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Subject: Removal of Encroachment Request of 9 9 2013

Dear Christine,

On September 9, 2013 SWTrails wrote you requesting the removal of an encroaching fence on SW Coronado. To date we have not received a reply, and we note the encroachment has not been removed.

It is evident that your staff has decided not to request the removal of the encroachment. That has led us to question under what policies do decisions such as this depend? What do the existing policies state. Who has the authority to make these delegated decisions, and what is the appeal process? What criteria do you use in making these decisions?

When can we expect a written response to our September 9, 2013 request?

We also would appreciate understanding how your division handles complaints of encroaching vegetation on public rights of way? What policies do you follow in deciding to post vegetation obstructing public access to rights of way? What are the criteria you use to make these decisions, and what is the appeal process for members of the public seeking to have these decisions reviewed.

We look forward to understanding the regulatory framework under which your division does its work.

We would appreciate an expedited response in light of the lack of same for the past 17 months.

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503-246-2088 call if you need an answer w/in 24 hours