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# County of Fresno

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND PLANNING  
STEVEN E. WHITE, DIRECTOR

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

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For County Clerk's Stamp

Notice is hereby given that the County of Fresno has prepared Initial Study Application (IS) No. 8111 pursuant to the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act for the following proposed project:

**INITIAL STUDY NO. 8111 for CLASSIFIED CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION NO. 3717** filed by **KEN AND SUSAN BLAIR**, proposing to amend CUP No. 2402 to add micro-brewery and tasting room as a new use to the uses currently allowed for an existing Agriculture Commercial Center on a 1.87-acre parcel in the AE-20 (Exclusive Agriculture; 20-acre minimum parcel size) Zone District. The project site is located on the east side of N. Academy Avenue, approximately 217 feet north of the intersection of Academy and Shaw Avenues, and 3.9 miles east of the nearest city limits of the City of Clovis (5054 N. Academy Avenue) (APN: 308-400-19) (Sup. Dist. 5). Adopt the Negative Declaration prepared for Initial Study No. 8111 and take action on Classified Conditional Use Permit Application No. 3717 with Findings and Conditions.

(hereafter, the "Proposed Project")

The County of Fresno has determined that it is appropriate to adopt a Negative Declaration for the Proposed Project. The purpose of this Notice is to (1) provide notice of the availability of IS Application No. 8111 and the draft Negative Declaration and request written comments thereon; and (2) provide notice of the public hearing regarding the Proposed Project.

### Public Comment Period

The County of Fresno will receive written comments on the Proposed Project and Negative Declaration from December 8, 2021 through January 7, 2022.

Email written comments to [eahmad@co.fresno.ca.us](mailto:eahmad@co.fresno.ca.us), or mail comments to:

Fresno County Department of Public Works and Planning  
Development Services and Capital Projects Division  
Attn: Ejaz Ahmad  
2220 Tulare Street, Suite A  
Fresno, CA 93721

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IS Application No. 8111 and the draft Negative Declaration may be viewed at the above address Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (except holidays). An electronic copy of the draft Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Proposed Project may be obtained from Ejaz Ahmad at the addresses above.

**PROGRAM ACCESSIBILITY AND ACCOMMODATIONS:** The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Title II covers the programs, services, activities and facilities owned or operated by state and local governments like the County of Fresno ("County"). Further, the County promotes equality of opportunity and full participation by all persons, including persons with disabilities. Towards this end, the County works to ensure that it provides meaningful access to people with disabilities to every program, service, benefit, and activity, when viewed in its entirety. Similarly, the County also works to ensure that its operated or owned facilities that are open to the public provide meaningful access to people with disabilities.

To help ensure this meaningful access, the County will reasonably modify policies/ procedures and provide auxiliary aids/services to persons with disabilities. If, as an attendee or participant at the meeting, you need additional accommodations such as an American Sign Language (ASL) interpreter, an assistive listening device, large print material, electronic materials, Braille materials, or taped materials, please contact the Current Planning staff as soon as possible during office hours at (559) 600-4497 or at [imoreno@fresnocountyca.gov](mailto:imoreno@fresnocountyca.gov). Reasonable requests made at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting will help to ensure accessibility to this meeting. Later requests will be accommodated to the extent reasonably feasible.

### **Public Hearing**

The Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider approving the Proposed Project and the Negative Declaration on January 13, 2022 at 8:45 a.m., or as soon thereafter as possible, in Room 301, Hall of Records, 2281 Tulare Street, Fresno, California 93721. Interested persons are invited to appear at the hearing and comment on the Proposed Project and draft Negative Declaration.

For questions, please call Ejaz Ahmad at (559) 600-4204

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