

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

[X] Office of Planning and Research
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[] County Clerk
County of:
Address:

From:

Public Agency: California Natural Resources Agency
Address: 1416 Ninth Street, Room 1311 Sacramento, CA 95814
Contact: Jennifer Thomas
Phone: 916-651-2483

Lead Agency (if different from above):
City of Ventura
Address: 501 Poli Street Ventura, CA 93001
Contact: Dave Ward, AICP
Phone: 805-677-3964

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

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State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse):

Project Title: Ventura Botanical Gardens (VBG) Master Plan for CUP, Rezone, and Lease Agreement

Project Applicant: Ventura Botanical Gardens, Inc. and the City of San Buenaventura (Ventura)

Project Location (include county): At Grant Park north Downtown at 398 Ferro Drive, Ventura in Ventura County

Project Description:

This project will create a botanical garden in Grant Park with an ecological emphasis on the Ventura Coast and its relationship to regions of the world that share its Mediterranean biome. The project will include gardens, trails, and support facilities.

This is to advise that the California Natural Resources Agency has approved the above ([] Lead Agency or [X] Responsible Agency)

described project on 04/03/2019 and has made the following determinations regarding the above (date) described project.

- 1. The project [] will [X] will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. [] An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. [X] A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [X] were [] were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [X] was [] was not adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [] was [X] was not adopted for this project.
6. Findings [X] were [] were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at: Planning Counter at 501 Poli Street, Room 117, Ventura CA 93001

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Deputy Assistant Secretary

Date: 4/8/2019 Date Received for filing at OPR: [Signature]

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