NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Pursuant to Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations, Sections 15072 and 15073, this is to advise that the City of Highland, which is the lead agency overseeing this project, has completed a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the proposed project described below.

PROJECT TITLE & FILE No.: Meines Street and Palm Avenue Warehouse Project

PROJECT LOCATION: Northwest corner of Meines Street and Palm Avenue in the City of Highland, CA (APNs: 1192-621-02, -03, -04, -05, -06, -07, -08, -20, -21, -22, -23 and 1192-601-05, -09, -43)

<u>PROJECT DESCRIPTION:</u> The project includes demolition of several existing industrial and residential structures and construction of a single new industrial concrete tilt-up dock high warehouse building totaling 284,917 square feet, including 5,000 square feet of office space and 3,000 feet of mezzanine space, on approximately 12.8-acres. On-site improvements will include storm drains, stormwater/water quality treatment facilities (including underground infiltration chambers), sewer (including a private lift station), water, and dry utility systems. The project site is not any list of hazardous waste sites prepared pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.2.

<u>PUBLIC REVIEW PERIOD:</u> The Mitigative Negative Declaration is available for public review and comment pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Sections 15072 and 15073 (California Environmental Quality Act). Your comments may be sent as soon as possible, but no later than **5:00 p.m. on June 16, 2023**. All comments must be submitted in writing or via electronic mail to the addresses provided below. Please refer to this project by the file/index number listed above. If you have no comment, no reply is necessary. The comment period during which the City will receive comments on the Mitigated Negative Declaration is:

Starting Date: May 17, 2023 Ending Date: June 15, 2023

<u>PUBLIC HEARING:</u> The City of Highland Planning Commission will make a decision regarding this project and the associated Mitigated Negative Declaration at a future date that has not yet been determined. Notices advertising public hearing dates will be provided separately. Please contact Ash Syed, per the contact information below, if you are not currently on the project distribution list and wish to be notified of future hearing dates.

RESPONSES AND COMMENTS: Please send your written comments to:

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Highland, California 92346
909.864.6861 Ext. 210
909.862.3180 (Fax)
asyed@cityofhighland.org

<u>DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY:</u> Copies of the project plans and the associated Mitigated Negative Declaration are available for public review on the City's website at https://www.cityofhighland.org/209/Public-Notices, and at the following locations:

- Highland City Hall, Community Development Department, 27215 Base Line, Highland, CA 92346
- Highland Sam J. Racadio Library, 7863 Central Ave, Highland, CA 92346

If you require additional information, please contact Ash Syed at (909) 864-6861 Extension 210.

Commented [PA1]: Ash, please fill in the correct time and date