Notice of Determination

Appendix D

To:

☒ Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation
State Clearinghouse CEQAnet
Online submittal to
https://ceqanet.lci.ca.gov/

☒ County Clerk
County of: Contra Costa County
Address: 555 Escobar Street
Martinez, CA 94553

From:

Public Agency: City of El Cerrito
Address: 10890 San Pablo Avenue
El Cerrito, CA 94530
Contact: Sean Moss, Planning Manager
Phone: 510-215-4359

Lead Agency: (If different from above):
Address:
Phone:
Contact:

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 1999022058

Project Title: General Plan Safety Element: Addendum To The City Of El Cerrito General Plan EIR

Project Applicant: City of El Cerrito

Project Location: City of El Cerrito, Contra Costa County

Project Description:

The Safety Element update follows the requirements of Section 65302(g) of the California Government Code, which mandates that a Safety Element contain background information and policies to address multiple natural hazards, an analysis of vulnerabilities from climate change, policies to improve climate change resilience, and an assessment of residential areas with evacuation constraints. The Safety Element update covers the following safety issues: seismic and geologic hazards, hazardous waste and materials, flood and inundation hazards, fire hazards, extreme heat and severe weather, drought, human health hazards, and emergency preparedness and response. The Safety Element update is a programmatic document, which provides strategies to address public safety and resilience issues and would not result in an increase in development capacity in the City. The project includes an Addendum to the City of El Cerrito General Plan EIR (State Clearinghouse Number 1999022058) for the adopted Environmental Impact Report for the City of El Cerrito General Plan Update.

This is to advise that the City of El Cerrito has approved the above-described project on December 2, 2025.
(☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency) (date)

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 Mitigated 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 this 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 Addendum to the City Of El Cerrito General Plan EIR and record of project approval, is available to the General Public at: City of El Cerrito, 10890 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito, CA 94530

Signature (Public Agency): DocuSigned by: 00F2BACC21944D4... Title: Planning Manager

Date: 12/3/2025 Date Received for filing at LCI:

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

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