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Project Title: Comprehensive Plastics Reduction Program

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Project Location: City of Los Angeles/Los Angeles County

City

County

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The City seeks to implement a city-wide Comprehensive Plastics Reduction Program, which would involve measures to reduce or eliminate the production and use of single-use plastic products and encourage the reuse of other items to the extent feasible, thereby reducing or eliminating the input of single-use plastics into the City's waste stream and the environment ("upstream" measures). These upstream measures may include bans on specific single-use products; extended producer responsibility programs; policies to require and/or support manufacturing of durable, reusable, repairable, and recyclable products; and conducting additional studies. The Program also includes elements to increase the City's ability to collect, reuse, recycle, and compost alternative materials to single-use plastics and support reusable products ("downstream" measures). These downstream measures may include the construction or expansion of recycling and composting facilities; regional market development to expand the City's ability to recycle and reuse currently unmarketable single-use items; and infrastructure and facilities to support the collection and use of reusable items. The Proposed Program would also include public education, outreach, and engagement, as well as enforcement.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The Draft PEIR identified potentially significant impacts of proposed downstream measures that could be reduced to a less than significant level with adoption of proposed mitigation measures for Aesthetics, Agriculture and Forestry, Air Quality, Geology and Soils, Hydrology and Water Quality, and Utilities and Service Systems. The Draft PEIR identified potentially significant and unavoidable impacts of the proposed downstream measures to Biological Resources, Cultural Resources, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, Noise, Transportation, Tribal Cultural Resources, and Wildfire. No potentially significant and unavoidable impacts were identified for the proposed upstream measures.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

No known areas of controversy. Issues raised during scoping included general support for the project or general opposition for the project.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

None