



William S. Hart Union High School District

## NOTICE OF INTENT

### TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

### WILLIAM S. HART UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT FIELD LIGHTING PROJECT

Notice is hereby given that the William S. Hart Union High School District (District), as the Lead Agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), named below has completed a Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) and Initial Study of the following described project at the following location:	
<b>Lead Agency:</b>	William S. Hart Union High School District (District)
<b>Project Name:</b>	Field Lighting Improvements at Five District Playing Fields
<b>Project Description:</b>	The District is proposing to install field lighting at the existing high schools in response to recent changes in state law (SB 328) and provide additional exterior lighting on existing practice fields to allow the use of outdoor school activities after school hours. The proposed Project consists of the addition of new field lighting on practice fields for five of the District's high schools: Golden Valley High School (GVHS), West Ranch High School (WRHS), Saugus High School (SHS), Castaic High School (CHS), and Hart High School (HHS).
<b>Project Location:</b>	The GVHS campus is located at 27051 Robert C. Lee Parkway, Santa Clarita, CA, 91350. The WRHS campus is located at 26255 Valencia Boulevard, Santa Clarita, CA, 91381. The SHS campus is located at 21900 Centurion Way, Santa Clarita, CA, 91350. The CHS campus is located at 31575 Valley Creek Road, Castaic, CA, 91384. The HHS campus is located at 24825 Newhall Avenue, Santa Clarita, CA, 91321.
The Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) and accompanying Initial Study (IS) was completed in accordance with the State CEQA Guidelines implementing the California Environmental Quality Act. On the basis of the Initial Study, the District Staff have concluded that the Project, with the incorporation of mitigation measures, will not have a significant effect on the environment, and has therefore prepared a Draft MND/IS. The MND/IS reflect the independent judgment of the Lead Agency.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	The Project site <b>IS</b> on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Project site <b>IS NOT</b> on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project site <b>IS</b> considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project site <b>IS NOT</b> considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project <b>WILL</b> affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project <b>WILL NOT</b> affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.
<input type="checkbox"/>	A scoping meeting <b>WILL</b> be held by the lead agency.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A scoping meeting <b>WILL NOT</b> be held by the lead agency.
Copies of the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study are on file and are available for public review online at <a href="https://www.hartdistrict.org/">https://www.hartdistrict.org/</a> and at the Lead Agency's office, located at 21380 Centre Pointe Parkway, Santa Clarita, CA, 91350.	
<b>Lead Agency Address:</b>	21380 Centre Pointe Parkway, Santa Clarita, CA, 91350
<b>The review period for this project starts on November 9, 2023, and ends on December 11, 2023.</b>	
<b>Comments will be received until December 11, 2023.</b>	
Any person wishing to comment on this matter must submit such comments, in writing, to the District prior to this date. Comments of all Responsible Agencies are also requested.	
The Board of Education for WSHUHSD, as the Lead Agency, will consider the Project and the Draft MND/IS at its meeting to be scheduled at a later date.	
The District, as Lead Agency, finds that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, it may adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration. This means that the Lead Agency may proceed to consider the Project without the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report.	

Date Received

for Filing:

\_\_\_\_\_ (County Clerk stamp here)

Michael Otavka, Director of Facilities, Planning and Construction  
William S. Hart Union High School District