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SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT AN INITIAL STUDY / MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

STATE STREET WIDENING PROJECT

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines, the San Bernardino County Department of Public Works (County) Staff prepared a Draft Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) that identifies and evaluates the environmental impacts of the proposed State Street Widening Project (Project).

Project Title: State Street Widening Project

Project No.: H15233

Project Location: The Project location is approximately .61-mile stretch along State Street from the intersection of Adams Street to the intersection of Darby Street in the Muscoy Area, San Bernardino County. The approximate GPS coordinates of the Project site are 34.141519 N 117.335506 W which is approximately the center of the Project location.

Project Description: The San Bernardino County Department of Public Works (County) proposes to widen the west side of State Street between Adams Street and Darby Street. The work would construct a new curb and gutter, driveways, ADA ramps, streetlights, painted traffic striping and traffic signs (Project). The Project length is approximately 0.61 miles. The County's proposed Project is designed to conform with the General Plan Transportation & Mobility Element Policy Maps. In order to minimize right-of-way take and encroachment into typical residential structure setback requirements, the work involves widening of the roadway west of its existing centerline to accommodate improvements. Provisions for the inclusion of Americans with Disabilities Act compliant curb ramps, curb and gutter and street lighting are also addressed. Anticipated maximum excavation depth for most work is 18-inches. Streetlights are to be installed within the Project limits at standard spacing for residential streetlighting is 200-foot on-center. The maximum excavation depth for this work will be 48".

The Project is currently scheduled for construction in 2027.

Environmental Review and Public Comment: The circulation of the IS/MND is to encourage written public comments. Interested persons can review the Draft IS/MND on the County project website: https://dpw.sbcounty.gov/#notices or at the following physical location:

San Bernardino County Department of Public Works, Environmental Management Division 825 E, Third Street, Rm. 123 San Bernardino, CA 92415-0835

You may also view and obtain the document in an electronic format at https://dpw.sbcounty.gov/#notices or by emailing the Planner at patrick.egle@dpw.sbcounty.gov.

To request a PDF version of the document from the County's database, please reference the project number above. The comment period on the IS/MND is July 11, 2025, through August 11, 2025, no later than 5:00 PM close of business.

Please submit comments to patrick.egle@dpw.sbcounty.gov or to:

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