monterey County), the Carmel River Lagoon is currently below flood elevation; however there is a risk that any significant rainfall could lead to flooding of approximately 12 residential homes, loss of the State Beach parking lot, and undercutting of the State Beach restroom, all located upstream and along the bank of the lagoon. Monterey County has estimated the flood elevation to be 12.77 feet (NGVD88). To avoid exceeding flood elevation, mobilization and mechanical breaching of the sandbar will commence when one or more of the following conditions is met: 1) lagoon water level reaches a surface elevation of 12.77 feet (NGVD88); 2) the rise in lagoon water levels indicates there is less than six hours until the water elevation reaches 12.77 feet (NGVD88) or when Carmel River flows reach or exceed 200 cubic feet per second at the Los Padres Dam and at Esquiline Road Bridge stream gauges; 3) wave over-topping begins to rapidly increase water levels of the lagoon as well as increase the sandbar elevation.

Therefore, the Executive Director of the California Coastal Commission hereby finds that:

(a) An emergency exists that requires action more quickly than permitted by the procedures for administrative or ordinary coastal development permits (CDPs), and that the development can and will be completed within 30 days unless otherwise specified by the terms of this ECDP; and

Enclosures: (1) Emergency Coastal Development Permit Acceptance Form

cc: Mat Fuze, California Department of Parks and Recreation Sophie DeBeukelaer, Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary Katerina Galacatos, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Martin Jacobs, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Jacqueline Pearson-Meyer, National Marine Fisheries Service Linda Connolly, California Department of Fish and Wildlife Joe Sidor, Monterey County Planning Department Rob Mullane, City of Carmel-by-the-Sea

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(b) Public comment on the proposed emergency development has been reviewed if time allows.

The emergency development is hereby approved, subject to the conditions listed on the attached pages.

Susan Craig, Central Coastal District Manager for Charles Lester, Executive Director

Conditions of Approval

- 1. The enclosed ECDP acceptance form must be signed by the ECDP Permittee and returned to the California Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office within 15 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by February 11, 2016). This ECDP is not valid unless and until the acceptance form has been received in the Central Coast District Office.
- 2. Only that emergency development specifically described in this ECDP is authorized. Any additional and/or different emergency and/or other development requires separate authorization from the Executive Director and/or the Coastal Commission.
- 3. The emergency development authorized by this ECDP extends through the 2015-2016 rainy season (i.e., until April 15, 2016) only, unless extended for good cause by the Executive Director.
- 4. The emergency development authorized by this ECDP, which is carried out at the Permittee's risk, is only temporary, and shall no longer be authorized if it is not followed-up by a regular CDP. Therefore, by May 1, 2016 the Permittee shall submit materials to modify the existing CDP application (3-12-025) for ongoing management of the Carmel River Lagoon to include authorization of the emergency development carried out under this ECDP as part of the proposed project description. The modification materials shall include monitoring reports as required by Condition 15. Additionally, the Permittee shall diligently pursue completion of the existing CDP application and by March 22, 2016, shall submit a draft Initial Study/Environmental Assessment associated with the long-term comprehensive response to managing the Carmel River Lagoon. Otherwise, the temporary emergency development shall no longer be authorized and all areas affected by it restored to their original pre-emergency development condition. The deadlines in this condition may be extended for good cause by the Executive Director
- 5. This ECDP does not obviate the need to obtain necessary authorizations and/or permits from other agencies (e.g., California Department of Parks and Recreation, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, California State Lands Commission, Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary, United States Army Corps of Engineers, National Marine Fisheries Service, United States Fish and Wildlife Service, etc.). The Permittee shall submit to the Executive Director copies of all such authorizations and/or permits upon their issuance.
- 6. All emergency development shall be limited in scale and scope to that specifically identified in the materials submitted by the Permittee (dated received in the Coastal Commission's Central Coast

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District Office on August 31, 2015, as revised by the materials submitted on January 22, 2016).

- 7. A qualified biologist (including with a minimum of three years experience with anadromous salmonids) shall be present during all emergency development activities, and shall monitor the lagoon and sandbar on a daily basis for as long as the emergency development activities authorized under this ECDP persist. The biological monitor shall ensure that all emergency development is limited to the least amount necessary to abate the emergency, and that it avoid impacts to adjacent marine and lagoon resources as much as possible, including through adaptive management measures to respond to changing conditions and/or understandings relative to flood risk and habitat impacts.
- 8. Prior to any mechanical breaching of the sandbar, the Permittee shall have ensured that all other possible flood protection measures (e.g., sand bags, rubber dams, etc.) have been applied to protect surrounding flood water threatened homes, infrastructure, and other development to the maximum extent feasible.
- 9. For the initial construction of the channel, the channel shall be cut diagonally from the west end of the lagoon for a distance of approximately 150 feet, and it shall be no more than 25 feet wide. If existing shoreline conditions prevent establishing a diagonal channel in the manner described above, the Permittee may, in conjunction with the other responsible agencies identified in condition 5 above, be authorized to modify the channel configuration (i.e., length, width, and location) to reduce flood risks in a manner that also protects sensitive resources and species to the greatest extent practicable.
- 10. Following any sandbar breach and after high inflows from the river have receded, the lagoon shall either be allowed to naturally close or remain with an open outlet channel flowing over the beach in the alignment described in condition 9 above (i.e., a long meandering channel that mutes tidal influence and rapid draining of the lagoon), whichever is more protective of resources, including as directed by the biological monitor.
- 11. If the initial sandbar breach leads to an open lagoon (open to tidal influence), the Permittee shall allow the tidal inlet/sandbar area to naturally fill, unless river flows have receded to below 200 cfs, in which case the Permittee shall modify the tidal inlet/sandbar area to close the lagoon outlet channel. The lagoon level shall be maintained at a minimum 6-foot water surface elevation. Any manipulation of the tidal inlet/sandbar area that involves fill sand shall use in-situ Carmel River State Beach sand that is free of contaminants.
- 12. All emergency development activities shall limit impacts to coastal resources (including public recreational access, shoreline bluff, Carmel River and the lagoon, and the Pacific Ocean) to the maximum extent feasible including by, at a minimum, adhering to the following construction requirements (which may be adjusted by the Executive Director if such adjustments: (1) are deemed necessary due to extenuating circumstances; and (2) will not adversely impact coastal resources):
 - a. All construction areas shall be minimized, shall allow public recreational access along Carmel River State Beach, and shall protect public safety to the maximum extent feasible. Construction (including but not limited to construction activities, and materials and/or equipment storage) is prohibited outside of the defined construction, staging, and storage areas.

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- b. Construction work and equipment operations shall not be conducted seaward of the mean high water line unless tidal waters have receded from the authorized work areas.
- c. Grading of intertidal areas is prohibited.
- d. Any construction materials and equipment delivered to the beach area shall be delivered by rubber-tired construction vehicles. When transiting on the beach, all such vehicles shall remain as high on the upper beach as possible and avoid contact with ocean waters and intertidal areas.
- e. Any construction materials and equipment placed on the beach during daylight construction hours shall be stored beyond the reach of tidal waters. All construction materials and equipment shall be removed in their entirety from the beach area by sunset each day that work occurs.
- f. All construction areas shall be minimized and demarked by temporary fencing designed to allow through public access and protect public safety to the maximum extent feasible. Construction (including but not limited to construction activities, and materials and/or equipment storage) is prohibited outside of the defined construction, staging, and storage areas.
- g. The construction site shall maintain good construction site housekeeping controls and procedures (e.g., clean up all leaks, drips, and other spills immediately; keep equipment covered and out of the rain (including covering exposed piles of soil and wastes); dispose of all wastes properly, place trash receptacles on site for that purpose, and cover open trash receptacles during wet weather; remove all construction debris from the beach; etc.).
- h. All construction activities that result in discharge of materials, polluted runoff, or wastes to the beach or the adjacent marine environment are prohibited. Equipment washing, refueling, and/or servicing shall not take place on the beach. Any erosion and sediment controls used shall be in place prior to the commencement of construction as well as at the end of each work day.
- i. All accessways impacted by construction activities shall be restored to their pre-construction condition or better within three days of completion of construction. Any beach sand in the area that is impacted by construction shall be filtered as necessary to remove any construction debris.
- j. All exposed slopes and soil surfaces in and/or adjacent to the construction area shall be stabilized with erosion control native seed mix, jute netting, straw mulch, or other applicable best management practices (for example, those identified in the California Storm Water Best Management Practice Handbooks (March, 1993)). The use of non-native invasive species (such as ice-plant) is prohibited.
- k. All contractors shall ensure that work crews are carefully briefed on the importance of observing the construction precautions given the sensitive work environment. Construction contracts shall contain appropriate penalty provisions sufficient to offset the cost of retrieval/clean up of foreign materials not properly contained and/or remediation to ensure compliance with this ECDP otherwise.
- 1. The Permittee shall notify planning staff of the Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office immediately upon completion of construction and required restoration activities. If

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planning staff should identify additional reasonable restoration measures, such measures shall be implemented immediately.

- 13. Copies of this ECDP shall be maintained in a conspicuous location at the emergency development area at all times for as long as emergency development activities authorized under this ECDP persist, and such copies shall be available for public review on request. All persons involved with the emergency development activities shall be briefed on the content and meaning of this ECDP, and the public review requirements applicable to it, prior to commencement of construction.
- 14. The Permittee shall designate a coordinator to be contacted during all emergency development activities and for as long as the emergency development activities authorized under this ECDP persist should questions arise regarding these activities (in case of both regular inquiries and emergencies). The coordinator's contact information (i.e., address, phone numbers, etc.) including, at a minimum, a telephone number that will be made available 24 hours a day for the duration of emergency development activities, shall be conspicuously posted at the job site where such contact information is readily visible from public viewing areas, along with indication that the coordinator should be contacted in the case of questions regarding the construction (in case of both regular inquiries and emergencies). The coordinator shall record the name, phone number, and nature of all complaints received regarding the time that emergency development activities authorized under this ECDP persist, and shall investigate complaints and take remedial action, if necessary, within 24 hours of receipt of the complaint or inquiry.
- 15. The Permittee shall submit monthly reports by the 15th of each month that emergency development activities authorized under this ECDP persist to the Executive Director for review and approval. Each report shall identify all flood protection measures (e.g., sand bags, rubber dams, etc.) that have been applied to protect surrounding flood water threatened homes, infrastructure, and other development to the maximum extent feasible; shall document all emergency development activities (including through narrative as well as site plans and cross sections accompanied by photographs, maps, and /or graphics); and shall include a section prepared by the biological monitor providing his/her monitoring observations, including in terms of potential impacts to habitat resources (including identification of any fish mortality and/or harm or harassment (e.g., fish entrainment in the outlet channel during breaching)) and recommendations for project changes to avoid such impacts. The monthly reports shall clearly identify all areas affected by emergency development activities, and include the location and extent of grading, sand borrow, and fill areas; pre-existing and resulting alignments of the river; elevations showing finished slopes; and, estimated quantity of sand moved. The monthly reports shall also include color photographs (in hard copy and jpg format) that clearly depict all emergency development activities, that are accompanied by a site plan that notes the location of each photographic viewpoint and the date and time of each photograph, and that are accompanied by a description of what is shown in each photograph. At a minimum, the photographs shall be from enough upcoast, seaward, and downcoast viewpoints as to provide complete photographic coverage of the emergency development activities authorized under this ECDP at a scale that allows comparisons to be made with the naked eye between photographs taken at different times from the same vantage points.
- 16. In exercising this ECDP, the Permittee agrees to hold the California Coastal Commission harmless

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from any liabilities for damage to public or private properties or personal injury that may result from the project.

- 17. The Permittee shall reimburse the Coastal Commission in full for all Coastal Commission costs and attorneys fees (including but not limited to such costs/fees that are: (1) charged by the Office of the Attorney General; and (2) required by a court) that the Coastal Commission incurs in connection with the defense of any action brought by a party other than the Permittee against the Coastal Commission, its officers, employees, agents, successors and assigns challenging the approval or issuance of this ECDP. The Permittee shall reimburse the Coastal Commission within 60 days of being informed by the Executive Director of the amount of such costs/fees. The Coastal Commission retains complete authority to conduct and direct the defense of any such action against the Coastal Commission.
- 18. Failure to comply with the conditions of this approval may result in enforcement action under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Coastal Act.
- 19. This ECDP shall not constitute a waiver of any public rights which may exist on the property. The Permittee shall not use this ECDP as evidence of a waiver of any public rights which may exist on the property.
- 20. The issuance of this ECDP does not constitute admission as to the legality of any development undertaken on the subject site without a CDP and shall be without prejudice to the California Coastal Commission's ability to pursue any remedy under Chapter 9 of the Coastal Act.

As noted in Condition 4 above, the emergency development carried out under this ECDP is at the Permittee's risk and is considered to be temporary work done in an emergency situation to abate an emergency. If Monterey County wishes to have the emergency development become permanent development, a regular CDP must be obtained. A regular CDP is subject to all of the provisions of the California Coastal Act and may be conditioned or denied accordingly.

If you have any questions about the provisions of this ECDP, please contact the Commission's Central Coast District Office at 725 Front Street, Suite 300, Santa Cruz, CA 95060, (831) 427-4863.



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EMERGENCY COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

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This emergency coastal development permit (ECDP) authorizes emergency development consisting of the filling of a large cavity that has formed in the bluff underneath the Applicant's property at 3006 Pleasure Point Drive in Santa Cruz County. The cavity will be filled with existing materials and an estimated 150 cubic yards concrete reinforced with rebar that will be initially supported by vertical shotcrete layers on the seaward property boundary. The shotcrete and concrete will be pumped from the driveway and along the side yard of the residence to the cavity in the bluff, and the new seawall structure is not expected to extend beyond the Applicant's property lines. The work will be timed to take place during low tides and periods with low ocean wave run-up conditions, but is expected to be completed in February.

Based on the materials presented by the Permittee, existing coastal protection structures on and adjacent to the site (consisting of gunite or shotcrete covering a concrete retaining wall/seawall elements and riprap) were perforated by wave impact during strong ocean storms in January 2016. Erosion of the earth materials landward of these structures has resulted in the formation of a very large primarily underground cavity on the Applicant's property (APN 032-242-18). In addition, several piers supporting an upper bluff concrete seawall that was constructed in 1997 to support the Applicant's deck, pool and home are exposed in the cavity. Erosion has removed the earth surrounding the piers and has rendered them potentially unstable and subject to bending or collapse. The proposed emergency development is therefore necessary to prevent or mitigate loss or damage to private property. Therefore, the Executive Director of the California Coastal Commission hereby finds that:

- (a) An emergency exists that requires action more quickly than permitted by the procedures for administrative or ordinary coastal development permits (CDPs), and that the development can and will be completed within 30 days unless otherwise specified by the terms of this ECDP; and
- (b) Public comment on the proposed emergency development has been reviewed if time allows.

The emergency development is hereby approved, subject to the conditions listed on the attached pages.

Susan Craig, Central Coastal District Manager, for Charles Lester, Executive Director

Enclosures: (1) Emergency Coastal Development Permit Acceptance Form; (2) Regular Permit Application Form

Cc: SLC, MBNMS, County

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Conditions of Approval

- 1. The enclosed ECDP acceptance form must be signed by the Permittee (property owner) and returned to the California Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office within 15 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by February 20, 2016). This ECDP is not valid unless and until the acceptance form has been received in the Central Coast District Office.
- 2. Only the emergency development specifically described in this ECDP is authorized. Any additional and/or different emergency and/or other development requires separate authorization from the Executive Director and/or the Coastal Commission.
- 3. The emergency development authorized by this ECDP must be completed within 30 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by March 6, 2016) unless extended for good cause by the Executive Director.
- 4. The emergency development authorized by this ECDP is only temporary and is designed to abate the identified emergency, and shall be removed if it is not authorized by a regular CDP. Within 60 days of the date of this permit (i.e. by April 5, 2016), the Permittee shall submit a complete application for a regular CDP to have the emergency development be considered permanent or for a different project designed to repair the site. The application shall include photos showing the project site before the emergency, during emergency project construction activities, and after the work authorized by this ECDP is complete. Otherwise, the emergency development shall be removed in its entirety within 90 days of the date of this permit (i.e., by May 5, 2016) and all areas affected by it restored to their original pre-emergency development condition unless before that time the California Coastal Commission has issued a regular CDP for the development authorized by this ECDP. The deadlines in this condition may be extended for good cause by the Executive Director.
- 5. In exercising this ECDP, the Permittees agree to hold the California Coastal Commission harmless from any liabilities for damage to public or private properties or personal injury that may result from the project.
- 6. This ECDP does not obviate the need to obtain necessary authorizations and/or permits from other agencies (e.g., Santa Cruz County, State Lands Commission, Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary, etc.). The Permittee shall submit to the Executive Director copies of all such authorizations and/or permits upon their issuance.
- 7. All emergency development shall be limited in scale and scope to that specifically identified in the Emergency Permit Application Form and supplemental information dated received in the Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office on February 1, 2016 and February 3, 2016, respectively.
- 8. A licensed civil engineer with experience in coastal structures and processes shall oversee all construction activities and shall ensure that all emergency development is limited to the least amount necessary to abate the emergency.
- 9. All emergency construction activities shall limit impacts to coastal resources (including public recreational access and the Pacific Ocean) to the maximum extent feasible including by, at a minimum, adhering to the following construction requirements (which may be adjusted by the

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Executive Director if such adjustments: (1) are deemed necessary due to extenuating circumstances; and (2) will not adversely impact coastal resources):

- a. All work shall take place during daylight hours. Lighting of the beach or intertidal area is prohibited.
- b. Construction work and equipment operations shall not be conducted seaward of the mean high water line unless tidal waters have receded from the authorized work areas.
- c. Grading of intertidal waters is prohibited.
- d. Any construction vehicles operating on the beach area shall be rubber-tired construction vehicles. When transiting on the beach, all such vehicles shall remain as high on the upper beach as possible and avoid contact with ocean waters and intertidal areas.
- e. Any construction materials and equipment placed on the beach during daylight construction hours shall be stored beyond the reach of tidal waters. All construction materials and equipment shall be removed in their entirety from the beach area by sunset each day that work occurs. The only exceptions will be for: (1) erosion and sediment controls (e.g., a silt fence at the base of the construction area) as necessary to contain rock and/or sediments in the construction area, where such controls are placed as close to the toe of the bluff as possible, and are minimized in their extent; (2) storage of larger materials beyond the reach of tidal waters for which moving the materials each day would be extremely difficult. Any larger materials intended to be left on the beach overnight must be approved in advance by the Executive Director, and shall be subject to a contingency plan for moving said materials in the event of tidal/wave surge reaching them.
- f. All construction areas shall be minimized and demarked by temporary fencing designed to allow through public access and protect public safety to the maximum extent feasible. Construction (including but not limited to construction activities, and materials and/or equipment storage) is prohibited outside of the defined construction, staging, and storage areas.
- g. The construction site shall maintain good construction site housekeeping controls and procedures (e.g., clean up all leaks, drips, and other spills immediately; keep equipment covered and out of the rain (including covering exposed piles of soil and wastes); dispose of all wastes properly, place trash receptacles on site for that purpose, and cover open trash receptacles during wet weather; remove all construction debris from the beach; etc.).
- h. All construction activities that result in discharge of materials, polluted runoff, or wastes to the beach or the adjacent marine environment are prohibited. Equipment washing, refueling, and/or servicing shall not take place on the beach. Any erosion and sediment controls used shall be in place prior to the commencement of construction as well as at the end of each work day.
- i. All accessways impacted by construction activities shall be restored to their pre-construction condition or better within three days of completion of construction. Any beach sand in the area that is impacted by construction shall be filtered as necessary to remove any construction debris.
- j. All exposed slopes and soil surfaces in and/or adjacent to the construction area shall be stabilized

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with erosion control native seed mix, jute netting, straw mulch, or other applicable best management practices (for example, those identified in the California Storm Water Best Management Practice Handbooks (March, 1993)). The use of non-native invasive species (such as ice-plant) is prohibited.

- k. All contractors shall ensure that work crews are carefully briefed on the importance of observing the construction precautions given the sensitive work environment. Construction contracts shall contain appropriate penalty provisions sufficient to offset the cost of retrieval/cleanup of foreign materials not properly contained and/or remediation to ensure compliance with this ECDP otherwise.
- 1. The Permittee shall notify planning staff of the Coastal Commission's Central Coast District Office immediately upon completion of construction and required restoration activities. If planning staff should identify additional reasonable restoration measures, such measures shall be implemented immediately.
- 10. Within 30 days of completion of construction authorized by this ECDP, the Permittee shall submit site plans and cross sections to the Executive Director clearly identifying all development completed under this emergency authorization (comparing any previously permitted condition to both the emergency condition and to the post-work condition), and a narrative description of all emergency development activities undertaken pursuant to this emergency authorization. Photos showing the project site before the emergency (if available), during emergency project construction activities, and after the work authorized by this ECDP is complete shall be provided with the site plans and cross sections.
- 11. Copies of this ECDP shall be maintained in a conspicuous location at the construction job site at all times, and such copies shall be available for public review on request. All persons involved with the construction shall be briefed on the content and meaning of this ECDP, and the public review requirements applicable to it, prior to commencement of construction.
- 12. A construction coordinator shall be designated to be contacted during construction should questions arise regarding the construction (in case of both regular inquiries and emergencies), and his/her contact information (i.e., address, email, phone numbers, etc.) including, at a minimum, a telephone number and email address that will be made available 24 hours a day for the duration of construction, shall be conspicuously posted at the job site where such contact information is readily visible from public viewing areas, along with indication that the construction coordinator should be contacted in the case of questions regarding the construction (in case of both regular inquiries and emergencies). The construction coordinator shall record the contact information (e.g., name, address, email, phone number, etc.) and nature of all complaints received regarding the construction, and shall investigate complaints and take remedial action, if necessary, within 24 hours of receipt of the complaint or inquiry. Within 30 days of completion of construction authorized by this ECDP, the Permittee shall submit the record (of complaints/inquiries and actions taken in response) to the Executive Director.

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- 13. This ECDP shall not constitute a waiver of any public rights which may exist on the property. The permittee shall not use this ECDP as evidence of a waiver of any public rights which may exist on the property.
- 14. Failure to comply with the conditions of this approval may result in enforcement action under the provisions of Chapter 9 of the Coastal Act.
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