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Project Title

Downtown Montebello Specific Plan

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NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

TO: Los Angeles County Clerk

Environmental Filings

12400 Imperial Hwy., Rm. 2001

Norwalk, CA 90650

FROM: City of Montebello

Planning and Community Development Department

1600 West Beverly Boulevard Montebello, California, 90640

☑ Office of Planning and Research

P.O. Box 3044

Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in Compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of

the Public Resources Code

State Clearinghouse Number: 2023050665

Project Title: Downtown Montebello Specific Plan

Project Applicant: City of Montebello

Case Nos. PC-2024-0006-SP

Contact Person: Joseph Palombi, Director of Planning and Community Development

Telephone Number: (323) 887-1200 ext. 1598

Project Location (include county): Montebello, Los Angeles County, California

Project Description: The Downtown Montebello Specific Plan establishes rules, regulations, and standards for implementation of the community-driven vision as it permits future development occurring within the Downtown Montebello Specific Plan Area. The Downtown Montebello Specific Plan is a component of the General Plan Update. The Specific Plan focuses on Downtown Montebello, which is generally bounded by Greenwood Avenue on the west, Los Angeles Avenue on the south, the Rio Hondo Channel on the east, and Cleveland Avenue on the north. The boundaries of the Downtown Montebello Specific Plan area are shown with the red line on the "Project Area" map shown in Attachment A. The Downtown Montebello Specific Plan proposes a vibrant core that promotes walkability and distinctive areas for gathering and events with people friendly streetscape areas and related amenities. The Downtown Montebello Specific Plan is an integrated plan that implements the community driven vision, direction, and policy guidance set in the Montebello General Plan Update. These documents are intended to enhance the public rightof-way through selective market supported infill development that includes, among other things, two- and three-story buildings that will augment the character and quality of the street as well as activate the street, giving new energy to the area through unique, local, and high-quality experience-based retail opportunities.

Notice of Determination Downtown Montebello Specific Plan April 24, 2024

As analyzed in the Environmental Impact Report ("EIR") prepared for the Montebello General Plan Update and Downtown Montebello Specific Plan (the "Project"), the actions associated with the Project include, among other things, adoption of Resolution No. 24-21, adoption of Resolution No. 24-22, and the approval of Ordinance No. 2474 to allow implementation of the General Plan Update and Downtown Montebello Specific Plan.

This is to advise that the City of Montebello (⊠ Lead Agency or □ Responsible Agency) City Council, during its second reading, approved the Downtown Montebello Specific Plan on **April 24**, **2024**, pursuant to its adoption of Ordinance No. 2474, and has made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

- 1. The project [☒ will ☐ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2.

 An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
 - ☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
- 4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for the project.
- 5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
- 6. Findings [☑ were □ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the Final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval is available to the general public at: City of Montebello Planning and Community Development Department, 1600 West Beverly Boulevard, Montebello, CA 90640.

Signature (Public Agency):

Joseph Palombi, Director of Planning and Community Development

City of Montebello

Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference: Sections 21000-21174, Public Resources Code.

Attachment A: Project Area

