NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Notice is hereby given that the public agency named below has completed an Initial Study of the following described project at the following location: Southeast corner of Bear Valley Road and Amethyst Road APN No. 3072-211-13, 3072-211-14, 3072-211-15, & 3072-211-16	
Public Agency/Lead Agency:	City of Victorville Planning Division; PO Box 5001; Victorville, California 92393-5001.
Project Name:	Site Plan Case No. PLAN21-00032 (Amethyst Crossing).
Project Description:	A Site Plan to allow for the construction of a 98,000-square foot commercial shopping center on a 11.2-acre project site that includes seven commercial structures for retail, restaurant, and office uses as well as associated public improvements.
Project Location:	Southeast corner of Bear Valley Road and Amethyst Road; APN: 3072-211-13, 3072-211-14, 3072-211-15, & 3072-211-16; Within the City of Victorville, County of San Bernardino, State of California, San Bernardino Meridian, Section 1, Township 4N, Range 5W.
This Initial Study was completed in accordance with the Lead Agency's Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). This Initial Study was undertaken for the purpose of deciding whether the project may have a significant effect on the environment. On the basis of such Initial Study, the Lead Agency's Staff has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, and has therefore prepared a Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration. The Initial Study reflects the independent judgment of the Lead Agency.	
Copies of the Initial Study, Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration, and all referenced documents are on file and are available for public review at the Lead Agency's office, located at: 14343 Civic Dr., Victorville, CA 92392. These documents are also available for download and viewing on the City's website at: https://www.victorvilleca.gov/government/city-departments/development/planning/environmental-review-notices	
Comments will be received during public review period from December 24, 2021 to January 22, 2022	
Any person wishing to comment on this matter must submit such comments, in writing, to the Lead Agency by January 22, 2022. Comments of all Responsible Agencies and Trustee are also requested.	
The City of Victorville, acting as the Lead Agency under CEQA, will consider the project and the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration at its Planning Commission meeting on: February 9, 2022 at 5:00 PM	
Planning Commission meetings are held with the City Council Chambers, located at: 14343 Civic Dr. Victorville, CA 92392. Participating and viewing the meeting via Zoom or YouTube is also available at www.victorvilleca.gov/government/agendas.	
☐ The Project s	site IS on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.
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	ed project WILL affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State of Transportation.
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A scoping meeting WILL be held by the Lead Agency.	
A scoping meeting WILL NOT be held by the Lead Agency.	
If the project meets the criteria requiring the scoping meeting, or if the agency voluntarily elects to hold such a meeting, the date, time and location of the scoping meeting are as follows:	
Date: N/A	Time: N/A Location: NA
If the Lead Agency finds that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, it may adopt the Negative Declaration/Mitigated Negative Declaration. This means that the Lead Agency may proceed to consider the project without the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report.	