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SCH #: 2021070468

Project Title: 2022 Climate Change Scoping Plan for Achieving Carbon Neutrality

Lead Agency: California Air Resources Board

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Project Location: Statewide

City *County*

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

Approval of the 2022 Scoping Plan, developed by the California Air Resources Board (CARB), would achieve carbon neutrality by 2045 through a substantial reduction in fossil fuel dependence, while at the same time increasing deployment of efficient non-combustion technologies and distribution of clean energy. The plan would also reduce emissions of short-lived climate pollutants (SLCPs) and includes mechanical carbon dioxide (CO2) removal and carbon capture and sequestration actions, as well as natural working lands management and nature-based strategies. CARB prepared a Draft EA under the requirements of its certified regulatory program to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act. The Draft EA assesses the potential for significant adverse and beneficial environmental impacts associated with reasonably foreseeable actions taken in response to implementation of the 2022 Scoping Plan.

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

See attached Draft Environmental Analysis.

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

N/A

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

N/A