

**TOWN OF PARADISE**

Date: April 13, 2022

**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Negative Declaration/Initial Study for the Paradise Housing Element & Safety Element Update Projects**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Planning Director that a public hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Town Hall Council Chambers, 5555 Skyway, Paradise, California, regarding the following project:

- Lead Agency:** Town of Paradise  
5555 Skyway  
Paradise, CA 95969
- Project Title:** **Town of Paradise Housing Element Update**
- Project Location:** The Town of Paradise is located in north central Butte County where the western slopes of the Cascade and Sierra Nevada ranges meet. The topography in the area is composed of mostly steeper canyons from the major drainages. The Town is situated at an elevation of between 1,500 and 2,200 feet.
- Project Description:** The Town of Paradise Housing Element update would revise the Town's Housing Element consistent with the requirements of state law.
- Findings/Determination:** The Town has reviewed and considered the proposed project and has determined that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, with substantial supporting evidence provided in the Initial Study. The Town hereby prepares and proposes to adopt a Negative Declaration for this project.
- Public Review Period:** A 30-day public review period for the Negative Declaration/ Initial Study, which covers both the Housing Element & Safety Element updates, commenced on April 15, 2022 and will end on May 15, 2022 for interested individuals and public agencies to submit written comments on the document. Written comments on the Initial Study/ Negative Declaration should be sent to the attention of Susan Hartman, Community Development Director and must be received at 5555 Skyway, Paradise, CA 95969 by 12:00 PM on May 16, 2022. Copies of the Negative Declaration/Initial Study and the draft Town of Paradise Housing Element Update are available for review at the Town of Paradise Building Resiliency Center at 6295 Skyway, Paradise, CA 95969 or online at [www.townofparadise.com/planning/page/housing-element-2022](http://www.townofparadise.com/planning/page/housing-element-2022).