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CITY OF LOS ANGELES
CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT
NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

(California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15094)

Public Resources Code Section 21152(a) requires local agencies to submit this information to the County Clerk. Guideline 15094(c) requires submittal of this notice to the State LCI if the project requires discretionary approval from a state agency. (State LCI, 1400 Tenth St, Rm 113 Sacramento, CA 95814). The filing of the notice starts a 30-day statute of limitations on court challenges to the approval of the project pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21167. Failure to file the notice results in the statute of limitations being extended to 180 days.

LEAD CITY AGENCY AND ADDRESS (Bldg, Street, City, State)	COUNCIL DISTRICT
Los Angeles Department of City Planning, 200 N. Spring Street, Room 701, Los Angeles, CA 90012	Citywide

PROJECT TITLE (INCLUDING ITS COMMON NAME, IF ANY)	CASE NO.
Oil and Gas Drilling Ordinance (Oil Ordinance)	CPC-2025-2884-CA; CF 17-0447-S2; ENV-2025-2885-MND

PROJECT APPLICANT

City of Los Angeles

PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION

The Project is a proposed Oil and Gas Drilling Ordinance (Oil Ordinance, Ordinance or Project) amending Sections 12.03, 12.20, 12.23, 12.24, and 13.01 of Chapter I of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) and Sections 1.4.7, 5D.9.7, 8.2.4, 12.1.2, 12.5.4, 13B.2.2, and Division 14.3 of Chapter 1A of the LAMC to prohibit new oil and gas extraction and make existing extraction activities a nonconforming use in all zones within the City of Los Angeles (City). Specifically, the Ordinance amends the LAMC to eliminate the provisions that allow for the creation of new "O" Oil Drilling Supplemental Use Districts; end by-right oil and gas extraction in the M3-Heavy Industrial Zones (including in any Industrial Use District of Chapter 1A of the LAMC); and declare existing oil and gas extraction within the City a nonconforming use. Upon being deemed nonconforming, these uses will be subject to limitations, including: 1) No new Oil Well for the production of oil, gas, or other hydrocarbon substances may be drilled. 2) No existing Oil Well for the production of oil, gas, or other hydrocarbon substances shall be maintained, drilled, re-drilled, or deepened. 3) The Oil Well site and its operations and equipment shall not be expanded or extended in any way, or intensified such that prohibited Oil Well activity under 1 and 2 above, or new permanent or temporary Oil Well site equipment are introduced beyond the limits of what was originally permitted. The Ordinance permits otherwise prohibited activities, equipment, or changes to operations through a separate zoning process to cease a threat to public health, safety, or the environment. The Ordinance exempts from its requirements wells that are operated by a public utility that is regulated by the California Public Utilities Commission. Twenty years from the effective date of the Ordinance, all nonconforming, non-exempt oil and gas extraction uses will be required to cease operations and terminate, unless required to do so earlier due to idle status and/or inactivity.

NAME OF PERSON OR AGENCY CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT IF OTHER THAN LEAD AGENCY

Lilian Rubio	STATE CLEARING HOUSE NUMBER 2025111140	TELEPHONE NUMBER (213) 978-1840

This is to advise that on October 29, 2026 the City of Los Angeles' decision to approve the above described project became final, and the following determinations were made:

SIGNIFICANT EFFECT	☐ Project **will** have a significant effect on the environment. ☒ Project **will not** have a significant effect on the environment.
MITIGATION MEASURES	☒ Mitigation measures **were** made a condition of project approval. ☐ Mitigation measures **were not** made a condition of project approval.
MITIGATION REPORTING / MONITORING	☒ A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan **was** adopted for the project. ☐ A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan **was not** adopted for the project.
OVERRIDING CONSIDERATION	☐ Statement of Overriding Considerations **was** adopted. ☐ Statement of Overriding Considerations **was not** adopted. ☒ Statement of Overriding Considerations **was not** required.
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT	☐ An Environmental Impact Report **was** prepared and certified and findings **were** made for project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. The final Environmental Impact Report with comments and responses and record of project approval may be examined at the Department of City Planning. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report **was not** prepared for the project.
NEGATIVE DECLARATION	☒ A Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration **was** prepared for the project and may be examined at the Department of City Planning. ☐ A Negative Declaration or Mitigated Negative Declaration **was not** prepared for the project.
SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT	☐ A Sustainable Communities Environmental Assessment **was** prepared for the project and may be examined at the Department of City Planning. ☒ A Sustainable Communities Environmental Assessment **was not** prepared for the project.

SIGNATURE (Lead Agency)	TITLE	DATE OF PREPARATION
Lilian Rubio	City Planner	11/3/2026
SIGNATURE (Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation if applicable)	TITLE	DATE

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