

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Norco College Veterans Resource Center

Lead Agency: Riverside Community College District

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Project Location: 2001 Third Street , Norco, Riverside
City *County*

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The proposed project site is located at 2001 Third Street in the City of Norco (City), in the northwestern portion of Riverside County, near a tri-county meeting point with Los Angeles and San Bernardino Counties. The proposed project site is 3 acres and is located on the existing Norco College campus. The proposed project would involve the construction of an approximately 2,500-square-foot, 19-foot-high Veterans Resource Center building on the southeastern portion of the Norco College campus to enhance the programs and services it offers to student veterans. Construction of the Center would necessitate removal of the existing landscaped area currently consisting of walkways and ornamental plants. The Center would include five office spaces, open work stations/study area and laptop space, a restroom for employees and students, lounge seating, and a utility room. The project would also include a 1,000-square-foot outdoor covered deck and BBQ area. Once operational, the new Veterans Resource Center building would provide a centralized location where the College's student veterans can access a variety of services oriented at assisting them with transitioning from military to civilian life.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The project could have potentially significant effects with regard to cultural resources, geological resources, hazards and hazardous materials, noise, and tribal cultural resources. With the implementation of mitigation measures outlined below, the project would have a less than significant impact for all resource areas.

- MM-CUL-1: Requires that construction crew members be alerted to the potential to encounter sensitive archaeological material and outlines procedures should ground disturbing activities encounter unanticipated archaeological materials.
- MM-GEO-1: Requires the preparation of a Paleontological Resources Impact Mitigation Program.
- MM-HAZ-1: Requires the preparation of a Soil Management Plan.
- MM-NOI-1: Requires that construction crews practice standard construction best management practices, such as shutting off idling equipment when not in use, locating staging areas away from sensitive noise uses, etc.
- MM-TRC-1: Requires that construction crew members be alerted to the potential to encounter sensitive tribal cultural resources and outlines procedures should ground disturbing activities encounter tribal cultural resources materials.
- MM-TRC-2: Requires conformance with Section 7050.5 of the California Health and Safety Code.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

None known at this time.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

- City of Norco
- Department of Toxic Substances Control