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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Patterson High School Upgrades Project

Lead Agency: Patterson Unified School District

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Project Location: Patterson (*City*) Stanislaus (*County*)

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The proposed project includes the new construction of a theater, a two-story classroom, and a new gym at the Patterson High School in Patterson, California.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

CULTURAL RESOURCES: Trenching and other ground-disturbing activities have the potential to expose or disturb buried unknown archeological artifacts or human remains, which could have a potentially significant impact. This is considered a less than significant with mitigation incorporated if a qualified archaeologist and a culturally affiliated Native American with knowledge of cultural resources (as recommended by the NAHC) is responsible for monitoring all ground-disturbing activities associated with theProject.

HYDROLOGY / WATER QUALITY: The proposed project would disturb a significant area during the course of the project, including removing and replacing the football field and repaving surfaces. This could contribute sediment and other pollutants to stormwater runoff, generating a potentially significant impact. The addition of new impermeable structures would result in an increase of stormwater runoff. Preparing and implementing a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan approved of by the Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) will reduce these impacts to less than significant with mitigation incorporated.

MANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE: Without mitigation, the proposed project has the potential (although unlikely) to have short-term significant impacts on cultural resources, hydrology/water quality, and Hazards and Hazardous Materials. Mitigation measures have been developed to address these concerns. Implementation of these measures will reduce potential short-term impacts to less than significant with mitigation incorporated.

These mitigation measures are pending approval of the Preliminary Environmental Assessment report by the DTSC.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

The approval of the project is pending the approval of the Preliminary Environmental Assessment by the Department of Toxic Substances Control.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

California Department of Education (CDE)
Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC)
California Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB)