NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

The City of Folsom proposes to adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act for the project listed below:

PROPOSED PROJECT: Folsom/Placerville Rail Trail Project

PROJECT LOCATION: The project area is located within the City of Folsom (City) in Sacramento County, California. The proposed trail alignment is approximately 1.25 miles long and is located on the east side of East Bidwell Street. The proposed trial would extend from Iron Point Road on the south to the existing Humbug-Willow Creek Trail, located approximately 0.5-mile north of Oak Avenue Parkway.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The proposed project would complete segments of Class I Trail within the existing City trail system between the Willow Creek Humbug Trail on the west to Iron Point Road on the east. The proposed project would complete segments of Class I Trail between Iron Point Road to Broadstone Parkway (approximately 0.5 miles), and from Scholar way to the north where the trail will connect with the existing Humbug-Willow Creek Trail (approximately 1.6 miles).

AVAILABILITY OF THE DOCUMENT: Copies of the Mitigated Negative Declaration are available for review at the City of Folsom Parks and Recreation Department, 50 Natoma Street, Folsom CA 95630, Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The document can also be downloaded from the City of Folsom website at https://www.folsom.ca.us.

REVIEW PERIOD: The City of Folsom is providing a 30-day public review period for the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration. The review period begins December 14, 2023, and ends at 5:00 p.m. on January 15, 2024.

COMMENTS ON THE MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION: The City of Folsom welcomes and encourages agency and public review and comment on the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration. Anyone wishing to make formal comments on the environmental document must do so in writing, by mailing comments to the address listed below, or submitting them by fax or email. The full name and physical mailing address of the agency, individual, or organization must be included in the comment. Please use the phrase "Folsom/Placerville Rail Trail Project Mitigated Negative Declaration Comment" in the subject line. Send comments by email to: bbollinger@folsom.ca.us.

Send comments by regular mail or fax to:

Brett Bollinger City of Folsom Parks and Recreation Department 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA 95630 Fax: (916) 355-7274

All written comments must be received by the City of Folsom no later than 5:00 pm on January 15, 2024.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting Brett Bollinger, Senior Trails Planner, City of Folsom at (916) 461-6207, Monday through Thursday, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

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