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## NOTICE OF CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION

Sonoma County Permit and Resource Management Department

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Sonoma County proposes to carry out the following project. Pursuant to Section 23A of the Sonoma County Code, it has been determined that this project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA):

**Project Title:** Existing Recycling Facility;  
File No. ADR22-0018

**Public Agency:** Sonoma County

**Project Applicant:** Christine Borghei –  
Recology Sonoma Marin

**Applicant Address:** 3417 Standish Avenue,  
Santa Rosa, CA, 95407

**Project Location:** 3417 Standish Avenue, Santa  
Rosa, CA, 95407

**Date of Approval:** August 17, 2022

To:

County Clerk- Recorder Office Office of Planning and  
County of Sonoma Research

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Santa Rosa, CA 95403

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### DESCRIPTION OF NATURE, PURPOSE AND BENEFICIARIES OF THE PROJECT:

The proposed project is request for an Administrative Design Review permit for the modernization and minor reconfiguration of an existing recycling processing facility on APN: 134-102-057, a 7.53-acre site zoned Heavy Industrial (M2), Valley Oak Habitat (VOH). The permit allows the removal and replacement of existing processing equipment with an updated system in a new configuration located within the existing building footprint. The permit also allows the following site improvements and new construction: North Loading Dock/Canopy Addition (7,135 ft<sup>2</sup>); West Loading Dock/Canopy Addition (5,523 ft<sup>2</sup>); Canopy C (6,972 ft<sup>2</sup>); and the removal/replacement of a Truck Scale House (60 ft<sup>2</sup>); which will result in an overall lot coverage of 31.0%.

### EXEMPT STATUS:

Categorical Exemptions Section 15301(a) for Existing Facilities

### REASON WHY THIS PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

The proposed project is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to the Provisions of Title 14 of the California Administrative Code, Section 15301 (Existing Facilities) because it is an existing permitted recycling and processing facility, the proposed uses will comply with the Conditions of Approval for the existing site Use Permit (UPE03-0090), and the project will reduce Vehicle Miles Traveled by eliminating the need to deliver material to third-party processors while providing a adequate capacity to meet current and future customer volumes and obligations.

No exceptions listed under Section 15300.2 apply. There is no reasonable possibility that the project would have a significant effect on the environment.

This Notice of Exemption is filed pursuant to the provisions of Section 15062 of the State CEQA Guidelines.

### Lead Agency Contact Person:

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Deva Marie Proto, County Clerk

BY: Handwritten signature of Julianna Garfia.  
Julianna Garfia, Deputy Clerk

