## 2. Environmental Determination

## 2.1 Environmental Factors Potentially Affected

The environmental factors checked below would be potentially affected by this project, involving at least one impact that is a "Potentially Significant Impact" and requiring implementation of mitigation as indicated by the checklist on the following pages.

Aes	sthetics	Agriculture & Forestry Resources	Air Quality
⊠ Bio	logical Resources	Cultural Resources	Geology/Soils
Gre	enhouse Gas Emissions	Hazards & Hazardous Materials	Hydrology/Water Quality
Lan	d Use/Planning	Mineral Resources	Noise
Pop	oulation/Housing	Public Services	Recreation
∑ Tra	nsportation/Traffic	Tribal Cultural Resources	Utilities/Service Systems
Mandatory Findings of Significance			
2.2 Environmental Determination			
On the basis of this initial evaluation:			
	I find that the Proposed Project COULD NOT have a significant effect on the environment, and a <b>NEGATIVE DECLARATION</b> will be prepared.		
	I find that although the Proposed Project could have a significant effect on the environment, there will not be a significant effect in this case because revisions in the project have been made by or agreed to by the project proponent. A <b>MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION</b> will be prepared.		
	I find that the Proposed Project MAY have a significant effect on the environment, and an <b>ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT</b> is required.		
	I find that the Proposed Project may have a "potentially significant impact" or "potentially significant unless mitigated" impact on the environment, but at least one effect (1) has been adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and (2) has been addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis as described on attached sheets. An ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required, but it must analyze only the effects that remain to be addressed.		
	I find that although the Proposed Project could have a significant effect on the environment, because all potentially significant effects (a) have been analyzed adequately in an earlier EIR pursuant to applicable standards, and (b) have been avoided or mitigated pursuant to that earlier EIR, including revisions or mitigation measures that are imposed upon the Proposed Project, nothing further is required.		
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