



## Corona-Norco Unified School District

### Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration

**To:** Agencies, Organizations, and Interested Parties  
**From:** Corona-Norco Unified School District  
**Subject:** Notice of Intent to Adopt an Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the Centennial High School Aquatic Center

The Corona-Norco Unified School District (“District”) is the Lead Agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) for the proposed project identified below. The District has prepared an Initial Study to determine the environmental effects of the proposed project and finds issuance of a Mitigated Negative Declaration is the appropriate level of CEQA environmental review.

**AGENCIES:** The District requests that your agency review the scope and content of the environmental information relevant to your agency’s statutory responsibilities in connection with the proposed project, in accordance with California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15086(a).

**ORGANIZATIONS AND INTERESTED PARTIES:** The District requests your comments and concerns regarding the environmental issues associated with the proposed project.

**Project Title:** Centennial High School Aquatic Center

**Project Description:** The District is processing a request to implement a series of discretionary actions that would ultimately allow for the renovation of the existing Aquatic Center on the campus of Centennial High School. The project proposes to: demolish the existing swimming pool and one building (equipment room and lockers); build a new Olympic-size pool and two new buildings: (1) locker rooms offices, restrooms, and equipment; and (2) concessions and restrooms), and covered bleachers with 281-seat capacity; install pool lights on four poles; and reconfigure the drop-off area north of the proposed aquatic center.

**Project Location:** Centennial High School, 1820 Rimpau Avenue, Corona, California

**Significant Environmental Effects:** The IS/MND concludes that no significant unavoidable environmental effects would occur as a result of the proposed project. Potentially significant impacts related to biological resources, cultural resources, geology and soils, noise, tribal cultural resources, and mandatory findings of significance would be mitigated to a less than significant level.

**Public Review Period/Responses and Comments:** The IS/MND will be available for public review and comment pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15087. The District will accept responses and comments for 30 days, starting on **October 27, 2023** and ending **November 30, 2023**. All comments must be submitted in writing, either in a letter or email. Please indicate a contact person for your agency or organization and send your responses or comments to:

Corona-Norco Unified School District  
Attn: Jacquelyn Roberts, Construction Director – Facilities Division  
2820 Clark Avenue  
Norco, CA 92860  
Email: Jacquelyn.Roberts@cnusd.k12.ca.us

**DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY:** This IS/MND and associated materials are available for review during regular business hours at the following location:

Corona Public Library  
650 S Main St  
Corona, CA 92882

The document is available online on the District’s website at: [https://cnusd-my.sharepoint.com/personal/jacquelyn\\_roberts\\_cnusd\\_k12\\_ca\\_us/\\_layouts/15/onedrive.aspx?id=%2Fpersonal%2Fjacquelyn%5Froberts%5Fcnusd%5Fk12%5Fca%5Fus%2FDocuments%2FCentennial%20HS%2FCEQA%2F7218%20Centennial%20HS%20Aquatic%20Center%5FDraft%20IS%2DMND%5FCombined%2Epdf&parent=%2Fpersonal%2Fjacquelyn%5Froberts%5Fcnusd%5Fk12%5Fca%5Fus%2FDocuments%2FCentennial%20HS%2FCEQA&ga=1](https://cnusd-my.sharepoint.com/personal/jacquelyn_roberts_cnusd_k12_ca_us/_layouts/15/onedrive.aspx?id=%2Fpersonal%2Fjacquelyn%5Froberts%5Fcnusd%5Fk12%5Fca%5Fus%2FDocuments%2FCentennial%20HS%2FCEQA%2F7218%20Centennial%20HS%20Aquatic%20Center%5FDraft%20IS%2DMND%5FCombined%2Epdf&parent=%2Fpersonal%2Fjacquelyn%5Froberts%5Fcnusd%5Fk12%5Fca%5Fus%2FDocuments%2FCentennial%20HS%2FCEQA&ga=1)