



COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO  
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA) / NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT  
AN INITIAL STUDY / MITIATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION  
IRON AGE MINE

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines, County Staff prepared a Draft Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) that identify and evaluate the environmental impacts of the Iron Age Mine project.

**Project Title:** Iron Age Mine

**Project No.:** PROJ-2021-00009

**Project Location:** 18 miles east/southeast of the City of Twentynine Palms

**Project Description:** Iron Age Mine, LLC has submitted a Mining and Reclamation Plan to remove historical iron ore tailings on 71 acres of public (BLM) lands and 34 acres of patented (private) lands. The project will reclaim and revegetate 70 acres of prior disturbed land after tailings removal, and backfill 8 acres of the existing quarry.

**Environmental Review and Public Comment:** The circulation of the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration\ Initial Study is to encourage written public comments. Interested persons can review the Draft IS/MND at the following physical location:

**Land Use Services Department - Planning Division**  
**385 North Arrowhead Avenue, First Floor**  
**San Bernardino, CA 92415-0187**

You may obtain the document in electronic format at <http://cms.sbcounty.gov/lus/Planning/Environmental/Desert.aspx> or by emailing the Planner at [reuben.arceo@lus.sbcounty.gov](mailto:reuben.arceo@lus.sbcounty.gov). To request a PDF version of the document from the Land Use Services Department database, please reference the project number above.

The comment period on the IS/MND closes on **August 23, 2021 at 4:30 PM**. Please submit comments to [reuben.arceo@lus.sbcounty.gov](mailto:reuben.arceo@lus.sbcounty.gov) or to:

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