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# County of Fresno

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

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

**FILED**  
FEB 18 2022 TIME 9:30am

FRESNO COUNTY CLERK  
By *Jessica Munoz*  
For County Clerk's DEPUTY  
Jessica Munoz

Notice is hereby given that the County of Fresno has prepared Initial Study (IS) No. 8142 pursuant to the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act for the following proposed project:

**INITIAL STUDY NO. 8142 and CLASSIFIED CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION NO. 3722** filed by **FRANK RODRIGUEZ**, proposing to amend Classified Conditional Use Permit Application No. 3404 to allow expansion of a commercial nut processing operation on a 19.72-acre parcel in the AE-20 (Exclusive Agricultural, 20-acre minimum parcel size) Zone District. The project site is located on the east side of N. Siskiyou Avenue approximately 870 feet north of its intersection with W. Olive Avenue and is located approximately 1.4 miles north of the city limits of the City of Kerman (1750 N. Siskiyou Avenue) (APN 015-315-25S) (SUP. DIST. 1). Adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration prepared for Initial Study No. 8142, and take action on Classified Conditional Use Permit Application No. 3722 with Findings and Conditions.

(hereafter, the "Proposed Project")

The County of Fresno has determined that it is appropriate to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Proposed Project. The purpose of this Notice is to (1) provide notice of the availability of IS No. 8142 and the draft Mitigated 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 Mitigated Negative Declaration from February 18, 2022 through March 18, 2022.

Email written comments to [TKobayashi@FresnoCountyCA.gov](mailto:TKobayashi@FresnoCountyCA.gov), or mail comments to:

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

IS No. 8142 and the draft Mitigated 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), or at [www.co.fresno.ca.us/initialstudies](http://www.co.fresno.ca.us/initialstudies). An electronic copy of the draft Mitigated

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Negative Declaration for the Proposed Project may be obtained from Thomas Kobayashi at the addresses above.

**Public Hearing**

The Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider approving the Proposed Project and the Mitigated Negative Declaration on March 24, 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 Mitigated Negative Declaration.

For questions please call Thomas Kobayashi (559) 600-4224.

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