

**CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMISSION**

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PRESCRIPTIVE RIGHTS STUDY  
PUBLIC USE QUESTIONNAIRE AND DECLARATION

**PATHWAY ACROSS THE COASTAL BLUFFTOP OVERLOOKING CHRISTMAS TREE COVE AT THE BORDER OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES AND RANCHO PALOS VERDES, LOS ANGELES COUNTY**

The State of California is investigating uses made of the pathway located west of 7 Marguerite Dr. Prior to the installation of fences across the north and south ends of the pathway, this path connected Paseo Del Mar (located in Palos Verdes Estates) from the north to Marguerite Dr (located in Rancho Palos Verdes) to the south. It also provided access to the coastal blufftop overlooking Christmas Tree Cove. The investigation is for the purpose of determining whether any public rights exist therein by reason of public use. Your answers to this Questionnaire and Declaration will be appreciated. If you have ever used any portion of this trail, please take a few moments to print, complete, sign and return the Questionnaire and Declaration to:

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For more information or to receive additional paper copies of this questionnaire, please contact Andrew Willis at [awillis@coastal.ca.gov](mailto:awillis@coastal.ca.gov) or 562-590-5071. For an electronic version of this questionnaire, go to <http://www.coastal.ca.gov/access/prc-access.html>. Please print out this form, fill in the information, date and sign, then return to the Coastal Commission office.

Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address if

different: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ (Office): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you personally and openly used the pathway shown on the attached photograph, map or diagram? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, since what date? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Please mark the areas of your use on the enclosed photograph, map or diagram and date and sign the same.

3. Please describe the uses you have made of the pathway. For example, did you use the pathway for:

ocean viewing       access to blufftop

access to Paseo Del Mar / Marguerite Dr.       dog walking

other uses \_\_\_\_\_

4. Approximately how many times have you used this pathway?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. Did you ever ask for and receive permission to use the pathway?

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6. Did anyone ever interfere in any way with your use?

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7. Have you observed others using this pathway?

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If so, for what purposes?

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How often have you seen other members of the public using this pathway?

Whenever I was there: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequently: \_\_\_\_\_

Occasionally: \_\_\_\_\_ Rarely: \_\_\_\_\_ Never: \_\_\_\_\_

On these occasions, usually there were approximately

\_\_\_\_\_

people present on any one occasion (Indicate number or range.)

8. Do you know the names of the other people who have used this pathway? If so, please list them with their addresses and telephone numbers, if known.

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9. Do you possess or know of the existence and/or whereabouts of items such as photographs, logs, diaries, notebooks, letters, etc. relating to your use of the pathway or the uses of other people? If so, please describe the items and list the name of parties or locations where such items can be found:

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10. Did you make use of this pathway as you would public property? If so, please explain.

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11. Have you ever observed any no trespassing signs or equivalent signs, or signs giving permission to utilize the pathway? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, when and where?

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12. Have you ever lived or worked in this vicinity? \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, when and where?

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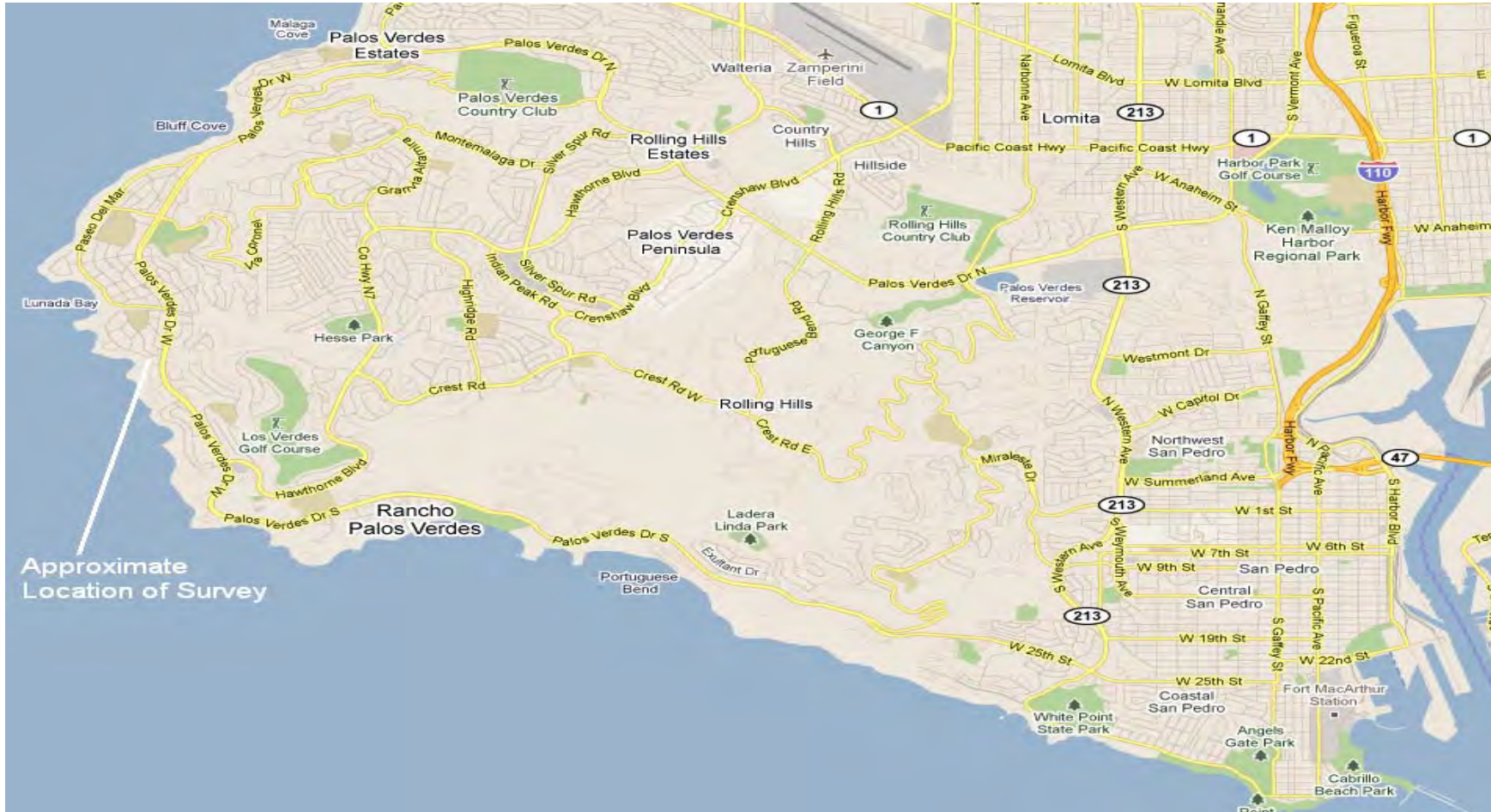
I declare under penalty of perjury that any answer to the foregoing Questionnaire and Declaration are true and correct to the best of my recollection.

Dated at: \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
City and State Date

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

***The information contained in this questionnaire is subject to public disclosure and will not be kept confidential unless requested by the signatory in writing.***

California Coastal Commission Prescriptive Rights Study Public Access Questionnaire  
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