

**ATTACHMENT 4: NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

**TO:** Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Paige Roosa, Planner

The project or activity identified below is determined to be exempt from further environmental review requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, as defined in the State and County Guidelines for the implementation of CEQA.

**APN:** 143-220-019                      **Case No.:** 21PCN-00000-00004

**Location:** Forage Florals shop, 1095 Meadowvale Road, Suite 1, Santa Ynez, CA 93460

**Project Title:** Public Convenience or Necessity Determination for Forage Florals

**Project Applicant:** Jill Redman, Owner, Forage Florals

**Project Description:** Request for a determination of public convenience or necessity for issuance of a Type 20 Off-Sale Beer and Wine license for Forage Florals shop in Santa Ynez.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** Santa Barbara County

**Name of Person or Entity Carrying Out Project:** Jill Redman, Owner

**Exempt Status:**

- Ministerial
- Statutory Exemption
- Categorical Exemption
- Emergency Project
- Declared Emergency
- Not a Project

**Cite specific CEQA and/or CEQA Guidelines Section:** 15378(b)(5)

**Reasons to support exemption findings:** CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5) states that a project does not include “organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.” The proposed activity is a determination by the Board of Supervisors’ concerning whether or not public convenience or necessity would be served by the ABC’s issuance of a Type 20 Off-Sale Beer and Wine license. The Board of Supervisors’ determination is an administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect changes in the environment.

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**Acceptance Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Distribution:** Hearing Support Staff

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