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NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

(Article I - City CEQA Guidelines)

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Public Resources Code Section 21152(a) requires local agencies to submit this information to the County Clerk. The filing of this notice starts a 30-day statute of limitations on court challenges to the approval of the project pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21167.

LEAD CITY AGENCY AND ADDRESS: **Department of Public Works, Bureau of Engineering**
1149 South Broadway, Suite 600, Los Angeles CA 90015-2213

COUNCIL DISTRICT
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PROJECT TITLE: (Including its common name, if any) **Hillcrest Drive Landslide Repair**

C.F.: 12-0718

PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION: : The proposed project would stabilize a landslide area on a hillside above Hillcrest Drive near the intersection with North Beverly Drive in the City of Los Angeles. The project site is in the Franklin Canyon area of the Santa Monica Mountains and is on several unimproved parcels owned by the City of Los Angeles. Hillcrest Drive below the project site is currently unimproved. The landslide at the project site reactivated in the 1990's and deposited debris onto Hillcrest Drive behind several residences that front North Beverly Drive. The City constructed a debris wall along and catchment basin on the down slope side of the lower part of Hillcrest Drive. The landslide reactivated again during heavy rains in 2005 and deposited debris behind the catchment basin. The current project is the result of litigation. The project would stabilize the landslide area by removing debris, grading the slope and constructing drainage terraces. The project would remove landslide debris from the catchment area. The landslide debris would be trucked from the project site to an off-site location. Once the landslide debris is removed, the resultant slope would be graded to have a gradient no steeper than 2:1 (horizontal to vertical). Drainage terraces would be constructed at 25-foot vertical intervals. Mitigation measures have been incorporated into the project to ensure that any impacts are reduced to a less than significant level.

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This is to advise that on May 29, 2012, the Council of the City of Los Angeles (Lead Agency or Responsible Agency) approved the project described above and made the following determinations:

SIGNIFICANT EFFECT	<input type="checkbox"/> The project will have a significant effect on the environment. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
MITIGATION MEASURES	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mitigation measures were made a condition of project approval. <input type="checkbox"/> Mitigation measures were not made a condition of project approval.
OVERRIDING CONSIDERATION	<input type="checkbox"/> A Statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted. <input type="checkbox"/> A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not adopted. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not required.
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT	<input type="checkbox"/> An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for project and may be examined at the Office of the City Clerk. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Environmental Impact Report was not prepared for the project.
NEGATIVE DECLARATION	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared for project and may be examined at the Office of the City Engineer <input type="checkbox"/> A Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration was not prepared for the project.

THIS NOTICE WAS POSTED
ON JUN 06 2012
UNTIL JUL 05 2012
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The EIR is available to the general public at the Office of the City Clerk, Room 395 of City Hall, and in the files of the Bureau of Engineering, 1149 South Broadway, Suite 750, Los Angeles CA 90015-2213.

SIGNATURE: *[Signature]*
James E. Doty

TITLE: **Manager**
Environmental Management Group

DATE:
5-31-12

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