

Notice of Exemption

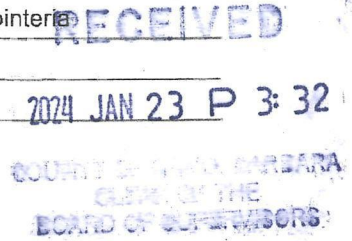
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To: Office of Planning and Research
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Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk
County of: Santa Barbara
105 East Anapamu Street
Santa Barbara, CA, 93101

From: (Public Agency): City of Carpinteria
5775 Carpinteria Avenue
Carpinteria, CA 93013

(Address)



Project Title: City of Carpinteria 2023-2031 Housing Element Update

Project Applicant: City of Carpinteria

Project Location - Specific:
City of Carpinteria

Project Location - City: Carpinteria Project Location - County: Santa Barbara

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

On January 22, 2024, the City of Carpinteria ("City") re-adopted the 2023-2031 Housing Element ("Housing Element"). It was previously adopted on April 10, 2023, but had to be revised per comments from the California Department of Housing and Community Development. The Housing Element provides a background of housing in the City and sets forth the City's "blueprint" for how it will plan to accommodate local housing needs.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Carpinteria

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Carpinteria

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14 § 15061(b)(3)
Statutory Exemptions. State code number:

Reasons why project is exempt:

Re-adoption of the Housing Element is exempt pursuant to the "common sense exemption" (Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines). Given the Housing Element's nature and scope, it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the Housing Element could have a significant effect on the environment because it does not approve any development project or other physical change to the environment. Rather, the Housing Element is a document that sets forth the City's policies to plan for the City's regional housing needs allocation. Additionally, the housing Element does not grant any development entitlements or authorize development beyond what is allowed under the City's current General Plan and Zoning Code. Approval of any subsequent zoning amendments or housing development projects in accordance with the policies set forth in the Housing Element will comply with CEQA. Based on these factors, it can be seen with certainty that the programs and policies set forth in the Housing Element would not have a significant effect on the environment. Accordingly, the Housing Element is exempt from CEQA pursuant to the common sense exemption.

Lead Agency
Contact Person: Nick Bobroff Area Code/Telephone/Extension: (805) 755-4407

If filed by applicant:

- 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: [Signature] Date: 1-23-24 Title: Community Development Director, City of Carpinteria

Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR:

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2024 CEQA Transmittal Memorandum



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Complete this form when filing a Notice of Determination (Negative Declaration, Mitigated Negative Declaration, Environmental Impact Report) or Notice of Exemption.

A scanned copy of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Receipt, Transmittal Memorandum and the CEQA filing including the date/time of posting will be emailed to the Lead Agency and Project Applicant. If you would like a return copy, please submit an extra copy along with a pre-addressed, stamped envelope.

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Project Applicant Address 5775 Carpinteria Ave.	City Carpinteria	State CA	Zip 93013

DOCUMENT BEING FILED:

- Notice of Determination - Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
 - 2024 Filing Fee\$4,051.25
 - Previously Paid (must attach receipt) \$0.00
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 - 2024 Filing Fee \$2,916.75
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- Notice of Exemption.....\$0.00

- County Administrative Handling Fee (required for all filings, effective 7/19/18)\$50.00

TOTAL: 50

PAYMENT METHOD: ALL APPLICABLE FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING

- Cash
- Credit
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- Check # _____
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In FIN send to 'COB CEQA' in CEO Dept