

## COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT Planning and Building Department

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of Humboldt, as Lead Agency, in accordance with the State California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines intends to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration (finding of no significant adverse environmental effect) on the project described below. This notification is to advise you that the Humboldt County Planning and Building Department will receive public comments on the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration from December 1, 2020, to December 30, 2020. A link to the document can be found at: <u>https://ceqanet.opr.ca.gov/2020070339/2</u>

PROJECT TITLE: Rolling Meadow Ranch, LLC, Conditional Use Permits; APNs: 217-201-001; 217-181-027, 217-181-028, 217-182-001, 217-024-011, 217-024-006, 217-024-010, 217-024-003, 217-025-001; Record Number: PLN-12529-CUP.

APPLICANT: Rolling Meadow Ranch, LLC

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Six Conditional Use Permits for 5.73 acres of mixed light cultivation and processing facilities located in five distinct cultivation areas. The proposed cannabis operation will be primarily located on APNs 217-181-028 and 217-201-001. Cultivation would occur in 16 greenhouses. Operations would occur year-round and there will be a maximum of four cultivation cycles annually. Annual water use is approximately 4,628,200 gallons. Water will be provided by three existing wells. There will be 320,000 gallons of hard-sided tank storage that will store rain from rooftop runoff. Processing, including drying, curing and trimming, will take place on site within 5 proposed processing structures totaling 33,750 square feet. There will be a maximum of 30 employees during peak operations. The proposed project includes development of power from P. G. & E. The total project development will be 8,50 acres. The project is accessed by McCann Road using the McCann Bridge. Approximately 5 miles of private ranch roads will be used to access cultivation areas. At the property entrance, employees will park their vehicles and an electric bus or similar type vehicle will be used to transport employees to the cultivation and processing areas. Secondary access through Alderpoint Road will be utilized during the rainy season when the low-water bridge is not in use.

PROJECT LOCATION: The project is located in Humboldt County, in the Blocksburg/Myers Flat area, on both sides of McCann Road, approximately 2.15 miles east from the intersection of Dyerville Loop Road and McCann Road, on the properties known as 2189 & 2487 McCann Road and the properties know to be in Sections 35 & 26, Township 01 South, Range 03 East, H. B. & M.

ADDRESS WHERE COPIES OF THE PROPOSED MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND INITIAL STUDY ARE AVAILBLE FOR REVIEW AND WHERE COMMENTS MAY BE MAILED:

## Humboldt County Planning and Building Department 3015 H Street Eureka, CA 95501

The project and the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration will be considered by the Humboldt County Planning Commission at a future public hearing. A separate notice for this hearing will be provided pursuant to Humboldt County Code 312-8 et seq.

Specific questions regarding the proposed project and the draft Mitigated Negative Declaration may be directed to Meghan Ryan at (707) 445-7541 or mryan2@co.humboldt.ca.us.