Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal

Mail to: State Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 3044, Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 (916) 445-0613 scн# TBD For Hand Delivery/Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 Project Title: Bella Mar Amendment Lead Agency: City of San Diego Contact Person: E. Shearer-Nguyen Mailing Address: 1222 First Avenue, MS 501 Phone: (619) 446-5369 City: San Diego County: San Diego Zip: 92101 City/Nearest Community: San Diego/Otay-Nestor Project Location: County: San Diego Cross Streets: Main Street and Palm Avenue _____ Zip Code: ___ Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 32 ° 588 ′ 575 ″ N / -117 ° 085 ′ 799 ″ W Total Acres: approx. 14.62 Assessor's Parcel No.: 627-100-09-00 Section: Twp.: Range: Base: Waterways: Otay River Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: _____ Schools: Ocean View Christian Academy, Sunnyalope ES, Mendo Railways: MTS Trolley Airports: **Document Type:** CEOA: NOP Draft EIR □ NOI Other: ☐ Joint Document Supplement/Subsequent EIR Early Cons □ EA Final Document (Prior SCH No.) Draft EIS Neg Dec Other: ____ Mit Neg Dec Other: ☐ FONSI **Local Action Type:** General Plan Update Specific Plan Rezone Annexation ☐ Prezone ☐ Redevelopment ☐ Use Permit General Plan Element ☐ Planned Unit Development Coastal Permit Community Plan ☐ Site Plan Land Division (Subdivision, etc.) Other: See Attacched Sheet **Development Type:** Residential: Units 380 Acres 14.62 Sq.ft. ____ Acres ____ Employees ____ Transportation: Type Office: | Commercial: Sq.ft. | Acres | Employees | | Transportation: Type |
Commercial: Sq.ft.	Acres	Employees		Mining:	Mineral		
Industrial: Sq.ft.	Acres	Employees		Power:	Type		MW
Educational:		Waste Treatment: Type	MGD				
Recreational:		Hazardous Waste: Type	Water Facilities: Type _____ Other: **Project Issues Discussed in Document:** Aesthetic/Visual Fiscal Recreation/Parks Vegetation Agricultural Land ☐ Flood Plain/Flooding ☐ Schools/Universities Water Ouality Air Quality Forest Land/Fire Hazard ☐ Septic Systems ☐ Water Supply/Groundwater ☐ Archeological/Historical ☐ Geologic/Seismic Sewer Capacity Wetland/Riparian Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading Biological Resources Minerals Growth Inducement Coastal Zone ☐ Noise Solid Waste Land Use Population/Housing Balance Toxic/Hazardous Drainage/Absorption ☐ Cumulative Effects Public Services/Facilities ☐ Economic/Jobs ■ Traffic/Circulation Other: Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation: Open Sapce/Agriculture-Residential AR-1-1 and Open Space (OF-1-1)/Open Space				

Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary)

See attached Sheet.

Reviewing Agencies Checklist Lead Agencies may recommend State Clearinghouse distribution by marking agencies below with and "X". If you have already sent your document to the agency please denote that with an "S". Air Resources Board Office of Historic Preservation Office of Public School Construction Boating & Waterways, Department of California Emergency Management Agency Parks & Recreation, Department of California Highway Patrol Pesticide Regulation, Department of Caltrans District # 11 Public Utilities Commission Caltrans Division of Aeronautics Regional WQCB # 9 Caltrans Planning Resources Agency Resources Recycling and Recovery, Department of Central Valley Flood Protection Board S.F. Bay Conservation & Development Comm. Coachella Valley Mtns. Conservancy Coastal Commission San Gabriel & Lower L.A. Rivers & Mtns. Conservancy Colorado River Board San Joaquin River Conservancy Conservation, Department of Santa Monica Mtns. Conservancy ____ Corrections, Department of State Lands Commission Delta Protection Commission SWRCB: Clean Water Grants Education, Department of SWRCB: Water Quality **Energy Commission** SWRCB: Water Rights Fish & Game Region # 5 Tahoe Regional Planning Agency ___ Food & Agriculture, Department of Toxic Substances Control, Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of Water Resources, Department of General Services, Department of Health Services, Department of Other: Housing & Community Development Other: Native American Heritage Commission Local Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead agency) April 29,2020 Ending Date May 30, 2022 Starting Date Lead Agency (Complete if applicable): Consulting Firm: RECON Environmental Applicant: Address: 3111 Camino Del Rio N., Suite 600 Address: City/State/Zip: San Diego, CA 92108 City/State/Zip: Contact: Lori Spar Phone: Phone: (619) 308-9333 Date: April 28, 2022 Signature of Lead Agency Representative:

Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 21161, Public Resources Code.



DATE OF NOTICE: April 29, 2022

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY DRAFT MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

SAP No.: 24007769

The City of San Diego (City), as Lead Agency, has prepared a draft Mitigated Negative Declaration for the following proposed project and is inviting your comments regarding the adequacy of the document. The draft Mitigated Negative Declaration and associated technical appendices have been placed on the City's California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) web-site at http://www.sandiego.gov/ceqa/draft.

HOW TO SUBMIT COMMENTS: Comments on this draft Mitigated Negative Declaration must be received by close of business on May 30, 2022 to be included in the final document considered by the decision-making authorities. When submitting comments, please reference the project name and number (Bella Mar/No. 631240). The City requests that all comments be provided electronically via email at: DSDEAS@Sandiego.gov. However, if a hard copy submittal is necessary, it may be submitted to: E Shearer-Nguyen, City of San Diego Development Services Center, 1222 First Avenue, MS 501, San Diego, CA 92101.

GENERAL PROJECT INFORMATION:

• Project Name: Bella Mar Amendment

• Project No. 631240

• SCH No. To Be Determined

· Community Plan Area: Otay-Nestor

Council District: 8

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: A GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT and COMMUNITY PLAN AMENDMENT to re-designate the land use from Open Space to Medium Density Residential (allowing up to 29 dwelling units per acre); a REZONE from Agriculture-Residential (AR-1-2) and Open Space (OF-1-1) to Multiple-Unit Medium Density Residential (RM-2-5); a TENTATIVE MAP to divide one parcel into two; a SITE DEVELOPMENT PERMIT; a LOCAL COASTAL PROGRAM AMENDMENT to create consistency with the proposed Community Plan Amendment and COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT; NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT PERMIT for proposed deviations to the San Diego Municipal Code Development Regulations; and a MULTI-HABITAT PLANNING AREA BOUNDARY LINE ADJUSTMENT to construct 380 multi-family units within two parcels (north and south neighborhood). The north neighborhood would consist of 14 three-story structures housing 280 multi-family market rate units, a 1,500-square-foot leasing building, and a 2,500-square-foot clubhouse/cabana area with a pool and spa. The south neighborhood would include a single fourstory structure with 100 affordable multi-family units. The project would also provide various on-site amenities such as a grill and dine area, fire pit area, multi-purpose area (dog park, urban garden, bocce area), and a play area. Additionally, the project would construct various off-site improvements consisting of hardscape, driveway access, landscaping, bio-swale, and a bus stop on the project's frontage. Off-site improvements along adjacent roadways are also included to address access to transit and Otay Valley Regional Park. Deviations to standard development regulations are proposed relating to building height, side setbacks, parking encroachment in front yard, and fire lane width. The undeveloped approximately 14.62-acre project site is located at 408 Hollister Street. The site is currently designated Open Space and zoned Agriculture-Residential (AR-1-2) and Open Space (OF-1-1) within the

Otay Mesa-Nestor Community Plan Area. The site is within the Coastal Overlay Zone, Coastal Overlay Zone (Deferred Certification), Parking Impact Overlay Zone, Parking Standards Transit Priority Area Overlay Zone, Transit Priority Area Overlay Zone, Airport Land Use Compatibility Overlay Zone (Brown Field), Airport Influence Area (Brown Field-Review Area 2), Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Part 77 Noticing Area, Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) Floodways/Floodplains (Floodway 100, Floodplain 500, and Floodplain 100), Brush Zones with 300 Foot Buffer, Very High Fire Severity Zone (Very High), and Outdoor Lighting Zones (Lighting Zone 3-Medium). (LEGAL DESCRIPTION: The S ½ of the NE ¼ of the SE ¼, excepting the south 40.00 feet all being in Sec. 21, T. 18 S., R. 2. W., San Bernardino Meridian, in the City of San Diego, County of San Diego, State of California, according to the official plat thereof. Also excepting therefrom that portion thereof lying westerly of a line described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Coughlin Subdivision, according to map thereof No. 1806, filed in the Office of the County Recorder of San Diego County, October 23, 1924, distant along said northerly line north 81°29'22" west 21.20 feet from the northeasterly corner of lot 62 of said Coughlin Subdivision; Thence north 13°22'42" west 9.09 feet; thence north 14°53'19" west 276.24 feet; thence north 06°42'47" west 411.70 feet; thence north 07°51'19" west 487.97 feet; thence north 07°19'00" west 26.73 feet to a point on the north line of distant along said last north line 89°24′21" west 1059.90 feet from the northeast corner of said south half). The site is not included on any Government Code listing of hazardous waste sites.

APPLICANT: RTA/Phair Hollister, LLC

RECOMMENDED FINDING: The draft Mitigated Negative Declaration determined the proposed project would result in significant environmental effects in the following areas: Biological Resources, Historical Resources, and Tribal Cultural Resources.

AVAILABILITY IN ALTERNATIVE FORMAT: To request this Notice, the draft Mitigated Negative Declaration, and/or supporting documents in alternative format, please email the Development Services Department at DSDEASNoticing@sandiego.gov. Your request should include the suggested recommended format that will assist with the review of documents.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: For environmental review information, contact E. Shearer-Nguyen at (619) 446-5369. For information regarding public meetings/hearings on this project, contact Development Project Manager, Martin Mendez, at (619) 446-5309. This Notice was published in the SAN DIEGO DAILY TRANSCRIPT and distributed on April 29, 2022.

Raynard Abalos Deputy Director Development Services Department