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NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO: County Clerk County of Fresno 2220 Tulare Street, 1st Floor Fresno, CA 93721 City of Fresno 2600 Fresno Street, Room 3065 Fresno, CA 93721 Contact: Sophia Pagoulatos, Planning Manager Phone: (559) 621-8062

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

State Clearinghouse Number: 2019050005

Project Title:Fresno General Plan Program Environmental Impact ReportProject Applicant:City of Fresno

Project Location: City-wide

Project Description: The City is updating the existing General Plan Master EIR (MEIR) and converting it to a Program EIR (PEIR) to be in conformance with State law and consistent with recent legislative changes related to Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT). The PEIR includes a current baseline for the continued implementation of the approved General Plan, and reflects changes in City planning documents that have occurred since adoption of the approved General Plan in 2014. The City is not proposing any land use changes as a part of this project, but it does include an update to the City's Greenhouse Gas Reduction Plan. This update, consistent with Section 15168 of the CEQA Guidelines, is intended to streamline implementation of the General Plan's programs and projects by supporting them with updated environmental analysis, regulatory framework, and mitigation measures, pursuant to CEQA.

This is to advise that the City of Fresno as Lead Agency has approved the above described project on September 30, 2021 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

- 1. The Project will have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2. An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4. A Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program was adopted for this project.
- 5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for this project.
- 6. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

All environmental documents and project records may be examined at the Planning and Development Department, located at 2600 Fresho, Street, Room 3065, Fresho, CA 93721.

Signature: Name & Title: Sophia Pagoulatos, Planning Manager

Project Approval Date: September 30, 2021

Authority cited: Sections 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference Section 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.