

# ***1530-1536-1544 WEST SAN CARLOS AIR QUALITY & GREENHOUSE GAS ASSESSMENT***

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## Introduction

The purpose of this report is to address air quality impacts and compute the greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions associated with the proposed mixed-use buildings at 1530, 1536, and 1544 West San Carlos Street in San José, California. The air quality impacts and GHG emissions would be associated with the demolition of the existing uses at the site, construction of the new building and infrastructure, and operation of the project. Air pollutant and GHG emissions associated with the construction and operation of the project were predicted using models. In addition, the potential construction health risk impact to nearby sensitive receptors and the impact of existing toxic air contaminant (TAC) sources affecting the proposed residences were evaluated. This analysis addresses those issues following the guidance provided by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD).<sup>1</sup>

## Project Description

The project site is currently developed with two automobile commercial buildings, a commercial building occupied by a restaurant, and associated ancillary structures and surface parking. Behind the restaurant building, and separated by a metal rolling gate, are eight single-family residences and three ancillary parking garages in the southern portion of the site.

The proposed project would include the development of two seven-story buildings with six levels of residential units over two-levels of parking (one below-grade and one at-grade). Building 1 (on the east side of the site) would include up to 104 residential units and approximately 12,600 square feet (sf) of commercial uses. Building 2 would include up to 70 residential units and approximately 7,000 sf of commercial uses. There would be a total of 174 units. The maximum height of the buildings would be 82 feet to the roofline and 85 feet to the top of the parapet along West San Carlos Street.

Vehicular access to the site would be provided via a two-way driveway on West San Carlos Street connecting to the entrance of the parking garages for the two proposed buildings. The driveway would be located between the two buildings. Located within the West San Carlos Urban Village, the project proposes a 42-percent parking reduction, with a total of 199 parking spaces proposed.

Construction of the project would consist of two phases. Construction of Phase One, which would construct Building 1, is estimated to begin in June 2020 and would take approximately 24 months. Construction of Phase Two, which would construct Building 2, would occur subsequently and would also take approximately 24 months. The total construction period would be approximately 48 months.

\*Note that at the time of this analysis the land uses, and sizes described in the project description were used. As of this revision, the sizes of all the land uses have decreased. The total residential units were reduced from 174 to 173 units, the total commercial development was reduced from 19,600 to 18,242 square feet. The parking was reduced from 199 spaces to 189 spaces, which resulted in a 43.3-percent parking reduction than the parking requirement. The slight decrease in development would result in either marginally decreased air quality emissions, GHG emissions, and community risks from construction or

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<sup>1</sup> Bay Area Air Quality Management District, *CEQA Air Quality Guidelines*, May 2017.

have very similar results. The significance and mitigation measures described within the report would remain the same.

## **Setting**

The project is located in Santa Clara County, which is in the San Francisco Bay Area Air Basin. Ambient air quality standards have been established at both the State and federal level. The Bay Area meets all ambient air quality standards with the exception of ground-level ozone, respirable particulate matter (PM<sub>10</sub>), and fine particulate matter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>).

### Air Pollutants of Concern

High ozone levels are caused by the cumulative emissions of reactive organic gases (ROG) and nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>). These precursor pollutants react under certain meteorological conditions to form high ozone levels. Controlling the emissions of these precursor pollutants is the focus of the Bay Area's attempts to reduce ozone levels. The highest ozone levels in the Bay Area occur in the eastern and southern inland valleys that are downwind of air pollutant sources. High ozone levels aggravate respiratory and cardiovascular diseases, reduced lung function, and increase coughing and chest discomfort.

Particulate matter is another problematic air pollutant of the Bay Area. Particulate matter is assessed and measured in terms of respirable particulate matter or particles that have a diameter of 10 micrometers or less (PM<sub>10</sub>) and fine particulate matter where particles have a diameter of 2.5 micrometers or less (PM<sub>2.5</sub>). Elevated concentrations of PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub> are the result of both region-wide (or cumulative) emissions and localized emissions. High particulate matter levels aggravate respiratory and cardiovascular diseases, reduce lung function, increase mortality (e.g., lung cancer), and result in reduced lung function growth in children.

### Toxic Air Contaminants

Toxic air contaminants (TAC) are a broad class of compounds known to cause morbidity or mortality (usually because they cause cancer) and include, but are not limited to, the criteria air pollutants. TACs are found in ambient air, especially in urban areas, and are caused by industry, agriculture, fuel combustion, and commercial operations (e.g., dry cleaners). TACs are typically found in low concentrations, even near their source (e.g., diesel particulate matter [DPM] near a freeway). Because chronic exposure can result in adverse health effects, TACs are regulated at the regional, State, and federal level.

Diesel exhaust is the predominant TAC in urban air and is estimated to represent about three-quarters of the cancer risk from TACs (based on the Bay Area average). According to the California Air Resources Board (CARB), diesel exhaust is a complex mixture of gases, vapors, and fine particles. This complexity makes the evaluation of health effects of diesel exhaust a complex scientific issue. Some of the chemicals in diesel exhaust, such as benzene and formaldehyde, have been previously identified as TACs by the CARB, and are listed as carcinogens either under the State's Proposition 65 or under the Federal Hazardous Air Pollutants programs.

## Regulatory Agencies

CARB has adopted and implemented a number of regulations for stationary and mobile sources to reduce emissions of DPM. Several of these regulatory programs affect medium and heavy-duty diesel trucks that represent the bulk of DPM emissions from California highways. These regulations include the solid waste collection vehicle (SWCV) rule, in-use public and utility fleets, and the heavy-duty diesel truck and bus regulations. In 2008, CARB approved a new regulation to reduce emissions of DPM and nitrogen oxides from existing on-road heavy-duty diesel fueled vehicles.<sup>2</sup> The regulation requires affected vehicles to meet specific performance requirements between 2014 and 2023, with all affected diesel vehicles required to have 2010 model-year engines or equivalent by 2023. These requirements are phased in over the compliance period and depend on the model year of the vehicle.

The BAAQMD is the regional agency tasked with managing air quality in the region. At the State level, the CARB (a part of the California Environmental Protection Agency [EPA]) oversees regional air district activities and regulates air quality at the State level. The BAAQMD has published California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Air Quality Guidelines that are used in this assessment to evaluate air quality impacts of projects.<sup>3</sup> The detailed community risk modeling methodology used in this assessment is contained in *Attachment 1*.

## City San José Envision 2040 General Plan

The San José Envision 2040 General Plan includes goals, policies, and actions to reduce exposure of the City's sensitive population to exposure of air pollution and toxic air contaminants or TACs. The following goals, policies, and actions are applicable to the proposed project:

### *Applicable Goals – Air Pollutant Emission Reduction*

**Goal MS-10** Minimize air pollutant emissions from new and existing development.

### *Applicable Policies – Air Pollutant Emission Reduction*

**MS-10.1** Assess projected air emissions from new development in conformance with the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD) CEQA Guidelines and relative to state and federal standards. Identify and implement feasible air emission reduction measures.

**MS-10.2** Consider the cumulative air quality impacts from proposed developments for proposed land use designation changes and new development, consistent with the region's Clean Air Plan and State law.

### *Applicable Goals – Toxic Air Contaminants*

**Goal MS-11** Minimize exposure of people to air pollution and toxic air contaminants such as ozone, carbon monoxide, lead, and particulate matter.

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<sup>2</sup> Available online: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/msprog/onrdiesel/onrdiesel.htm>. Accessed: November 21, 2014.

<sup>3</sup> Bay Area Air Quality Management District. 2017. *BAAQMD CEQA Air Quality Guidelines*. May.

*Applicable Policies – Toxic Air Contaminants*

- MS-11.1** Require completion of air quality modeling for sensitive land uses such as new residential developments that are located near sources of pollution such as freeways and industrial uses. Require new residential development projects and projects categorized as sensitive receptors to incorporate effective mitigation into project designs or be located an adequate distance from sources of toxic air contaminants (TACs) to avoid significant risks to health and safety.
- MS-11.2** For projects that emit toxic air contaminants, require project proponents to prepare health risk assessments in accordance with BAAQMD-recommended procedures as part of environmental review and employ effective mitigation to reduce possible health risks to a less than significant level. Alternatively, require new projects (such as, but not limited to, industrial, manufacturing, and processing facilities) that are sources of TACs to be located an adequate distance from residential areas and other sensitive receptors.
- MS-11.4** Encourage the installation of appropriate air filtration at existing schools, residences, and other sensitive receptor uses adversely affected by pollution sources.

*Actions – Toxic Air Contaminants*

- MS-11.7** Consult with BAAQMD to identify stationary and mobile TAC sources and determine the need for and requirements of a health risk assessment for proposed developments.

*Applicable Goals – Construction Air Emissions*

- Goal MS-13** Minimize air pollutant emissions during demolition and construction activities

*Applicable Policies – Construction Air Emissions*

- MS-13.1** Include dust, particulate matter, and construction equipment exhaust control measures as conditions of approval for subdivision maps, site development and planned development permits, grading permits, and demolition permits. At minimum, conditions shall conform to construction mitigation measures recommended in the current BAAQMD CEQA Guidelines for the relevant project size and type.

*Applicable Actions – Construction Air Emissions*

- MS-13.4** Adopt and periodically update dust, particulate, and exhaust control standard measures for demolition and grading activities to include on project plans as conditions of approval based upon construction mitigation measures in the BAAQMD CEQA Guidelines.

### Sensitive Receptors

There are groups of people more affected by air pollution than others. CARB has identified the following persons who are most likely to be affected by air pollution: children under 16, the elderly over 65, athletes, and people with cardiovascular and chronic respiratory diseases. These groups are classified as sensitive receptors. Locations that may contain a high concentration of these sensitive population groups include residential areas, hospitals, daycare facilities, elder care facilities, and elementary schools. The closest sensitive receptors to the project site are residents of a multi-family residence south-east of the project site. There are additional residences at farther distances from the project site. This project would also introduce new sensitive receptors to the area.

### Significance Thresholds

In June 2010, BAAQMD adopted thresholds of significance to assist in the review of projects under CEQA and these significance thresholds were contained in the District's 2011 *CEQA Air Quality Guidelines*. These thresholds were designed to establish the level at which BAAQMD believed air pollution emissions would cause significant environmental impacts under CEQA. The thresholds were challenged through a series of court challenges and were mostly upheld. BAAQMD updated the *CEQA Air Quality Guidelines* in 2017 to include the latest significance thresholds that were used in this analysis are summarized in Table 1.

**Table 1. Community Risk Significance and GHG Thresholds**

Criteria Air Pollutant	Construction Thresholds	Operational Thresholds	
	Average Daily Emissions (lbs./day)	Average Daily Emissions (lbs./day)	Annual Average Emissions (tons/year)
ROG	54	54	10
NO <sub>x</sub>	54	54	10
PM <sub>10</sub>	82 (Exhaust)	82	15
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	54 (Exhaust)	54	10
CO	Not Applicable	9.0 ppm (8-hour average) or 20.0 ppm (1-hour average)	
Fugitive Dust	Construction Dust Ordinance or other Best Management Practices	Not Applicable	
Health Risks and Hazards	Single Sources Within 1,000-foot Zone of Influence	Combined Sources (Cumulative from all sources within 1,000-foot zone of influence)	
Excess Cancer Risk	>10.0 per one million	>100 per one million	
Hazard Index	>1.0	>10.0	
Incremental annual PM <sub>2.5</sub>	>0.3 µg/m <sup>3</sup>	>0.8 µg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Odor			
5 confirmed complaints per year averaged over 3 years			
Greenhouse Gas Emissions			
Land Use Projects – direct and indirect emissions	Compliance with a Qualified GHG Reduction Strategy OR 1,100 metric tons annually or 4.6 metric tons per capita (for 2020) 660 metric tons annually or 2.6 metric tons per capita (for 2030)*		
Note: ROG = reactive organic gases, NO <sub>x</sub> = nitrogen oxides, PM <sub>10</sub> = course particulate matter or particulates with an aerodynamic diameter of 10 micrometers (µm) or less, PM <sub>2.5</sub> = fine particulate matter or particulates with an aerodynamic diameter of 2.5µm or less. GHG = greenhouse gases. *BAAQMD does not have a recommended post-2020 GHG threshold.			

## Air Quality Impacts and Mitigation Measures

### **Impact 1: Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan?** *Less-than-significant*

BAAQMD is the regional agency responsible for overseeing compliance with State and Federal laws, regulations, and programs within the San Francisco Bay Area Air Basin (SFBAAB). BAAQMD, with assistance from the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) and Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC), has prepared and implements specific plans to meet the applicable laws, regulations, and programs. The most recent and comprehensive of which is the *Bay Area 2017 Clean Air Plan*.<sup>4</sup> The primary goals of the Clean Air Plan are to attain air quality standards, reduce population exposure and protect public health, and reduce GHG emissions and protect the climate. The BAAQMD has also developed CEQA guidelines to assist lead agencies in evaluating the significance of air quality impacts. In formulating compliance strategies, BAAQMD relies on planned land uses established by local general plans. Land use planning affects vehicle travel, which in turn affects region-wide emissions of air pollutants and GHGs.

The 2017 Clean Air Plan, adopted by BAAQMD in April 2017, includes control measures that are intended to reduce air pollutant emissions in the Bay Area either directly or indirectly. Plans must show consistency with the control measures listed within the Clean Air Plan. At the project-level, there are no consistency measures or thresholds. The proposed project would not conflict with the latest Clean Air planning efforts since 1) project would have emissions below the BAAQMD thresholds (see Impact 2), 2) the project would be considered urban infill, and 3) the project would be located near transit with regional connections.

### **Impact 2: Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard?** *Less-than-significant*

The Bay Area is considered a non-attainment area for ground-level ozone and PM<sub>2.5</sub> under both the Federal Clean Air Act and the California Clean Air Act. The area is also considered non-attainment for PM<sub>10</sub> under the California Clean Air Act, but not the federal act. The area has attained both State and federal ambient air quality standards for carbon monoxide. As part of an effort to attain and maintain ambient air quality standards for ozone and PM<sub>10</sub>, the BAAQMD has established thresholds of significance for these air pollutants and their precursors. These thresholds are for ozone precursor pollutants (ROG and NO<sub>x</sub>), PM<sub>10</sub>, and PM<sub>2.5</sub> and apply to both construction period and operational period impacts.

The California Emissions Estimator Model (CalEEMod) Version 2016.3.2 was used to estimate emissions from construction and operation of the site assuming full build-out of the project. The project land use types and size, and anticipated construction schedule were input to CalEEMod. The model output from CalEEMod is included as *Attachment 2*.

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<sup>4</sup> Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD), 2017. *Final 2017 Clean Air Plan*.



## Construction Period Emissions

CalEEMod provided annual emissions for construction and estimates emissions for both on-site and off-site construction activities. On-site activities are primarily made up of construction equipment emissions, while off-site activity includes worker, hauling, and vendor traffic. A construction build-out scenario, including equipment list and schedule, was based on CalEEMod default information for projects of similar size and type. However, the project applicant did provide information regarding the building size, hauling volumes, and when construction was anticipated to begin. The project applicant noted that construction of the project would occur in two separate phases with Building 1 (east side of the site) would be constructed first in June 2020 and Building 2 (west side of the site) would be constructed after. There would be no overlap between the two phases but Building 1 would be operational while Building 2 would be constructed.

The proposed project land uses and construction inputs for each building were input into CalEEMod as the following:

### *Building 1*

- 104 dwelling units entered “Apartments Mid Rise”,
- 113 parking spaces entered as “Enclosed Parking with Elevator”,
- 12,600 sf entered as “Strip Mall”,
- 7,750 sf of building demolition, and
- 17,304 cubic yards (cy) of soil excavated.

### *Building 2*

- 70 dwelling units entered “Apartments Mid Rise”,
- 95 parking spaces entered as “Enclosed Parking with Elevator”,
- 7,000 sf entered as “Strip Mall”,
- 5,347 sf of building demolition, and
- 18,076 cy of soil excavated.

Construction per the project applicant’s information would begin June 2020 and last 24 months; however, since a detailed schedule was not provided, the default construction schedule was used. The default construction schedule estimated construction of Building 1 (Phase 1) would take 315 construction workdays. For Building 2 (Phase 2), the default construction schedule estimated 287 workdays. The total number of estimated workdays sums to 602 days. Average daily emissions were computed by dividing the total construction emissions by the number of construction days. Table 2 shows average daily construction emissions of ROG, NO<sub>x</sub>, PM<sub>10</sub> exhaust, and PM<sub>2.5</sub> exhaust during construction of the project. As indicated in Table 2, predicted the construction period emissions would not exceed the BAAQMD significance thresholds.

**Table 2. Construction Period Emissions**

Scenario	ROG	NO <sub>x</sub>	PM <sub>10</sub> Exhaust	PM <sub>2.5</sub> Exhaust
Phase 1 (Building 1) from 2020-2021	1.2	3.6	0.17	0.16
Phase 2 (Building 2) from 2022-2023	0.8	2.4	0.10	0.10
Total construction emissions (tons)	2.0 tons	6.0 tons	0.27 tons	0.25 tons
<b>Average daily emissions (pounds)<sup>1</sup></b>	6.6 lbs/day	19.9 lbs/day	0.9 lbs/day	0.8 lbs/day
<i>BAAQMD Thresholds (pounds per day)</i>	54 lbs./day	54 lbs./day	82 lbs./day	54 lbs./day
<b>Exceed Threshold?</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>
Notes: <sup>1</sup> Assumes 602 workdays.				

However, construction activities, particularly during site preparation and grading, would temporarily generate fugitive dust in the form of PM<sub>10</sub> and PM<sub>2.5</sub>. Sources of fugitive dust would include disturbed soils at the construction site and trucks carrying uncovered loads of soils. Unless properly controlled, vehicles leaving the site would deposit mud on local streets, which could be an additional source of airborne dust after it dries. The BAAQMD *CEQA Air Quality Guidelines* consider these impacts to be less-than-significant if best management practices are implemented to reduce these emissions. *Mitigation Measure AQ-1 would implement BAAQMD-recommended best management practices.*

***Mitigation Measure AQ-1: Include measures to control dust and exhaust during construction.***

During any construction period ground disturbance, the applicant shall ensure that the project contractor implement measures to control dust and exhaust. Implementation of the measures recommended by BAAQMD and listed below would reduce the air quality impacts associated with grading and new construction to a less-than-significant level. Additional measures are identified to reduce construction equipment exhaust emissions. The contractor shall implement the following best management practices that are required of all projects:

1. All exposed surfaces (e.g., parking areas, staging areas, soil piles, graded areas, and unpaved access roads) shall be watered two times per day.
2. All haul trucks transporting soil, sand, or other loose material off-site shall be covered.
3. All visible mud or dirt track-out onto adjacent public roads shall be removed using wet power vacuum street sweepers at least once per day. The use of dry power sweeping is prohibited.
4. All vehicle speeds on unpaved roads shall be limited to 15 miles per hour (mph).
5. All roadways, driveways, and sidewalks to be paved shall be completed as soon as possible. Building pads shall be laid as soon as possible after grading unless seeding or soil binders are used.
6. Idling times shall be minimized either by shutting equipment off when not in use or reducing the maximum idling time to 5 minutes (as required by the California airborne toxics control measure Title 13, Section 2485 of California Code of Regulations [CCR]). Clear signage shall be provided for construction workers at all access points.

7. All construction equipment shall be maintained and properly tuned in accordance with manufacturer's specifications. All equipment shall be checked by a certified mechanic and determined to be running in proper condition prior to operation.
8. Post a publicly visible sign with the telephone number and person to contact at the Lead Agency regarding dust complaints. This person shall respond and take corrective action within 48 hours. The Air District's phone number shall also be visible to ensure compliance with applicable regulations.

#### *Effectiveness of Mitigation Measure AQ-1*

The measures above are consistent with BAAQMD-recommended basic control measures for reducing fugitive particulate matter that are contained in the BAAQMD CEQA Air Quality Guidelines.

#### Operational Period Emissions

Operational air emissions from the project would be generated primarily from autos driven by future residents, customers, and employees. Evaporative emissions from architectural coatings and maintenance products (classified as consumer products) are typical emissions from these types of uses. CalEEMod was also used to estimate emissions from operation of the proposed project assuming full build-out.

#### *Land Uses*

The project land uses were entered into CalEEMod as described above for the construction period modeling.

#### *Model Year*

Emissions associated with vehicle travel depend on the year of analysis because emission control technology requirements are phased-in over time. Therefore, the earlier the year analyzed in the model, the higher the emission rates utilized by CalEEMod. The earliest full-build out could occur (includes both Building 1 and 2) and begin operating would be 2025 based on the default construction schedule. Emissions associated with build-out later than 2025 would be lower.

#### *Trip Generation Rates*

CalEEMod allows the user to enter specific vehicle trip generation rates, which were input to the model using the daily trip generation rate provided in the project trip generation table. The Saturday and Sunday trip rates were assumed to be the weekday rate adjusted by multiplying the ratio of the CalEEMod default rates for Saturday and Sunday trips. The project traffic analysis provided project trip generation values for the proposed mixed-use development.<sup>5</sup> The *Residential-Retail Internal*

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<sup>5</sup> Hexagon Transportation Consultants, 2019. *1530-1544 W. San Carlos Street Mixed-use Development Transportation Analysis*. July.

*Reduction, Location Based Reduction, and VMT reduction* were applied. For the multifamily housing land use, the trip generation values would be 4.21 trips for the weekdays, 4.04 trips for Saturday, and 3.71 trips for Sunday. For the commercial use, the trip generation values would be 20.53 trips for weekdays, 19.47 trips for Saturday, and 9.46 trips for Sunday.

### *Energy*

CalEEMod defaults for energy use were used, which include the 2016 Title 24 Building Standards. Indirect emissions from electricity were computed in CalEEMod. The model has a default rate of 641.3 pounds of CO<sub>2</sub> per megawatt of electricity produced, which is based on PG&E's 2008 emissions rate. The rate was adjusted to account for PG&E's projected 2020 CO<sub>2</sub> intensity rate. This 2020 rate is based, in part, on the requirement of a renewable energy portfolio standard of 33 percent by the year 2020. The derived 2020 rate for PG&E was estimated at 290 pounds of CO<sub>2</sub> per megawatt of electricity delivered.<sup>6</sup>

### *Other Inputs*

Default model assumptions for emissions associated with solid waste generation use were applied to the project. Water/wastewater use were changed to 100% aerobic conditions to represent wastewater treatment plant conditions. All hearths were assumed to be gas powered.

### *Existing Uses*

A CalEEMod model for the existing restaurant and eight single-family homes was run as if they were operating in 2022. The existing land use on the project site included a restaurant totaling 2,250-sf and eight single-family homes totaling 5,500-sf. The trip generation rates were also provided for the existing land uses. For the single-family homes, the trip generation values would be 1.5 trips for the weekdays, 1.56 trips for Saturday, and 1.36 trips for Sunday. For the restaurant, the trip generation values would be 65.33 trips for the weekdays, 81.37 trips for Saturday, and 67.74 trips for Sunday. For the existing automobile sales lots (used car dealership and rental service) located at 1544 San Carlos Street, the traffic consultant determined that the use did not generate a significant number of trips due to the limited on-site parking and did not apply a credit to the project trip generation. Therefore, to match with the traffic assumption, zero trips were applied to the automobile land use.

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<sup>6</sup> Pacific Gas & Electric, 2015. *Greenhouse Gas Emission Factors: Guidance for PG&E Customers*. November.

**Table 3. Operational Period Emissions**

Scenario	ROG	NO <sub>x</sub>	PM <sub>10</sub>	PM <sub>2.5</sub>
2025 Project Operational Emissions (tons/year)	1.02	0.86	0.85	0.24
2025 Existing Operational Emissions (tons/year)	0.14	0.14	0.09	0.03
Net Annual Emissions (tons/year)	0.88	0.73	0.76	0.21
BAAQMD Thresholds (tons /year)	10 tons	10 tons	15 tons	10 tons
<b>Exceed Threshold?</b>	No	No	No	No
2025 Project Operational Emissions (lbs/day) <sup>1</sup>	4.83	3.98	4.19	1.14
BAAQMD Thresholds (lbs/day)	54 lbs.	54 lbs.	82 lbs.	54 lbs.
<b>Exceed Threshold?</b>	No	No	No	No

Notes: <sup>1</sup> Assumes 365-day operation.

**Impact 3: Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?**  
*Less-than-significant with mitigation*

Project impacts related to increased community risk can occur either by introducing a new sensitive receptor, such as a residential use, in proximity to an existing source of TACs or by introducing a new source of TACs with the potential to adversely affect existing sensitive receptors in the project vicinity. The project would introduce new residents that are sensitive receptors, and temporary project construction activity would generate dust and equipment exhaust on a temporary basis that could affect nearby sensitive receptors. Additionally, the project would generate some traffic, consisting of mostly light-duty vehicles that are not a substantial source of TACs or PM<sub>2.5</sub>. A construction health risk assessment was prepared to address project construction impacts on the surrounding off-site sensitive receptors. The impact of the existing and new sources of TAC upon the existing sensitive receptors and new incoming sensitive receptors was also assessed. Community risk impacts are addressed by predicting increased lifetime cancer risk, the increase in annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations and computing the Hazard Index (HI) for non-cancer health risks. The methodology for computing community risks impacts is contained in *Attachment 1*.

Construction Community Health Risk Impacts

Construction equipment and associated heavy-duty truck traffic generates diesel exhaust, which is a known TAC. These exhaust air pollutant emissions would not be considered to contribute substantially to existing or projected air quality violations as show in Table 2. Construction exhaust emissions may still pose health risks for sensitive receptors such as surrounding residents. The primary community risk impact issue associated with construction emissions are cancer risk and exposure to PM<sub>2.5</sub>. Diesel exhaust poses both a potential health and nuisance impact to nearby receptors. A health risk assessment of the project construction activities was conducted that evaluated potential health effects to nearby sensitive receptors from construction emissions of DPM and PM<sub>2.5</sub>.<sup>7</sup> This assessment included dispersion modeling to predict the offsite and onsite concentrations resulting from project construction, so that lifetime cancer risks and non-cancer health effects could be evaluated.

<sup>7</sup> DPM is identified by California as a toxic air contaminant due to the potential to cause cancer.

## *Construction Emissions*

The CalEEMod model provided total annual PM<sub>10</sub> exhaust emissions (assumed to be DPM) for the off-road construction equipment and for exhaust emissions from on-road vehicles, with total emissions from all construction stages as 0.2583 tons (517 pounds). The on-road emissions are a result of haul truck travel during demolition and grading activities, worker travel, and vendor deliveries during construction. A trip length of one mile was used to represent vehicle travel while at or near the construction site. It was assumed that these emissions from on-road vehicles traveling at or near the site would occur at the construction site. Fugitive PM<sub>2.5</sub> dust emissions were calculated by CalEEMod as 0.10078 tons (202 pounds) for the overall construction period.

## *Dispersion Modeling*

The U.S. EPA AERMOD dispersion model was used to predict DPM and PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations at sensitive receptors (residences) in the vicinity of the project construction area. The AERMOD dispersion model is a BAAQMD-recommended model for use in modeling analysis of these types of emission activities for CEQA projects.<sup>8</sup> Emission sources for the construction site were grouped into two categories: exhaust emissions of DPM and fugitive PM<sub>2.5</sub> dust emissions. For Phase 1 and Phase 2, combustion equipment exhaust emissions were modeled as a series of point sources with a 2.7-meter release height (construction equipment exhaust stack height) placed at 6-meter (20-foot) intervals throughout the construction site. For Phase 1, this resulted in 90 individual point sources being used to represent mobile equipment DPM exhaust emissions in the construction area. For Phase 2, the spacing resulted in 50 individual point sources. For both sites, DPM emissions were modeled as occurring throughout the project construction site. The locations of the point sources used for the modeling are identified in Figure 1. Emissions from vehicle travel on- and off-site were distributed among the point sources throughout the site. Construction fugitive PM<sub>2.5</sub> dust emissions were modeled as an area source encompassing the entire construction site with a near ground level release height of 2 meters (6.6-feet). Construction emissions were modeled as occurring daily between 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., when the majority of construction activity would occur.

The modeling used a five-year data set (2006-2010) of hourly meteorological data from the San José International Airport that was prepared for use with the AERMOD model by BAAQMD. Annual DPM and PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations from construction activities during the 2020-2021 period were calculated using the model. DPM and PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations were calculated at nearby sensitive receptors. A receptor height of 1.5 meters (4.9 feet) and 4.5 meters (14.8 feet) was used to represent the breathing height of nearby residences in single-family homes, apartments, ground-level duplexes, and townhomes.

The maximum-modeled annual DPM and PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations, which includes both the DPM and fugitive PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations, were identified at nearby sensitive receptors (as shown in Figure 1) to find the maximally exposed individuals (MEIs). Using the maximum annual modeled DPM concentrations, the maximum increased cancer risks were calculated using BAAQMD recommended methods and exposure parameters described in *Attachment 1*. Non-cancer health hazards and maximum PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations were also calculated and identified. *Attachment 3* to this

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<sup>8</sup> Bay Area Air Quality Management District (BAAQMD), 2012, *Recommended Methods for Screening and Modeling Local Risks and Hazards, Version 3.0*. May.

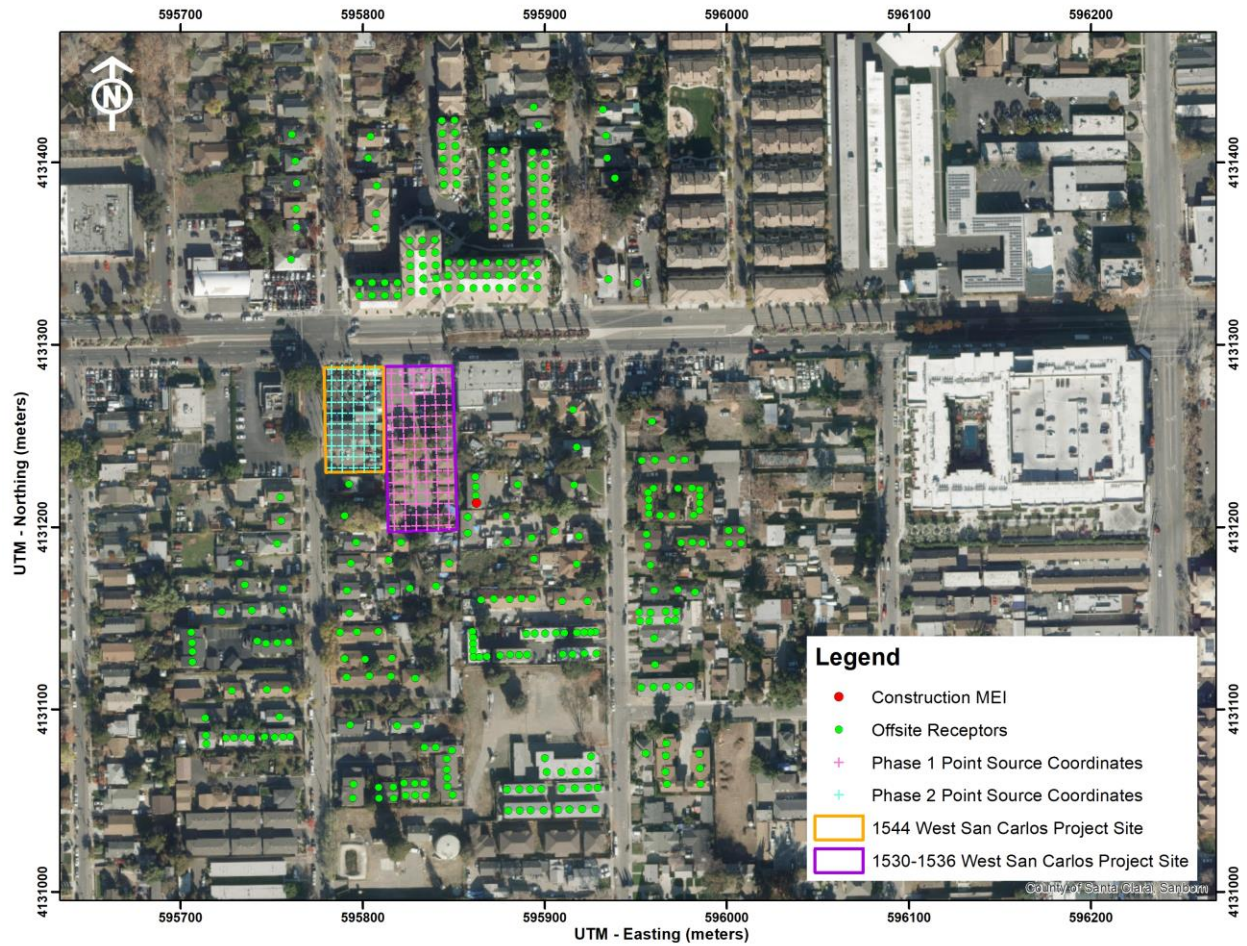
report includes the emission calculations used for the construction area source modeling and the cancer risk calculations.

Results of this assessment indicated that the construction MEI was located at a multi-family residence on the second floor (4.5 meters) adjacent to the south-eastern project boundary as seen in Figure 1. The maximum increased residential cancer risks and maximum PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration from construction exceed their respective BAAQMD single-source thresholds of greater than 10.0 per million and greater than 0.3 µg/m<sup>3</sup>.

**Table 4. Construction Risk Impacts at the Offsite Residential MEI**

Source	Cancer Risk (per million)	Annual PM <sub>2.5</sub> (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Hazard Index
Project Construction			
Unmitigated	<b>108.6 (infant)</b>	<b>0.87</b>	0.07
Mitigated	3.6 (infant)	0.13	0.01
<b><i>BAAQMD Single-Source Threshold</i></b>	<b><i>&gt;10.0</i></b>	<b><i>&gt;0.3</i></b>	<b><i>&gt;1.0</i></b>
<i>Exceed Threshold?</i>			
Unmitigated	<b><i>Yes</i></b>	<b><i>Yes</i></b>	<b><i>No</i></b>
Mitigated	<b><i>No</i></b>	<b><i>No</i></b>	<b><i>No</i></b>

**Figure 1. Project Construction Site, Point Source Locations, Locations of Off-Site Sensitive Receptors, and TAC Impacts**

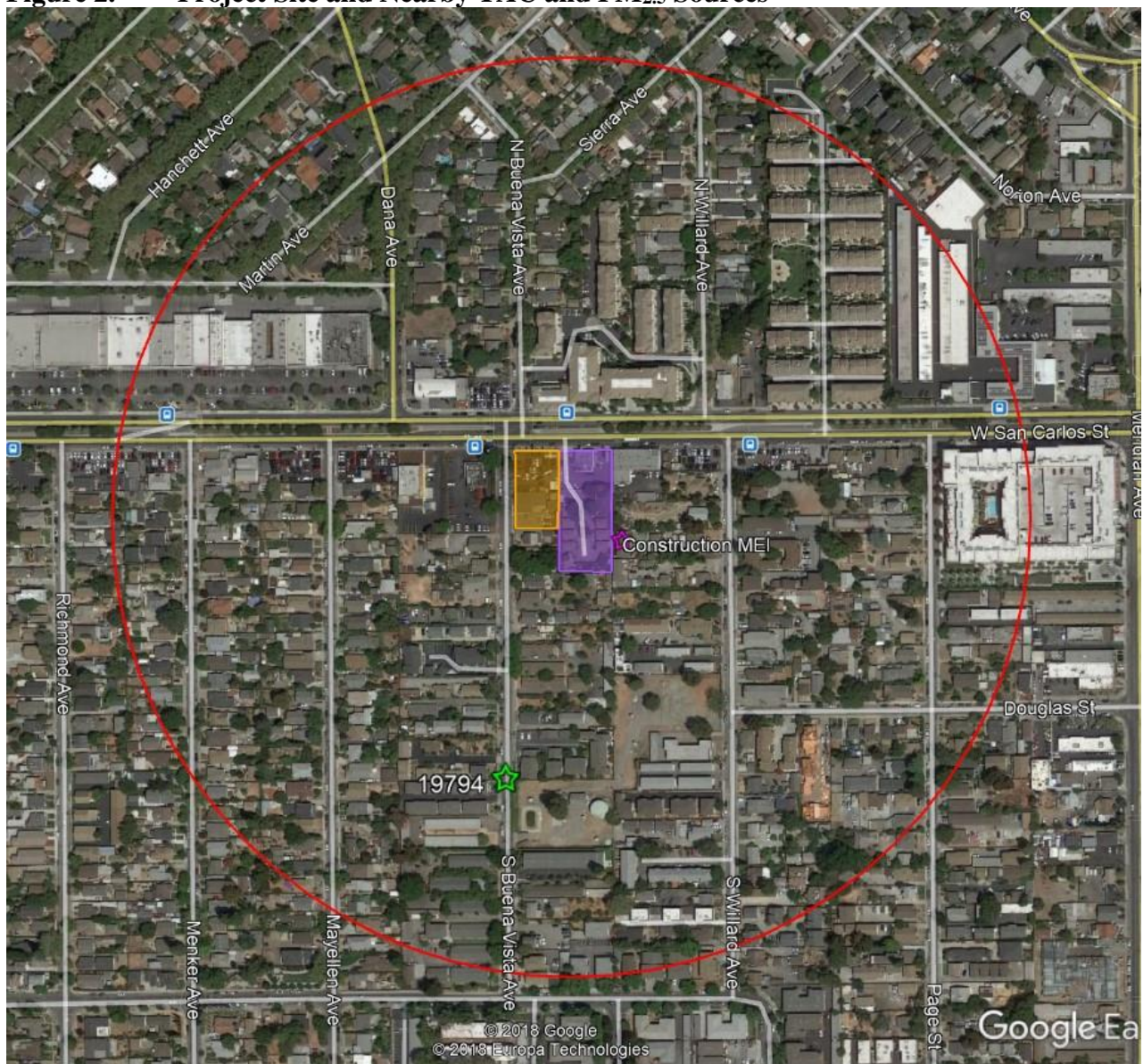




## Combined Impact of All TAC Sources on the Off-Site Construction MEI

Community health risk assessments typically look at all substantial sources of TACs located within 1,000 feet of project sites and at new TAC sources that would be introduced by the project. These sources include highways, busy surface streets, stationary sources identified by BAAQMD, and construction from nearby developments. A review of the project area indicates that traffic on West San Carlos Street has an average daily traffic (ADT) of over 10,000 vehicles. All other roadways within the area are assumed to have an ADT that is less than 10,000 vehicles. One stationary source was identified within the 1,000-foot influence area using the BAAQMD's stationary source Google Earth map. Figure 2 shows the sources affecting the project site. Details of the modeling and community risk calculations are included in *Attachment 4*.

**Figure 2. Project Site and Nearby TAC and PM<sub>2.5</sub> Sources**



### *Stationary Sources*

Permitted stationary sources of air pollution near the project site were identified using BAAQMD's *Stationary Source Risk & Hazard Analysis Tool*. This mapping tool uses Google Earth. A diesel generator operated by the San Jose Water Company (Plant #19794) was the only stationary source identified within 1,000-feet of the project. The District provide daily emission files for the source. These emissions for using the *BAAQMD Risk and Hazards Emissions Screening Calculator (Version 2.0 Beta)*. This screening tools estimates total cancer risk, total PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration, and total chronic hazard and takes into account source type and distance from source to receptor. Table 5 summarizes the health risk from this stationary source upon the MEI.

### *Local Roadways – West San Carlos Street*

For local roadways, BAAQMD has provided the *Roadway Screening Analysis Calculator* to assess whether roadways with traffic volumes of over 10,000 vehicles per day may have a potentially significant effect on a proposed project. Two adjustments were made to the cancer risk predictions made by this calculator: (1) adjustment for latest vehicle emissions rates predicted using EMFAC2014 and (2) adjustment of cancer risk to reflect new OEHHA guidance (see *Attachment I*).

The calculator uses EMFAC2011 emission rates for the year 2014. In addition, a new version of the emissions factor model, EMFAC2014 is available. This version predicts lower emission rates. An adjustment factor of 0.5 was developed by comparing emission rates of total organic gases (TOG) for running exhaust and running losses developed using EMFAC2011 for year 2014 and those from EMFAC2014 for 2018. The screening tool then adjust the predicted cancer risk using a factor of 1.3744 to account for new OEHHA guidance. This factor was provided by BAAQMD for use with their CEQA screening tools that are used to predict cancer risk.

The ADT on West San Carlos Street was estimated to be 21,795 vehicles. This estimate was based on traffic volumes included in the project's traffic analysis for cumulative plus project conditions.<sup>9</sup> The AM and PM peak-hour volumes were averaged and then multiplied by 10 to estimate the ADT.

The BAAQMD *Roadway Screening Analysis Calculator* for Santa Clara County was used for these roadways. West San Carlos Street was identified as an east-west roadway with the project's sensitive receptors and the construction MEI south of the roadway. Estimated risk values for the roadway upon the Construction MEI are listed in Table 5. Note that BAAQMD has found that non-cancer hazards from all local roadways would be below a Hazard Index of 0.03.

### *Construction Risk Impacts from Nearby Developments*

Within the 1,000-ft influence area, there are a couple development projects that are recently built, under construction, or approved to be constructed. Projects that were approved or are in the early stages of construction are included in the cumulative analysis. The nearby project that has been approved by not completed is Page Street Housing at 329 Page Street. Additionally, a residential

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<sup>9</sup> Hexagon Transportation Consultants, 2019. *1530-1536 W. San Carlos St. Mixed-use Development VMT Trip Generation Estimates*. April.

development at 259 Meridian Avenue that is under review but not planned was included because the construction of this project would most likely overlap with the project.

Illingworth & Rodkin, Inc. analyzed the construction risk impacts for the 259 Meridian Avenue Residential development in April 2018.<sup>10</sup> The mitigated increased cancer risk would be 7.4 per million, the annual maximum PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration would be 0.11 µg/m<sup>3</sup>, and the HI value would be less than 0.01. Illingworth & Rodkin, Inc. also completed a technical air quality report for the Page Street Housing project, but a construction community risk analysis was not done.<sup>11</sup> To be conservative, it was assumed that the construction risk values would all be less than the BAAQMD single-source thresholds for increased cancer risk, annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration, and the HI value. The risks from both projects are included in Table 5.

#### Combined Community Health Risk at Off-Site Construction MEI

Table 5 reports both the project and cumulative community risk impacts at the sensitive receptor most affected by construction (i.e. the construction MEI). Without mitigation, the project would have a *significant* impact with respect to community risk caused by project construction activities, since the maximum cancer risk and PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration do exceed their single-source thresholds. The combined annual cancer risk and PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration, and Hazard risk values, which includes unmitigated and mitigated, would exceed their respective cumulative thresholds. However, with *Mitigation Measures AQ-1* and *AQ-2* the project construction and cumulative risk would all be reduced to a *level-of-significance*.

**Table 5. Impacts from Combined Sources at Off-Site Construction MEI**

Source	Cancer Risk (per million)	Annual PM <sub>2.5</sub> (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Hazard Index
Project Construction			
Unmitigated	<b>108.6 (infant)</b>	<b>0.87</b>	0.07
Mitigated	3.6 (infant)	0.13	0.01
West San Carlos Street at 230-feet, ADT 21,795	3.1	0.11	<0.03
San Jose Water Company Diesel Generator with MEI at 620-ft	2.7	0.01	<0.01
259 Meridian Avenue Construction Risk Impacts	7.4	0.11	0.01
Page Street Housing Construction Risk Impacts	<10.0	<0.3	<1.0
Combined Sources			
Unmitigated	131.8 (infant)	<b>1.4</b>	<1.1
Mitigated	26.8 (infant)	0.66	<1.1
<b>BAAQMD Cumulative Source Threshold</b>	<b>&gt;100</b>	<b>&gt;0.8</b>	<b>&gt;10.0</b>
Exceed Threshold?			
Unmitigated	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<i>No</i>
Mitigated	<i>No</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>No</i>

<sup>10</sup> Illingworth & Rodkin, Inc., 2019. *259 Meridian Avenue Residential Development Air Quality and Greenhouse Gas Assessment*. June.

<sup>11</sup> Illingworth & Rodkin, Inc., 2018. *Page Street Housing TAC Assessment*. April.

***Mitigation Measure AQ-2: Selection of equipment during construction to minimize emissions. Such equipment selection would include the following:***

The project shall develop a plan demonstrating that the off-road equipment used onsite to construct the project would achieve a fleet-wide average 93-percent reduction in DPM exhaust emissions or greater. One feasible plan to achieve this reduction would include the following:

1. All diesel-powered off-road equipment, larger than 25 horsepower, operating on the site for more than two days continuously shall, at a minimum, meet U.S. EPA particulate matter emissions standards for Tier 4 interim engines or equivalent.
2. Provide electric power to avoid use of diesel-powered generator sets and other portable equipment.
3. Alternatively, equipment that meets U.S. EPA Tier 3 engines standards for particulate matter that include CARB-certified Level 3 Diesel Particulate Filters<sup>12</sup> or use of equipment that is electrically powered or uses non-diesel fuels would meet this requirement.

***Effectiveness of Mitigation Measure AQ-2***

With mitigation, the computed maximum increased lifetime residential cancer risk from construction, assuming infant exposure, would be 3.6 in one million or less, the maximum annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration would be 0.13 µg/m<sup>3</sup>, and the Hazard Index would be 0.01. As a result, impacts would be reduced to *less-than-significant* with respect to community risk caused by construction activities.

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<sup>12</sup> See <http://www.arb.ca.gov/diesel/verdev/vt/cvt.htm>

## Operational Community Health Risk Impacts – New Project Residences

Additionally, a health risk assessment was completed to assess the impact existing TAC sources would have on the new proposed sensitive receptors that that project would introduce. The same TAC sources identified above were used in this HRA assessment.<sup>13</sup>

### *Stationary Sources*

The stationary source screening analysis was conducted in the same manner as described above. The new project sensitive receptors would be approximately 525-feet away from the emergency standby diesel generator set. Table 6 shows the health risk results.

### *Local Roadways – West San Carlos Street*

The roadway analysis was conducted in the same manner for the new project sensitive receptors as described above for the construction MEI. The project sensitive receptors would be approximately 40 feet south from the roadway (note this distance takes into account the elevation distance between the sensitive receptors and the roadway). The results are listed in Table 6.

### *Phase 2 Project Construction*

During Phase 2 construction of the project, the Phase 1 portion (parcels located at 1560-1536 West San Carlos) of the project would be operational. It is assumed then that on-site sensitive receptors would be exposed to Phase 2 construction. The construction emissions were modeled with AERMOD using the same inputs as described in the dispersion modeling section for the off-site MEI. A receptor height of 4.5 meters (4.9 feet) was used to represent the breathing height the residents living in the building. It was assumed that there would be third trimester and infant exposure during each phase. The health risk calculations follow the guidelines detailed in *Attachment 1* and the calculations themselves are in *Attachment 3*.

### *Construction Risk Impacts from Nearby Developments*

The same construction community risk impacts listed above for the construction MEI were used for the incoming sensitive receptors that would be introduced by the project.

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<sup>13</sup> We note that to the extent this analysis considers *existing* air quality issues in relation to the impact on *future residents* of the Project, it does so for informational purposes only pursuant to the judicial decisions in *CBIA v. BAAQMD* (2015) 62 Cal.4th 369, 386 and *Ballona Wetlands Land Trust v. City of Los Angeles* (2011) 201 Cal.App.4th 455, 473, which confirm that the impacts of the environment on a project are excluded from CEQA unless the project itself “exacerbates” such impacts.

## Combined Community Health Risk at Project Site

Community risk impacts from combined sources upon the project site sensitive receptors are reported in Table 6. As shown, the annual cancer risks and annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentrations from the project's construction would exceed their respective BAAQMD single-source and cumulative-source thresholds. However, with *Mitigation Measure AQ-2*, the construction risk impacts would be reduced to a level below the single-source thresholds. As a result, the combined mitigated increased cancer risk, annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration, and HI would all be below their respective cumulative significance thresholds.

**Table 6. Community Risk Impact to New Project Residences**

Source	Increased Cancer Risk (per million)	Annual PM <sub>2.5</sub> (µg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Hazard Index
Project Construction			
Unmitigated	<b>115.1 (infant)</b>	<b>0.99</b>	0.13
Mitigated	3.5 (infant)	0.07	0.01
West San Carlos Street at 40 Feet, ADT 21,795 using screening method*	8.1	0.3	<0.03
San Jose Water Company Diesel Generator at 520 feet using screening method*	3.0	<0.01	0.01
259 Meridian Avenue Construction Risk Impacts	7.4	0.11	0.01
Page Street Housing Construction Risk Impacts	<10.0	<0.3	<1.0
<b>BAAQMD Single-Source Threshold</b>	<b>&gt;10.0</b>	<b>&gt;0.3</b>	<b>&gt;1.0</b>
Exceed Threshold?			
Unmitigated	Yes	Yes	No
Mitigated	No	No	No
Cumulative Total			
Unmitigated	<b>143.6</b>	<b>&lt;1.7</b>	<1.2
Mitigated	32.0	<0.79	<1.1
<b>BAAQMD Cumulative Source Threshold</b>	<b>&gt;100</b>	<b>&gt;0.8</b>	<b>&gt;10.0</b>
Exceed Threshold?			
Unmitigated	Yes	Yes	No
Mitigated	No	No	No

\*Note that screening methods tend to overpredict impacts. Had refined modeling methods been used, a lesser impact would likely have been identified. The PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration is computed as 0.298 µg/m<sup>3</sup>.



## Greenhouse Gas Emissions

### Setting

Gases that trap heat in the atmosphere, GHGs, regulate the earth's temperature. This phenomenon, known as the greenhouse effect, is responsible for maintaining a habitable climate. The most common GHGs are carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) and water vapor but there are also several others, most importantly methane (CH<sub>4</sub>), nitrous oxide (N<sub>2</sub>O), hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), and sulfur hexafluoride (SF<sub>6</sub>). These are released into the earth's atmosphere through a variety of natural processes and human activities. Sources of GHGs are generally as follows:

- CO<sub>2</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O are byproducts of fossil fuel combustion.
- N<sub>2</sub>O is associated with agricultural operations such as fertilization of crops.
- CH<sub>4</sub> is commonly created by off-gassing from agricultural practices (e.g., keeping livestock) and landfill operations.
- Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) were widely used as refrigerants, propellants, and cleaning solvents but their production has been stopped by international treaty.
- HFCs are now used as a substitute for CFCs in refrigeration and cooling.
- PFCs and sulfur hexafluoride emissions are commonly created by industries such as aluminum production and semi-conductor manufacturing.

Each GHG has its own potency and effect upon the earth's energy balance. This is expressed in terms of a global warming potential (GWP), with CO<sub>2</sub> being assigned a value of 1 and sulfur hexafluoride being several orders of magnitude stronger. In GHG emission inventories, the weight of each gas is multiplied by its GWP and is measured in units of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents (CO<sub>2</sub>e).

An expanding body of scientific research supports the theory that global climate change is currently affecting changes in weather patterns, average sea level, ocean acidification, chemical reaction rates, and precipitation rates, and that it will increasingly do so in the future. The climate and several naturally occurring resources within California are adversely affected by the global warming trend. Increased precipitation and sea level rise will increase coastal flooding, saltwater intrusion, and degradation of wetlands. Mass migration and/or loss of plant and animal species could also occur. Potential effects of global climate change that could adversely affect human health include more extreme heat waves and heat-related stress; an increase in climate-sensitive diseases; more frequent and intense natural disasters such as flooding, hurricanes and drought; and increased levels of air pollution.

### Recent Regulatory Actions

*Assembly Bill 32 (AB 32), California Global Warming Solutions Act (2006)*

AB 32, the Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006, codified the State's GHG emissions target by directing CARB to reduce the State's global warming emissions to 1990 levels by 2020. AB 32 was signed and passed into law by Governor Schwarzenegger on September 27, 2006. Since that time, the CARB, CEC, California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), and Building Standards

Commission have all been developing regulations that will help meet the goals of AB 32 and Executive Order S-3-05.

A Scoping Plan for AB 32 was adopted by CARB in December 2008. It contains the State's main strategies to reduce GHGs from business-as-usual emissions projected in 2020 back down to 1990 levels. Business-as-usual (BAU) is the projected emissions in 2020, including increases in emissions caused by growth, without any GHG reduction measures. The Scoping Plan has a range of GHG reduction actions, including direct regulations, alternative compliance mechanisms, monetary and non-monetary incentives, voluntary actions, and market-based mechanisms such as a cap-and-trade system.

As directed by AB 32, CARB has also approved a statewide GHG emissions limit. On December 6, 2007, CARB staff resolved an amount of 427 million metric tons (MMT) of CO<sub>2e</sub> as the total statewide GHG 1990 emissions level and 2020 emissions limit. The limit is a cumulative statewide limit, not a sector- or facility-specific limit. CARB updated the future 2020 BAU annual emissions forecast, in light of the economic downturn, to 545 MMT of CO<sub>2e</sub>. Two GHG emissions reduction measures currently enacted that were not previously included in the 2008 Scoping Plan baseline inventory were included, further reducing the baseline inventory to 507 MMT of CO<sub>2e</sub>. Thus, an estimated reduction of 80 MMT of CO<sub>2e</sub> is necessary to reduce statewide emissions to meet the AB 32 target by 2020.

#### *Senate Bill 375, California's Regional Transportation and Land Use Planning Efforts (2008)*

California enacted legislation (SB 375) to expand the efforts of AB 32 by controlling indirect GHG emissions caused by urban sprawl. SB 375 provides incentives for local governments and applicants to implement new conscientiously planned growth patterns. This includes incentives for creating attractive, walkable, and sustainable communities and revitalizing existing communities. The legislation also allows applicants to bypass certain environmental reviews under CEQA if they build projects consistent with the new sustainable community strategies. Development of more alternative transportation options that would reduce vehicle trips and miles traveled, along with traffic congestion, would be encouraged. SB 375 enhances CARB's ability to reach the AB 32 goals by directing the agency in developing regional GHG emission reduction targets to be achieved from the transportation sector for 2020 and 2035. CARB works with the metropolitan planning organizations (e.g. Association of Bay Area Governments [ABAG] and Metropolitan Transportation Commission [MTC]) to align their regional transportation, housing, and land use plans to reduce vehicle miles traveled and demonstrate the region's ability to attain its GHG reduction targets. A similar process is used to reduce transportation emissions of ozone precursor pollutants in the Bay Area.

#### *SB 350 Renewable Portfolio Standards*

In September 2015, the California Legislature passed SB 350, which increases the states Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) for content of electrical generation from the 33 percent target for 2020 to a 50 percent renewables target by 2030.



### *Executive Order EO-B-30-15 (2015) and SB 32 GHG Reduction Targets*

In April 2015, Governor Brown signed Executive Order which extended the goals of AB 32, setting a greenhouse gas emissions target at 40 percent of 1990 levels by 2030. On September 8, 2016, Governor Brown signed SB 32, which legislatively established the GHG reduction target of 40 percent of 1990 levels by 2030. In November 2017, CARB issued *California's 2017 Climate Change Scoping Plan*. While the State is on track to exceed the AB 32 scoping plan 2020 targets, this plan is an update to reflect the enacted SB 32 reduction target.

SB 32 was passed in 2016, which codified a 2030 GHG emissions reduction target of 40 percent below 1990 levels. CARB is currently working on a second update to the Scoping Plan to reflect the 2030 target set by Executive Order B-30-15 and codified by SB 32. The proposed Scoping Plan Update was published on January 20, 2017 as directed by SB 32 companion legislation AB 197. The mid-term 2030 target is considered critical by CARB on the path to obtaining an even deeper GHG emissions target of 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050, as directed in Executive Order S-3-05. The Scoping Plan outlines the suite of policy measures, regulations, planning efforts, and investments in clean technologies and infrastructure, providing a blueprint to continue driving down GHG emissions and obtain the statewide goals.

The new Scoping Plan establishes a strategy that will reduce GHG emissions in California to meet the 2030 target (note that the AB 32 Scoping Plan only addressed 2020 targets and a long-term goal). Key features of this plan are:

- Cap and Trade program places a firm limit on 80 percent of the State's emissions;
- Achieving a 50-percent Renewable Portfolio Standard by 2030 (currently at about 29 percent statewide);
- Increase energy efficiency in existing buildings;
- Develop fuels with an 18-percent reduction in carbon intensity;
- Develop more high-density, transit-oriented housing;
- Develop walkable and bikable communities;
- Greatly increase the number of electric vehicles on the road and reduce oil demand in half;
- Increase zero-emissions transit so that 100 percent of new buses are zero emissions;
- Reduce freight-related emissions by transitioning to zero emissions where feasible and near-zero emissions with renewable fuels everywhere else; and
- Reduce "super pollutants" by reducing methane and hydrofluorocarbons or HFCs by 40 percent.

In the updated Scoping Plan, CARB recommends statewide targets of no more than 6 metric tons CO<sub>2</sub>e per capita (statewide) by 2030 and no more than 2 metric tons CO<sub>2</sub>e per capita by 2050. The statewide per capita targets account for all emissions sectors in the State, statewide population forecasts, and the statewide reductions necessary to achieve the 2030 statewide target under SB 32 and the longer-term State emissions reduction goal of 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050.

## City of San Jose Greenhouse Gas Reduction Strategy

The Greenhouse Gas Reduction Strategy (GHGRS) was a document prepared by the City of San José to help the City to quantify, reduce, and manage their GHG emissions.<sup>14</sup> The GHGRS was prepared alongside the *Envision San José 2040 General Plan Update* to ensure that the General Plan aligned with AB32. The City uses the following ‘Plan-level’ GHG significance threshold to reduce GHG emissions to meet the 2020 goal of AB32: 6.6 metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent per service population per year (MT CO<sub>2</sub>e / SP / year). Service population is defined as the number of residents plus the number of people working within San José. The City has also estimated an efficiency threshold of 3.04 MT CO<sub>2</sub>e /SP for 2035. However, since this project would be operational post-2020, the 2020 efficiency threshold is not appropriate. This analysis uses an efficiency threshold for projects operational post-2020 that is more aggressive than the 2035 efficiency threshold proposed by the City of San José. Additionally, the GHGRS has several measures that would be implemented, monitored, and enforced by the City. These policies and measures are listed as attachments in the GHGRS. New development projects are subject to the greenhouse gas policies listed in Attachment B and D of the GHGRS.

## BAAQMD Significance Thresholds

The BAAQMD’s CEQA Air Quality Guidelines do not use quantified thresholds for projects that are in a jurisdiction with a qualified GHG reductions plan (i.e., a Climate Action Plan). The plan has to address emissions associated with the period that the project would operate (e.g., beyond year 2020). For quantified emissions, the guidelines recommended a GHG threshold of 1,100 metric tons or 4.6 metric tons (MT) per capita. These thresholds were developed based on meeting the 2020 GHG targets set in the scoping plan that addressed AB 32. Development of the project would occur beyond 2020, so a threshold that addresses a future target is appropriate.

Although BAAQMD has not published a quantified threshold for 2030 yet, this assessment uses a “Substantial Progress” efficiency metric of 2.6 MT CO<sub>2</sub>e/year/service population and a bright-line threshold of 660 MT CO<sub>2</sub>e/year based on the GHG reduction goals of EO B-30-15. The service population metric of 2.6 is calculated for 2030 based on the 1990 inventory and the projected 2030 statewide population and employment levels.<sup>15</sup> The 2030 bright-line threshold is a 40 percent reduction of the 2020 1,100 MT CO<sub>2</sub>e/year threshold.

### **Impact 1: Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?**

GHG emissions associated with development of the proposed project would occur over the short-term from construction activities, consisting primarily of emissions from equipment exhaust and worker and vendor trips. There would also be long-term operational emissions associated with vehicular traffic within the project vicinity, energy and water usage, and solid waste disposal.

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<sup>14</sup> City of San José, 2011. *Greenhouse Gas Reduction Strategy for the City of San José*. June (updated December 2015). <http://www.sanjoseca.gov/documentcenter/view/9388>

<sup>15</sup> Dave Vintze, Bay Area Air Quality Management District, 2016. *CLE International 12<sup>th</sup> Annual SuperConference CEQA Guidelines, Case Law and Policy Update*. December.

Emissions for the proposed project are discussed below and were analyzed using the methodology recommended in the BAAQMD CEQA Air Quality Guidelines.

### CalEEMod Modeling

CalEEMod was used to predict GHG emissions from operation of the site assuming full build-out of the project. The project land use types and size and other project-specific information were input to the model, as described above within the operational period emissions. CalEEMod output is included in *Attachment 2*.

### Service Population Emissions

The project service population efficiency rate is based on the number of future residents and future employees. For this project, the number of future residents was estimated by multiplying the total number of units (e.g. 174 units) by the persons per household rate for the City of San José found in the California Department of Finance Population and Housing Estimate report.<sup>16</sup> Using the 3.20 person per household 2019 rate, the number of future residents is estimated to be 557 residents. The number of future employees is based on a rate of one employee per 250 square feet.<sup>17</sup> Using this rate and 19,600 sf of commercial use, the number of future employees would be 78 employees. The total service population would be 635 individuals.

Note: Based on the revised project (173 residential units and 18,242 square feet of commercial use), the service population was reduced from 635 to 627.

### Construction Emissions

GHG emissions associated with construction were computed to be 1,007 MT of CO<sub>2e</sub> for the total construction period. These are the emissions from on-site operation of construction equipment, vendor and hauling truck trips, and worker trips. Neither the City nor BAAQMD have an adopted threshold of significance for construction-related GHG emissions, though BAAQMD recommends quantifying emissions and disclosing that GHG emissions would occur during construction. BAAQMD also encourages the incorporation of best management practices to reduce GHG emissions during construction where feasible and applicable.

### Operational Emissions

The CalEEMod model, along with the project vehicle trip generation rates, was used to estimate daily emissions associated with operation of the fully-developed site under the proposed project. As shown in Table 7, the net annual emissions resulting from operation of the proposed project are predicted to be 931 MT of CO<sub>2e</sub> for the year 2022 and 853 MT of CO<sub>2e</sub> for the year 2030. The Service Population Emissions for the year 2022 would be 1.5 and 1.6 MT CO<sub>2e</sub>/year/service population for the year 2030.

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<sup>16</sup> State of California, Department of Finance, *E-5 Population and Housing Estimates for Cities, Counties and the State — January 1, 2011-2019*. Sacramento, California, May 2019.

<sup>17</sup> Strategic Economics, Inc., 2016. *San Jose market Overview and Employment Land Analysis*. January.

To be considered significant, the project must exceed both the GHG significance threshold in metric tons per year and the service population significance threshold. The 2025 and 2030 emissions do exceed the 2030 “bright-line” threshold of 660 MT of CO<sub>2e</sub>/year. However, the 2025 and 2030 per capita emissions do not exceed the “Substantial Progress” efficiency metric of 2.6 MT CO<sub>2e</sub>/year/service population. Therefore, the project would have a *less-than-significant* impact regarding GHG emissions.

**Table 7. Annual Project GHG Emissions (CO<sub>2e</sub>) in Metric Tons and Per Capita**

Source Category	Existing Land Use in 2025	Proposed Project in 2025	Existing Land Use in 2030	Proposed Project in 2030
Area	1	9	1	9
Energy Consumption	69	269	69	269
Mobile	73	757	65	671
Solid Waste Generation	29	51	29	51
Water Usage	4	21	4	21
Total (MT CO <sub>2e</sub> /year)	176	1,107	168	1,021
Net Emissions		931 MT CO <sub>2e</sub> /year		853 MT CO <sub>2e</sub> /year
<b>Significance Threshold</b>	<b>660 MT CO<sub>2e</sub>/year</b>			
Service Population Emissions (MT CO <sub>2e</sub> /year/service population)		1.5		1.6
<b>Significance Threshold</b>	<b>2.6 in 2030</b>			
<b>Significant (Exceeds both thresholds)?</b>		No		No

**Impact 2: Conflict with an applicable plan, policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases?**

The proposed project would not conflict or otherwise interfere with the statewide GHG reduction measures identified in CARB’s Scoping Plan. For example, proposed buildings would be constructed in conformance with CALGreen and the Title 24 Building Code, which requires high-efficiency water fixtures and water-efficient irrigation systems.

Additionally, the project would implement and comply with the greenhouse gas reduction policies found in the *Envisions San José 2040 General Plan Policy*, which are also found in GHGRS as Attachment B. The project is also subject to the GHG reduction strategies listed in the *Greenhouse Gas Reduction Strategy Implementation Tracking* (Attachment D) tool in the GHGRS. The project would implement and comply with all relevant GHG reduction measures as determined by the City.

## **Supporting Documentation**

*Attachment 1* is the methodology used to compute community risk impacts, including the methods to compute lifetime cancer risk from exposure to project emissions.

*Attachment 2* includes the CalEEMod output for project construction and operational criteria air pollutant and GHG emissions. The operational output for existing uses is also included in this attachment. Also included are any modeling assumptions.

*Attachment 3* is the construction health risk assessment. AERMOD dispersion modeling files for this assessment, which are quite voluminous, are available upon request and would be provided in digital format

*Attachment 4* includes the screening community risk calculations from sources affecting the project and MEI.

## Attachment 1: Health Risk Calculation Methodology

### Health Risk Calculation Methodology

A health risk assessment (HRA) for exposure to Toxic Air Contaminates (TACs) requires the application of a risk characterization model to the results from the air dispersion model to estimate potential health risk at each sensitive receptor location. The State of California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) and California Air Resources Board (CARB) develop recommended methods for conducting health risk assessments. The most recent OEHHA risk assessment guidelines were published in February of 2015.<sup>18</sup> These guidelines incorporate substantial changes designed to provide for enhanced protection of children, as required by State law, compared to previous published risk assessment guidelines. CARB has provided additional guidance on implementing OEHHA's recommended methods.<sup>19</sup> This HRA used the 2015 OEHHA risk assessment guidelines and CARB guidance. The BAAQMD has adopted recommended procedures for applying the newest OEHHA guidelines as part of Regulation 2, Rule 5: New Source Review of Toxic Air Contaminants.<sup>20</sup> Exposure parameters from the OEHHA guidelines and the recent BAAQMD HRA Guidelines were used in this evaluation.

### Cancer Risk

Potential increased cancer risk from inhalation of TACs are calculated based on the TAC concentration over the period of exposure, inhalation dose, the TAC cancer potency factor, and an age sensitivity factor to reflect the greater sensitivity of infants and children to cancer causing TACs. The inhalation dose depends on a person's breathing rate, exposure time and frequency and duration of exposure. These parameters vary depending on the age, or age range, of the persons being exposed and whether the exposure is considered to occur at a residential location or other sensitive receptor location.

The current OEHHA guidance recommends that cancer risk be calculated by age groups to account for different breathing rates and sensitivity to TACs. Specifically, they recommend evaluating risks for the third trimester of pregnancy to age zero, ages zero to less than two (infant exposure), ages two to less than 16 (child exposure), and ages 16 to 70 (adult exposure). Age sensitivity factors (ASFs) associated with the different types of exposure are an ASF of 10 for the third trimester and infant exposures, an ASF of 3 for a child exposure, and an ASF of 1 for an adult exposure. Also associated with each exposure type are different breathing rates, expressed as liters per kilogram of body weight per day (L/kg-day). As recommended by the BAAQMD for residential exposures, 95<sup>th</sup> percentile breathing rates are used for the third trimester and infant exposures, and 80<sup>th</sup> percentile breathing rates for child and adult exposures. For children at schools and daycare facilities, BAAQMD recommends using the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile breathing rates. Additionally, CARB and the BAAQMD recommend the use of a residential exposure duration of 30 years for sources with long-

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<sup>18</sup> OEHHA, 2015. *Air Toxics Hot Spots Program Risk Assessment Guidelines, The Air Toxics Hot Spots Program Guidance Manual for Preparation of Health Risk Assessments*. Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment. February.

<sup>19</sup> CARB, 2015. *Risk Management Guidance for Stationary Sources of Air Toxics*. July 23.

<sup>20</sup> BAAQMD, 2016. *BAAQMD Air Toxics NSR Program Health Risk Assessment (HRA) Guidelines*. December 2016.

term emissions (e.g., roadways). For workers, assumed to be adults, a 25-year exposure period is recommended by the BAAQMD.

Under previous OEHHA and BAAQMD HRA guidance, residential receptors are assumed to be at their home 24 hours a day, or 100 percent of the time. In the 2015 Risk Assessment Guidance, OEHHA includes adjustments to exposure duration to account for the fraction of time at home (FAH), which can be less than 100 percent of the time, based on updated population and activity statistics. The FAH factors are age-specific and are: 0.85 for third trimester of pregnancy to less than 2 years old, 0.72 for ages 2 to less than 16 years, and 0.73 for ages 16 to 70 years. Use of the FAH factors is allowed by the BAAQMD if there are no schools in the project vicinity that would have a cancer risk of one in a million or greater assuming 100 percent exposure (FAH = 1.0).

Functionally, cancer risk is calculated using the following parameters and formulas:

$$\text{Cancer Risk (per million)} = CPF \times \text{Inhalation Dose} \times ASF \times ED/AT \times FAH \times 10^6$$

Where:

CPF = Cancer potency factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>

ASF = Age sensitivity factor for specified age group

ED = Exposure duration (years)

AT = Averaging time for lifetime cancer risk (years)

FAH = Fraction of time spent at home (unitless)

$$\text{Inhalation Dose} = C_{\text{air}} \times DBR \times A \times (EF/365) \times 10^{-6}$$

Where:

C<sub>air</sub> = concentration in air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)

DBR = daily breathing rate (L/kg body weight-day)

A = Inhalation absorption factor

EF = Exposure frequency (days/year)

10<sup>-6</sup> = Conversion factor

The health risk parameters used in this evaluation are summarized as follows:

Parameter	Exposure Type →	Infant		Child		Adult
	Age Range →	3 <sup>rd</sup> Trimester	0<2	2 < 9	2 < 16	16 - 30
DPM Cancer Potency Factor (mg/kg-day) <sup>-1</sup>		1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00
Daily Breathing Rate (L/kg-day) 80 <sup>th</sup> Percentile Rate		273	758	631	572	261
Daily Breathing Rate (L/kg-day) 95 <sup>th</sup> Percentile Rate		361	1,090	861	745	335
Inhalation Absorption Factor		1	1	1	1	1
Averaging Time (years)		70	70	70	70	70
Exposure Duration (years)		0.25	2	14	14	14
Exposure Frequency (days/year)		350	350	350	350	350
Age Sensitivity Factor		10	10	3	3	1
Fraction of Time at Home		0.85-1.0	0.85-1.0	0.72-1.0	0.72-1.0	0.73

## Non-Cancer Hazards

Potential non-cancer health hazards from TAC exposure are expressed in terms of a hazard index (HI), which is the ratio of the TAC concentration to a reference exposure level (REL). OEHHA has defined acceptable concentration levels for contaminants that pose non-cancer health hazards. TAC concentrations below the REL are not expected to cause adverse health impacts, even for sensitive individuals. The total HI is calculated as the sum of the HIs for each TAC evaluated and the total HI is compared to the BAAQMD significance thresholds to determine whether a significant non-cancer health impact from a project would occur.

Typically, for residential projects located near roadways with substantial TAC emissions, the primary TAC of concern with non-cancer health effects is diesel particulate matter (DPM). For DPM, the chronic inhalation REL is 5 micrograms per cubic meter ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ ).

## Annual PM<sub>2.5</sub> Concentrations

While not a TAC, fine particulate matter (PM<sub>2.5</sub>) has been identified by the BAAQMD as a pollutant with potential non-cancer health effects that should be included when evaluating potential community health impacts under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). The thresholds of significance for PM<sub>2.5</sub> (project level and cumulative) are in terms of an increase in the annual average concentration. When considering PM<sub>2.5</sub> impacts, the contribution from all sources of PM<sub>2.5</sub> emissions should be included. For projects with potential impacts from nearby local roadways, the PM<sub>2.5</sub> impacts should include those from vehicle exhaust emissions, PM<sub>2.5</sub> generated from vehicle tire and brake wear, and fugitive emissions from re-suspended dust on the roads.





## **Attachment 2: CalEEMod Modeling Output**

## Attachment 3: Construction Health Risk Calculations

1530-1536 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA (Phase 1)

### DPM Construction Emissions and Modeling Emission Rates

Construction Year	Activity	DPM (ton/year)	Source Type	No. Sources	DPM Emissions			Emissions per Point Source
					(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)	(g/s)
2020	Construction	0.1065	Point	90	213.0	0.06484	8.17E-03	9.08E-05
2021	Construction	0.0584	Point	90	116.8	0.03556	4.48E-03	4.98E-05

hr/day = 9 (7am - 4pm)  
 days/yr = 365  
 hours/year = 3285

### PM2.5 Fugitive Dust Construction Emissions Modeling Emission Rates

Construction Year	Activity	Area Source	PM2.5 Emissions				Modeled Area (m <sup>2</sup> )	Emission Rate g/s/m <sup>2</sup>
			(ton/year)	(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)		
2020	Construction	CON_FUG	0.06740	134.8	0.04104	5.17E-03	3,391	1.52E-06
2021	Construction	CON_FUG	0.00146	2.9	0.00089	1.12E-04	3,391	3.30E-08

hr/day = 9 (7am - 4pm)  
 days/yr = 365  
 hours/year = 3285

### DPM Construction Emissions and Modeling Emission Rates - With Mitigation

Construction Year	Activity	DPM (ton/year)	Source Type	No. Sources	DPM Emissions			Emissions per Point Source
					(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)	(g/s)
2020	Construction	0.0034	Point	90	6.8	0.00208	2.62E-04	2.91E-06
2021	Construction	0.0020	Point	90	3.9	0.00120	1.51E-04	1.68E-06

hr/day = 9 (7am - 4pm)  
 days/yr = 365  
 hours/year = 3285

### PM2.5 Fugitive Dust Construction Emissions for Modeling - With Mitigation

Construction Year	Activity	Area Source	PM2.5 Emissions				Modeled Area (m <sup>2</sup> )	DPM Emission Rate
			(ton/year)	(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)		g/s/m <sup>2</sup>
2020	Construction	CON_FUG	0.01660	33.2	0.01011	1.27E-03	3,391	3.76E-07
2021	Construction	CON_FUG	0.00146	2.9	0.00089	1.12E-04	3,391	3.30E-08

hr/day = 9 (7am - 4pm)  
 days/yr = 365  
 hours/year = 3285

# 1544 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA (Phase 2)

## DPM Construction Emissions and Modeling Emission Rates

								Emissions
Construction		DPM	Source	No.	DPM Emissions			per Point Source
Year	Activity	(ton/year)	Type	Sources	(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)	(g/s)
2022	Construction	0.0934	Point	50	186.8	0.05688	7.17E-03	1.43E-04
		hr/day =	9	(7am - 4pm)				
		days/yr =	365					
		hours/year =	3285					

## PM2.5 Fugitive Dust Construction Emissions for Modeling

Construction		Area	PM2.5 Emissions				Modeled Area	Emission Rate
Year	Activity	Source	(ton/year)	(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)	(m <sup>2</sup> )	g/s/m <sup>2</sup>
2022	Construction	CON_FUG	0.03192	63.8	0.01943	2.45E-03	1,851	1.32E-06
		hr/day =	9	(7am - 4pm)				
		days/yr =	365					
		hours/year =	3285					

## DPM Construction Emissions and Modeling Emission Rates - With Mitigation

								Emissions per Point Source
Construction		DPM	Source	No.	DPM Emissions			
Year	Activity	(ton/year)	Type	Sources	(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)	(g/s)
2022	Construction	0.0029	Point	50	5.8	0.00175	2.21E-04	4.42E-06
		hr/day =	9	(7am - 4pm)				
		days/yr =	365					
		hours/year =	3285					

## PM2.5 Fugitive Dust Construction Emissions for Modeling - With Mitigation

Construction		Area	PM2.5 Emissions				Modeled Area	DPM Emission Rate
Year	Activity	Source	(ton/year)	(lb/yr)	(lb/hr)	(g/s)	(m <sup>2</sup> )	g/s/m <sup>2</sup>
2022	Construction	CON_FUG	0.00447	8.9	0.00272	3.43E-04	1,851	1.85E-07
		hr/day =	9	(7am - 4pm)				
		days/yr =	365					
		hours/year =	3285					

**1530-1536 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA - Construction Health Impact Modeling**  
**Source Parameters for Point Sources Used in Construction Modeling**

Source	Stack Height (ft)	Stack Diam (in)	Exhaust Temp (F)	Volume Flow (acfm)	Velocity (ft/min)	Velocity (ft/sec)
Construction Equipment	9.0	2.5	918	632	18540	309.0
Source	Stack Height (m)	Stack Diam (m)	Exhaust Temp (K)			Velocity (ft/sec)
Construction Equipment	2.74	0.064	765.37			94.2

**1530-1536-1544 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA**  
**Construction Health Impacts Summary**

**Maximum Impacts at Construction MEI Location - Unmitigated**

Emissions  Year						
	Maximum Concentrations		Cancer Risk (per million)		Hazard Index	Maximum Annual PM2.5 Concentration
	Exhaust PM10/DPM	Fugitive PM2.5				
	(µg/m³)	(µg/m³)	Child	Adult	(-)	(µg/m³)
2020	0.3889	0.4852	69.39	1.12	0.078	0.87
2021	0.2133	0.0105	35.03	0.61	0.043	0.22
2022-2023*	0.1454		4.15	0.42	0.029	
Total	-	-	108.6	2.1	-	-
Maximum	0.3889	0.4852	-	-	0.078	0.87

\*Includes one month of 2023 emissions (January 2023)

**Maximum Impacts at Construction MEI Location - With Mitigation**

Emissions  Year						
	Maximum Concentrations		Cancer Risk (per million)		Hazard Index	Maximum Annual PM2.5 Concentration
	Exhaust PM10/DPM	Fugitive PM2.5				
	(µg/m³)	(µg/m³)	Child	Adult	(-)	(µg/m³)
2020	0.0125	0.1193	2.22	0.04	0.002	0.13
2021	0.0072	0.0105	1.18	0.02	0.001	0.02
2022-2023*	0.0072	0.0141	0.21	0.02	0.001	0.02
Total	-	-	3.6	0.1	-	-
Maximum	0.0125	0.1193	-	-	0.002	0.13

\*Includes one month of 2023 emissions (January 2023)

**1530-1536-1544 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA**  
**Maximum DPM Cancer Risk Calculations From Construction - Unmitigated Emissions**  
**Impacts at Off-Site Receptors-4.5 meter**

Cancer Risk (per million) = CPF x Inhalation Dose x ASF x ED/AT x FAH x 1.0E6

Where: CPF = Cancer potency factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>  
 ASF = Age sensitivity factor for specified age group  
 ED = Exposure duration (years)  
 AT = Averaging time for lifetime cancer risk (years)  
 FAH = Fraction of time spent at home (unitless)

Inhalation Dose = C<sub>air</sub> x DBR x A x (EF/365) x 10<sup>-6</sup>

Where: C<sub>air</sub> = concentration in air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
 DBR = daily breathing rate (L/kg body weight-day)  
 A = Inhalation absorption factor  
 EF = Exposure frequency (days/year)  
 10<sup>-6</sup> = Conversion factor

**Values**

Age --> Parameter	Infant/Child				Adult
	3rd Trimester	0 - 2	2 - 9	2 - 16	16 - 30
ASF =	10	10	3	3	1
CPF =	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00
DBR* =	361	1090	631	572	261
A =	1	1	1	1	1
EF =	350	350	350	350	350
AT =	70	70	70	70	70
FAH =	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.73

\* 95th percentile breathing rates for infants and 80th percentile for children and adults

**Construction Cancer Risk by Year - Maximum Impact Receptor Location**

Exposure Year	Exposure Duration (years)	Age	Infant/Child - Exposure Information			Infant/Child Cancer Risk (per million)	Adult - Exposure Information			Adult Cancer Risk (per million)	Fugitive PM2.5	Total PM2.5
			DPM Conc (ug/m3)		Age		Modeled		Age			
			Year	Annual	Sensitivity Factor		Year	Annual	Sensitivity Factor			
0	0.25	-0.25 - 0*	2020	0.3889	10	5.52	2020	0.3889	-	-		
1	1	0 - 1	2020	0.3889	10	63.88	2020	0.3889	1	1.12	0.4852	0.874
2	1	1 - 2	2021	0.2133	10	35.03	2021	0.2133	1	0.61	0.0105	0.224
3	1	2 - 3	2022	0.1454	3	4.15	2022	0.1454	1	0.42	0.1006	0.246
4	1	3 - 4		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
5	1	4 - 5		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
6	1	5 - 6		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
7	1	6 - 7		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
8	1	7 - 8		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
9	1	8 - 9		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
10	1	9 - 10		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
11	1	10 - 11		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
12	1	11 - 12		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
13	1	12 - 13		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
14	1	13 - 14		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
15	1	14 - 15		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
16	1	15 - 16		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
17	1	16-17		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
18	1	17-18		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
19	1	18-19		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
20	1	19-20		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
21	1	20-21		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
22	1	21-22		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
23	1	22-23		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
24	1	23-24		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
25	1	24-25		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
26	1	25-26		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
27	1	26-27		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
28	1	27-28		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
29	1	28-29		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
30	1	29-30		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
Total Increased Cancer Risk						108.6				2.15		

\* Third trimester of pregnancy

**1530-1536-1544 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA**  
**Maximum DPM Cancer Risk Calculations From Construction - Mitigated Emissions**  
**Impacts at Off-Site Receptors-4.5 meter**

Cancer Risk (per million) = CPF x Inhalation Dose x ASF x ED/AT x FAH x 1.0E6

Where: CPF = Cancer potency factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>

ASF = Age sensitivity factor for specified age group

ED = Exposure duration (years)

AT = Averaging time for lifetime cancer risk (years)

FAH = Fraction of time spent at home (unitless)

Inhalation Dose = C<sub>air</sub> x DBR x A x (EF/365) x 10<sup>-6</sup>

Where: C<sub>air</sub> = concentration in air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)

DBR = daily breathing rate (L/kg body weight-day)

A = Inhalation absorption factor

EF = Exposure frequency (days/year)

10<sup>-6</sup> = Conversion factor

**Values**

Age --> Parameter	Infant/Child				Adult
	3rd Trimester	0 - 2	2 - 9	2 - 16	16 - 30
ASF =	10	10	3	3	1
CPF =	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00
DBR* =	361	1090	631	572	261
A =	1	1	1	1	1
EF =	350	350	350	350	350
AT =	70	70	70	70	70
FAH =	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.73

\* 95th percentile breathing rates for infants and 80th percentile for children and adults

**Construction Cancer Risk by Year - Maximum Impact Receptor Location**

Exposure Year	Exposure Duration (years)	Age	Infant/Child - Exposure Information			Infant/Child Cancer Risk (per million)	Adult - Exposure Information			Adult Cancer Risk (per million)	Fugitive PM2.5	Total PM2.5
			DPM Conc (ug/m3)		Sensitivity Factor		Modeled		Age Sensitivity Factor			
			DPM Conc (ug/m3)									
			Year	Annual			Year	Annual				
0	0.25	-0.25 - 0*	2020	0.0125	10	0.18	2020	0.0125	-	-		
1	1	0 - 1	2020	0.0125	10	2.04	2020	0.0125	1	0.04	0.1193	0.132
2	1	1 - 2	2021	0.0072	10	1.18	2021	0.0072	1	0.02	0.0105	0.018
3	1	2 - 3		0.0072	3	0.21	2022	0.0072	1	0.02	0.0141	0.021
4	1	3 - 4		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
5	1	4 - 5		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
6	1	5 - 6		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
7	1	6 - 7		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
8	1	7 - 8		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
9	1	8 - 9		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
10	1	9 - 10		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
11	1	10 - 11		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
12	1	11 - 12		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
13	1	12 - 13		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
14	1	13 - 14		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
15	1	14 - 15		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
16	1	15 - 16		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
17	1	16-17		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
18	1	17-18		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
19	1	18-19		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
20	1	19-20		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
21	1	20-21		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
22	1	21-22		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
23	1	22-23		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
24	1	23-24		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
25	1	24-25		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
26	1	25-26		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
27	1	26-27		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
28	1	27-28		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
29	1	28-29		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
30	1	29-30		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
Total Increased Cancer Risk						3.6				0.08		

\* Third trimester of pregnancy

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**Maximum DPM Cancer Risk Calculations From Construction - Unmitigated Emissions**  
**Impacts at Off-Site Receptors-1.5 meter receptor height**

Cancer Risk (per million) = CPF x Inhalation Dose x ASF x ED/AT x FAH x 1.0E6

Where: CPF = Cancer potency factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>

ASF = Age sensitivity factor for specified age group

ED = Exposure duration (years)

AT = Averaging time for lifetime cancer risk (years)

FAH = Fraction of time spent at home (unitless)

Inhalation Dose = C<sub>air</sub> x DBR x A x (EF/365) x 10<sup>-6</sup>

Where: C<sub>air</sub> = concentration in air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)

DBR = daily breathing rate (L/kg body weight-day)

A = Inhalation absorption factor

EF = Exposure frequency (days/year)

10<sup>-6</sup> = Conversion factor

**Values**

Age --> Parameter	Infant/Child				Adult
	3rd Trimester	0 - 2	2 - 9	2 - 16	16 - 30
ASF =	10	10	3	3	1
CPF =	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00
DBR* =	361	1090	631	572	261
A =	1	1	1	1	1
EF =	350	350	350	350	350
AT =	70	70	70	70	70
FAH =	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.73

\* 95th percentile breathing rates for infants and 80th percentile for children and adults

**Construction Cancer Risk by Year - Maximum Impact Receptor Location**

Exposure Year	Exposure Duration (years)	Age	Infant/Child - Exposure Information			Infant/Child Cancer Risk (per million)	Adult - Exposure Information			Adult Cancer Risk (per million)	Fugitive PM2.5	Total PM2.5
			DPM Conc (ug/m3)		Age Sensitivity Factor		Modeled		Age Sensitivity Factor			
			Year	Annual			Year	Annual				
0	0.25	-0.25 - 0*	2020	0.2102	10	2.98	2020	0.2102	-	-		
1	1	0 - 1	2020	0.2102	10	34.52	2020	0.2102	1	0.60	1.0430	1.247
2	1	1 - 2	2021	0.1395	10	22.91	2021	0.1395	1	0.40	0.0259	0.164
3	1	2 - 3		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
4	1	3 - 4		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
5	1	4 - 5		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
6	1	5 - 6		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
7	1	6 - 7		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
8	1	7 - 8		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
9	1	8 - 9		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
10	1	9 - 10		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
11	1	10 - 11		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
12	1	11 - 12		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
13	1	12 - 13		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
14	1	13 - 14		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
15	1	14 - 15		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
16	1	15 - 16		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
17	1	16-17		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
18	1	17-18		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
19	1	18-19		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
20	1	19-20		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
21	1	20-21		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
22	1	21-22		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
23	1	22-23		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
24	1	23-24		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
25	1	24-25		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
26	1	25-26		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
27	1	26-27		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
28	1	27-28		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
29	1	28-29		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
30	1	29-30		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00		
Total Increased Cancer Risk						60.4				1.00		

\* Third trimester of pregnancy



**1530-1536-1544 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA**  
**Maximum DPM Cancer Risk Calculations From Construction - Unmitigated Emissions**  
**Impacts for On-Site Receptors-4.5 meter**

Cancer Risk (per million) = CPF x Inhalation Dose x ASF x ED/AT x FAH x 1.0E6

Where: CPF = Cancer potency factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>  
 ASF = Age sensitivity factor for specified age group  
 ED = Exposure duration (years)  
 AT = Averaging time for lifetime cancer risk (years)  
 FAH = Fraction of time spent at home (unitless)

Inhalation Dose = C<sub>air</sub> x DBR x A x (EF/365) x 10<sup>-6</sup>

Where: C<sub>air</sub> = concentration in air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
 DBR = daily breathing rate (L/kg body weight-day)  
 A = Inhalation absorption factor  
 EF = Exposure frequency (days/year)  
 10<sup>-6</sup> = Conversion factor

**Values**

Age --> Parameter	Infant/Child				Adult
	3rd Trimester	0 - 2	2 - 9	2 - 16	16 - 30
ASF =	10	10	3	3	1
CPF =	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00
DBR* =	361	1090	631	572	261
A =	1	1	1	1	1
EF =	350	350	350	350	350
AT =	70	70	70	70	70
FAH =	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.73

\* 95th percentile breathing rates for infants and 80th percentile for children and adults

**Construction Cancer Risk by Year - Maximum Impact Receptor Location**

Exposure Year	Exposure Duration (years)	Infant/Child - Exposure Information				Infant/Child Cancer Risk (per million)	Adult - Exposure Information			Adult Cancer Risk (per million)	Hazard Index	Fugitive PM2.5	Total PM2.5
		Age	DPM Conc (ug/m3)		Age Sensitivity Factor		Modeled		Age Sensitivity Factor				
			Year	Annual			Year	Annual					
0	0.25	-0.25 - 0*	2022	0.6426	10	9.11	2022	0.6426	-	-			
1	1	0 - 1	2022	0.6453	10	105.98	2022	0.6453	1	1.85	0.129	0.3488	0.99
2	1	1 - 2	0	0.0000	10	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
3	1	2 - 3	0	0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
4	1	3 - 4		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
5	1	4 - 5		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
6	1	5 - 6		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
7	1	6 - 7		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
8	1	7 - 8		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
9	1	8 - 9		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
10	1	9 - 10		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
11	1	10 - 11		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
12	1	11 - 12		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
13	1	12 - 13		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
14	1	13 - 14		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
15	1	14 - 15		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
16	1	15 - 16		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
17	1	16-17		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
18	1	17-18		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
19	1	18-19		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
20	1	19-20		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
21	1	20-21		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
22	1	21-22		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
23	1	22-23		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
24	1	23-24		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
25	1	24-25		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
26	1	25-26		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
27	1	26-27		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
28	1	27-28		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
29	1	28-29		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
30	1	29-30		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
Total Increased Cancer Risk						115.1				1.85			

\* Third trimester of pregnancy

**1530-1536-1544 West San Carlos Street, San Jose, CA**  
**Maximum DPM Cancer Risk Calculations From Construction - Mitigated Emissions**  
**Impacts for On-Site Receptors-4.5 meter**

Cancer Risk (per million) = CPF x Inhalation Dose x ASF x ED/AT x FAH x 1.0E6

Where: CPF = Cancer potency factor (mg/kg-day)<sup>-1</sup>  
 ASF = Age sensitivity factor for specified age group  
 ED = Exposure duration (years)  
 AT = Averaging time for lifetime cancer risk (years)  
 FAH = Fraction of time spent at home (unitless)

Inhalation Dose = C<sub>air</sub> x DBR x A x (EF/365) x 10<sup>-6</sup>

Where: C<sub>air</sub> = concentration in air (µg/m<sup>3</sup>)  
 DBR = daily breathing rate (L/kg body weight-day)  
 A = Inhalation absorption factor  
 EF = Exposure frequency (days/year)  
 10<sup>-6</sup> = Conversion factor

**Values**

	Infant/Child				Adult
Age -->	3rd Trimester	0 - 2	2 - 9	2 - 16	16 - 30
Parameter					
ASF =	10	10	3	3	1
CPF =	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00	1.10E+00
DBR* =	361	1090	631	572	261
A =	1	1	1	1	1
EF =	350	350	350	350	350
AT =	70	70	70	70	70
FAH =	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.73

\* 95th percentile breathing rates for infants and 80th percentile for children and adults

**Construction Cancer Risk by Year - Maximum Impact Receptor Location**

Exposure Year	Exposure Duration (years)	Age	Infant/Child - Exposure Information			Infant/Child Cancer Risk (per million)	Adult - Exposure Information			Adult Cancer Risk (per million)	Hazrd Index	Fugitive PM2.5	Total PM2.5
			DPM Conc (ug/m3)		Age Sensitivity Factor		Modeled		Age Sensitivity Factor				
			Year	Annual			Year	Annual					
0	0.25	-0.25 - 0*	2020	0.0198	10	0.28	2020	0.0198	-	-			
1	1	0 - 1	2020	0.0198	10	3.25	2020	0.0198	1	0.06	0.004	0.0489	0.069
2	1	1 - 2		0.0000	10	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
3	1	2 - 3		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
4	1	3 - 4		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
5	1	4 - 5		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
6	1	5 - 6		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
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8	1	7 - 8		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
9	1	8 - 9		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
10	1	9 - 10		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
11	1	10 - 11		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
12	1	11 - 12		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
13	1	12 - 13		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
14	1	13 - 14		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
15	1	14 - 15		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
16	1	15 - 16		0.0000	3	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
17	1	16-17		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
18	1	17-18		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
19	1	18-19		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
20	1	19-20		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
21	1	20-21		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
22	1	21-22		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
23	1	22-23		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
24	1	23-24		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
25	1	24-25		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
26	1	25-26		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
27	1	26-27		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
28	1	27-28		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
29	1	28-29		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
30	1	29-30		0.0000	1	0.00		0.0000	1	0.00			
Total Increased Cancer Risk						3.5				0.06			

\* Third trimester of pregnancy

## Attachment 4: Screening Community Risk Calculations

Bay Area Air Quality Management District

### Roadway Screening Analysis Calculator

County specific tables containing estimates of risk and hazard impacts from roadways in the Bay Area.

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

Input the site-specific characteristics of your project by using the drop down menu in the "Search Parameter" box. We recommend that this analysis be used for roadways with 10,000 AADT and above.

- **County:** Select the County where the project is located. The calculator is only applicable for projects within the nine Bay Area counties.
- **Roadway Direction:** Select the orientation that best matches the roadway. If the roadway orientation is neither clearly north-south nor east-west, use the highest values predicted from either orientation.
- **Side of the Roadway:** Identify on which side of the roadway the project is located.
- **Distance from Roadway:** Enter the distance in feet from the nearest edge of the roadway to the project site. The calculator estimates values for distances greater than 10 feet and less than 1000 feet. For distances greater than 1000 feet, the user can choose to extrapolate values using a distribution curve or apply 1000 feet values for greater distances.
- **Annual Average Daily Traffic (ADT):** Enter the annual average daily traffic on the roadway. These data may be collected from the city or the county (if the area is unincorporated).

When the user has completed the data entries, the screening level PM2.5 annual average concentration and the cancer risk results will appear in the Results Box on the right. Please note that the roadway tool is not applicable for California State Highways and the District refers the user to the Highway Screening Analysis Tool at: <http://www.baaqmd.gov/Divisions/Planning-and-Research/CEQA-GUIDELINES/Tools-and-Methodology.aspx>.

Notes and References listed below the Search Boxes

Search Parameters	Results	
<p>County Roadway Direction Side of the Roadway Distance from Roadway Annual Average Daily Traffic (ADT)</p>	<p><b>Santa Clara County</b></p> <p><b>EAST-WEST DIRECTIONAL ROADWAY</b></p> <p><b>PM2.5 annual average</b> <b>0.298</b> (<math>\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3</math>)</p> <p><b>Cancer Risk</b> <b>11.76</b> (per million)</p> <p><b>West San Carlos Street, Project Site</b></p> <p>Cumulative plus project volumes from traffic report Data for Santa Clara County based on meteorological data collected from San Jose Airport in 1997</p>	<p><b>Adjusted for 2015 OEHHHA and EMFAC2014 for 2018</b></p> <p><b>8.08</b> (per million)</p> <p>Note that EMFAC2014 predicts DSL PM2.5 aggregate rates in 2018 that are 46% of EMFAC2011 for 2014. TOG gasoline rates are 56% of EMFAC2011 year 2014 rates. This is for light- and medium-duty vehicles traveling at 30 mph for Bay Area</p>

#### Notes and References:

1. Emissions were developed using EMFAC2011 for fleet mix in 2014 assuming 10,000 AADT and includes impacts from diesel and gasoline vehicle exhaust, brake and tire wear, and resuspended dust.
2. Roadways were modeled using GALINE4 Cal3qhc air dispersion model assuming a source length of one kilometer. Meteorological data used to estimate the screening values are noted at the bottom of the "Results" box.
3. Cancer risks were estimated for 70 year lifetime exposure starting in 2014 that includes sensitivity values for early life exposures and OEHHHA toxicity values adopted in 2013.

# Roadway Screening Analysis Calculator

County specific tables containing estimates of risk and hazard impacts from roadways in the Bay Area.

## INSTRUCTIONS:

Input the site-specific characteristics of your project by using the drop down menu in the "Search Parameter" box. We recommend that this analysis be used for roadways with 10,000 AADT and above.

• County: Select the County where the project is located. The calculator is only applicable for projects within the nine Bay Area counties.

• Roadway Direction: Select the orientation that best matches the roadway. If the roadway orientation is neither clearly north-south nor east-west, use the highest values predicted from either orientation.

• Side of the Roadway: Identify on which side of the roadway the project is located.

• Distance from Roadway: Enter the distance in feet from the nearest edge of the roadway to the project site. The calculator estimates values for distances greater than 10 feet and less than 1000 feet. For distances greater than 1000 feet, the user can choose to extrapolate values using a distribution curve or apply 1000 feet values for greater distances.

• Annual Average Daily Traffic (ADT): Enter the annual average daily traffic on the roadway. These data may be collected from the city or the county (if the area is unincorporated).

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Notes and References listed below the Search Boxes

## Search Parameters

County

Santa Clara

Roadway Direction

East-West

Side of the Roadway

South

Distance from Roadway

230

feet

Annual Average Daily  
Traffic (ADT)

21,795

## Results

### Santa Clara County

#### EAST-WEST DIRECTIONAL ROADWAY

##### PM2.5 annual average

0.112

( $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ )

##### Cancer Risk

4.45

(per million)

West San Carlos Street, MEI

Cumulative plus project volumes from traffic report

Data for Santa Clara County based on meteorological data collected from San Jose Airport in 1997

Adjusted for 2015  
OEHHA and EMFAC2014  
for 2018

3.06

(per million)

Note that EMFAC2014 predicts DSL PM2.5 aggregate rates in 2018 that are 46% of EMFAC2011 for 2014. TOG gasoline rates are 56% of EMFAC2011 year 2014 rates. This is for light- and medium-duty vehicles traveling at 30 mph for Bay Area

## Notes and References:

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BAY AREA AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT  
 DETAIL POLLUTANTS - ABATED  
 MOST RECENT P/O APPROVED (2016)

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San Jose Water Company (P# 19794)

S#	SOURCE NAME	MATERIAL	SOURCE CODE	THROUGHPUT	DATE	POLLUTANT	CODE	LBS/DAY
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1	Emergency Standby Diesel Generator Set							
	C22BH098							
		Benzene	41	2.13E-03				
		Formaldehyde	124	1.77E-04				
		Organics (other, including	990	1.03E-01				
		Arsenic (all)	1030	1.86E-06				
		Beryllium (all) pollutant	1040	1.09E-06				
		Cadmium	1070	4.65E-06				
		Chromium (hexavalent)	1095	9.62E-08				
		Lead (all) pollutant	1140	3.94E-06				
		Manganese	1160	6.19E-06				
		Nickel pollutant	1180	7.52E-05				
		Mercury (all) pollutant	1190	1.31E-06				
		Diesel Engine Exhaust Part	1350	2.05E-02				
		PAH's (non-speciated)	1840	9.81E-06				
		Nitrous Oxide (N2O)	2030	5.72E-04				
		Nitrogen Oxides (part not	2990	1.50E+00				
		Sulfur Dioxide (SO2)	3990	6.97E-04				
		Carbon Monoxide (CO) pollu	4990	3.27E-01				
		Carbon Dioxide, non-biogen	6960	7.15E+01				
		Methane (CH4)	6970	2.86E-03				