



NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT AN INITIAL STUDY AND NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE PLEASANTON CLIMATE ACTION PLAN 2.0

The City of Pleasanton has prepared a Draft Initial Study and Negative Declaration (IS-ND) for the Pleasanton Climate Action Plan (CAP) 2.0, as described below, and is requesting comments on the Draft IS-ND. The Draft IS-ND addresses the potential physical environmental effects of implementation of the CAP 2.0 in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

The City of Pleasanton is the Lead Agency for the proposed plan. This notice is being sent to the State Clearinghouse, Alameda County Clerk, and other interested agencies and parties. No responsible agencies, trustee agencies, or public agencies besides the City of Pleasanton that also have a role in approving or carrying out the CAP 2.0 have been identified.

PLAN TITLE: Pleasanton Climate Action Plan 2.0

PLAN LOCATION: The Pleasanton CAP 2.0 applies to all areas and plans/projects within the City of Pleasanton limits. The plan location includes all of Pleasanton's incorporated lands.

DESCRIPTION OF PLAN: The City of Pleasanton is preparing the CAP 2.0 as an update to the City's 2012 CAP. The CAP 2.0 includes strategies and supportive actions addressing communitywide GHG emissions. The City is committed to a 4.11 MT of CO₂e per capita GHG emissions reduction target (i.e., 70 percent below 1990 levels) by 2030. This 2030 GHG emissions goal was selected to be consistent with California Senate Bill 32 State emissions targets, CEQA, and the Bay Area Air Quality Management District guidelines for a qualified GHG emissions reduction strategy, and to be achievable by City-supported actions identified in the CAP 2.0. To achieve the Pleasanton 2030 GHG emissions target, the City has developed 25 CAP actions related to buildings and energy, transportation and land use, materials and consumption, natural systems, water resources, and community resilience and wellbeing.

SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS: As discussed in the Draft IS-ND, the CAP 2.0 was found to result in no significant environmental effect or a less-than-significant environmental effect with regard to all CEQA Guidelines Appendix G environmental topics. No mitigation measures are required.

DRAFT IS-ND REVIEW PERIOD: The City is soliciting comments on the Draft IS-ND from **November 19, 2021** through **December 20, 2021**. Pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15074, the City of Pleasanton will consider the IS-ND together with any comments received during the public review process. Comments on the Draft IS-ND and any questions or comments should be directed via email or in writing to:

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Comments on the Draft IS-ND must be received **on or before December 20, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.**

COPIES OF THE DRAFT IS-ND: The Draft IS-ND is available for review online on the City's website: <https://www.cityofpleasantonca.gov/gov/depts/os/env/cap/default.asp>. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, hard copies will be mailed upon request rather than accessible to the public at a physical location. If you need a hardcopy of the IS-ND or the documents referenced therein, please contact Megan Campbell at mcampbell@cityofpleasantonca.gov or (925) 931-5610.

PUBLIC HEARING: The Pleasanton City Council is anticipated to consider the IS-ND and make a decision on the CAP 2.0 during a future regularly scheduled meeting to be noticed to the public. Interested attendees should visit the City Council webpage to confirm the meeting date, time, agenda, and logistics: <http://www.cityofpleasantonca.gov/gov/council/meetings.asp>.



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