

## City of Hemet

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

445 E. FLORIDA AVENUE • HEMET, CALIFORNIA 92543 • (951) 765-237

January 15, 2014

Rosemary M. Anderson, Supervisor Riverside County Clerk 2724 Gateway Drive Riverside CA 92507

**ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION for** 

GPA13-001 (Cycle 5 2014-2021 Housing Element Update)

Dear Ms. Anderson:

Enclosed are the original and one copy of the Notice of Determination for the above referenced project, along with the required fees.

Due to the delays that the thirty (30) day posting period causes to our processing, we ask that one of the duplicates be stamped with the filing date and returned to us when received by your office.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. I may be reached at (951) 765-2392.

Sincerely, Carole Kendrick

Carole L. Kendrick

Assistant Planner

Enclosures: Notice of Determination (+2 copy)

Check - \$50.00

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Program EIR 11-002

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## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

**TO:** Rosemary M. Anderson, Supervisor

Riverside County Clerk

PO Box 751

Riverside CA 92502-0751

City of Hemet FROM:

445 East Florida Avenue

Hemet, CA 92543

FILING OF NOTICE OF DETERMINATION IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 21152 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE.

GPA13-001 (Cycle 5 2014-2021 Housing Element Update)

PROJECT TITLE

2010061088

Deanna Elliano

(951) 765-2375

State Clearinghouse Number Lead Agency Contact Person Telephone Number

Citywide, in the City of Hemet, County of Riverside, State of California

#### PROJECT LOCATION

A City-initiated proposal to adopt the revised Housing Element of the Hemet General Plan updating the current Housing Element in accordance with State mandated requirements for the 2014-2021 housing element cycle, and consideration of an Addendum to the Final Environmental Impact Report for the Hemet General Plan 2030 regarding potential environmental impacts.

#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This is to advise that the City of Hemet City Council approved the above referenced project on January 14, 2014, and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

### Lead Agency - City of Hemet

On January 24, 2012, the Hemet City Council adopted a Final Environmental Impact Report (FEIR) for the Comprehensive General Plan Update, which included the Cycle 4 (2008-2013) Housing Element. The proposed Housing Element (Exhibit 1 to Attachment 1) is for the Cycle 5 (2014-2021) planning period. The Cycle 5 Housing Element involves only minor changes and additions to the Cycle 4 document and to the environmental conditions under which it would be implemented. Following a preliminary review, the City determined that the Cycle 5 Housing Element is subject to CEQA review (Public Resources Code Sections 21000-21177) and prepared an Addendum to the General Plan FEIR (Exhibit 2 to Attachment 1) to analyze the potential impacts associated with the Housing Element update and satisfy the requirements of CEQA Guidelines Section 15164, Addendum to an EIR or Negative Declaration.

As outlined in the General Plan FEIR and the Addendum analysis, all impacts of the Cycle 5 (2014-2021) Housing Element were fully examined in the previous EIR and mitigated to the extent discussed in that document, and the proposed changes do not require substantial changes to the prior-certified EIR, or previously adopted mitigation measures. Therefore, the preparation of an Addendum to the existing certified EIR is the appropriate CEQA document to support the City's consideration of the 2014-2021 Housing Element, as outlined in CEQA Guidelines Sections 15162 and 15164.

This is to certify that the Environmental Impact Report with comments and responses and record of project approval is available to the General Public at: 445 E. Florida Ave., Hemet. CA 92543.

Community Development Director

Deanna Elliano RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL

TITLE

(951) 765-2375

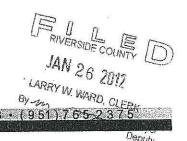
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## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO:

Tammie Marshall, Supervisor

Riverside County Clerk

PO Box 751

Riverside CA 92502-0751

FROM: City of Hemet

445 E. Florida Ave.

Hemet, CA 92543

SUBJECT:

NO. 11-002)

FILING OF NOTICE OF DETERMINATION IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 21108 OR 21152

OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE.

COMPREHENSIVE 2030 GENERAL PLAN UPDATE (GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT NO. 11-002) AND FINAL PROGRAM ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

2010061088

Deanna Elliano

State Clearinghouse Number

**Lead Agency Contact Person** 

Telephone Number

(If submitted to Clearinghouse)

City of Hemet

PROJECT LOCATION:

PROJECT APPLICANT:

City of Hemet, County of Riverside, State of California

Review and consideration of the proposed comprehensive update to the City of PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Hemet General Plan which establishes citywide land uses, policies, and programs within ten general plan elements and replaces the City's existing general plan adopted in 1992, and certification of the Final Program Environmental Impact Report, (SCH No. 2010061088), adoption of the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program, and adoption of the Findings and Statement of Overriding Considerations prepared for the General Plan Update in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act.

This is to advise that the City of Hemet as the Lead Agency approved the above described project on January 17, 2012 and has made the following determinations:

#### Lead Agency - City of Hemet

The project [will X will not ] have a significant effect on the environment. 1.

X An Environmental Impact Report was prepared and certified for this project pursuant to the 2. provisions of CEQA and reflects the independent judgment of the Lead Agency. Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA and reflects the independent judgment of the Lead Agency.

Mitigation measures [were X were not 1] made a condition of the approval of the project. 3.

A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [was X was not ] adopted for this project. 4

A statement of Overriding Considerations [was X was not \_] adopted for this project. 5.

Findings [were X were not ] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

Community Development Director (951) 765-2375 TELEPHONE NUMBER RESPONSIBLE OFFICIAL TITLE

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### NOTICE OF AVAILABILTY

### CITY OF HEMET DRAFT GENERAL PLAN UPDATE CLERK DRAFT PROGRAM ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT, Mayor

State Clearinghouse No. 2010061088

Deputy.

The City of Hemet is pleased to announce the public release of the Draft 2030 General Plan Update and the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR).

PROJECT LOCATION: The City of Hemet is located in the San Jacinto Valley in western Riverside County, California. Regional access is provided by State Routes SR 74 and SR 79, and Domenigoni Parkway. The Planning Area for Hemet's General Plan encompasses 28.3 square miles within the City's corporate limits, as well as 37 square miles within the City's existing Sphere of Influence, and 32.1 square miles in the remaining portion of the City's Planning Area, primarily located west and south of Hemet and including the area around Diamond Valley Lake.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The proposed City of Hemet 2030 General Plan provides comprehensive, long-term policy guidance for the overall development of the City for the next twenty year period. State law requires each city and county in California to prepare a general plan that must be geographically comprehensive and addresses all topics and issues relevant to the future planning and physical development of the city. In order to address changes in the existing community since the current General Plan was adopted in 1992, and to respond to changes in the legislative and regulatory environment, the City prepared this comprehensive General Plan Update. The Hemet General Plan contains the following state mandated and optional elements: Land Use, Community Design, Circulation, Community Services and Infrastructure, Public Safety, Open Space and Conservation, Recreation and Trails, Historic Resources, Art and Culture, and Housing. Additionally, the General Plan includes a chapter on Implementation and appendices on Hemet's approach to Sustainability and Achieving a Healthy Community.

THE DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (EIR): The Draft EIR evaluates the physical environmental impacts that would occur as a result of the eventual build-out of the land use plan and implementation of the General Plan. An EIR is a public information document that presents environmental impact analysis, identifies feasible measures to mitigate significant impacts, and presents feasible alternatives that can reduce or avoid significant environmental effects. The Draft EIR was prepared to provide a program level of analysis in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970 (CEQA) and the State CEQA Guidelines (California code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.), as well as relevant case law. The Draft EIR describes significant impacts related to agricultural resources, air quality, greenhouse gas emissions, noise, traffic and utilities. A review of Cal/EPA databases indicate that there are five sites in the City and Planning Area listed on the "Cortese List", as defined in Government Code Section 65962.5, that are currently being investigated or remediated.

**PUBLIC REVIEW:** The Draft Environmental Impact Report and the Draft 2030 General Plan are available for public review on City's website at <a href="www.cityofhemet.org">www.cityofhemet.org</a> under the General Plan Update link. A computer disc of the documents may also be obtained from the City of Hemet Community Development Department. Copies of the documents are available for review at the following locations during regular business hours:

City of Hemet
Community Development Department
Planning Division Counter
445 East Florida Avenue
Hemet, CA 92543

Hemet Public Library 300 East Latham Street Hemet, CA 92543

PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD: The required 45-day public review and comment period for the Draft Environmental Impact Report will begin on September 30, 2011 and will end on November 14, 2011. The City will respond in writing to all written comments pertaining to the adequacy of the Draft EIR received no later than 5:00 pm on November 14, 2011. Please send your written comments to:

Neg Declaration/Nic Determination Filed per PR.C. 21152

Deanna Elliano Community Development Director City of Hemet 445 East Florida Avenue Hemet, CA 92543

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Comments or questions regarding the Draft EIR of General Plan Update may also be sent by evinal to Nancy Gutierrez at:

ngutierrez@cityofhemet.org

**PUBLIC HEARING:** A public hearing pertaining to the Draft 2030 General Plan and Draft Environmental Impact Report will be held by the Planning Commission of the City of Hemet on **Tuesday**, **October 18**, **2011 at 6:00 PM** in the Hemet City Council Chambers located at 450 E. Latham Avenue, Hemet, CA 92543. Notifications regarding additional public hearings will also be posted on the city's website.