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Mail to: State Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 3044, Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 (916) 445-0613 SCH# For Hand Delivery/Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814 Project Title: South Coast Research and Extension Center (REC) Engagement Center Project Lead Agency: The University of California Contact Person: Emily Hyland Phone: (530) 752-9597 Mailing Address: 1111 Franklin Street City: Oakland County: Alameda Project Location: County: Orange City/Nearest Community: Irvine Cross Streets: Irvine Boulevard and Modjeska Zip Code: 92618 Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 33 ° 41 ' 24.43 " N / 117 ° 42 ' 55.68 " W Total Acres: 15.9 Assessor's Parcel No.: 591-181-01 Section: 33 Twp.: 5S Range: 8W Waterways: Marshburn Basin, Borrego Canyon Wash State Hwy #: I-5, SR-133, SR-241 Within 2 Miles: Airports: John Wayne Airport Schools: Portola Springs Elementary Railways: NA **Document Type:** CEQA: NOP Draft EIR NOI Joint Document NEPA: Other: Supplement/Subsequent EIR Early Cons EA Final Document Other: ☐ Neg Dec (Prior SCH No.) _____ Draft EIS ■ Mit Neg Dec FONSI **Local Action Type:** General Plan Update Specific Plan Rezone Annexation General Plan Amendment Master Plan Prezone Redevelopment ☐ Planned Unit Development General Plan Element Use Permit ☐ Coastal Permit ☐ Community Plan Site Plan Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)

Other: UC Design Approval **Development Type:** Residential: Units __ Acres Office: Sq.ft. _____ Acres ____ Employees___ ___ Transportation: Type Commercial:Sq.ft. Acres _____ Employees____ Mining: Mineral Industrial: Sq.ft. Acres ____ Employees Power: Type Educational: 13,750-square foot engagement center ☐ Waste Treatment: Type MGD Recreational: Hazardous Waste:Type ☐ Water Facilities: Type Other: **Project Issues Discussed in Document:** Aesthetic/Visual Fiscal ■ Recreation/Parks ■ Vegetation Agricultural Land ■ Flood Plain/Flooding ■ Schools/Universities ■ Water Quality ■ Air Quality Forest Land/Fire Hazard ■ Septic Systems ■ Water Supply/Groundwater Archeological/Historical ■ Geologic/Seismic Sewer Capacity ■ Wetland/Riparian ■ Biological Resources Minerals ■ Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading Growth Inducement Coastal Zone ■ Noise ■ Solid Waste ■ Land Use ■ Drainage/Absorption Population/Housing Balance Toxic/Hazardous ■ Cumulative Effects ■ Economic/Jobs ■ Public Services/Facilities ■ Traffic/Circulation Other: GHG/Engergy/Wildfire Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation: Not Applicable. Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary)

The proposed project would construct a new Engagement Center at the southeast corner of the South Coast REC to support existing programming. Overall, the Engagement Center would include approximately 13,750 square feet of building space, including a conference center, demonstration kitchen, classrooms, audio/video (AV) technical center, and ancillary uses. The construction of a new Engagement Center would also include a new access point at Modjeska and Still Night and internal roadway improvements to facilitate ingress/egress to the proposed development and through the South Coast

REC. In addition to these improvements, the project would protect and enhance the existing agricultural research space.

Reviewing Agencies Checklist

	Agencies may recommend State Clearinghouse distrated a have already sent your document to the agency please.			d " X ".
Х	Air Resources Board		Office of Historic Preservation	on
	Boating & Waterways, Department of		Office of Public School Cons	
	California Emergency Management Agency		Parks & Recreation, Departm	
	California Highway Patrol		Pesticide Regulation, Departs	
s	Caltrans District # 12		Public Utilities Commission	
	Caltrans Division of Aeronautics	S	— Regional WQCB # 8	
	Caltrans Planning		Resources Agency	
			Resources Recycling and Rec	covery, Department of
	-		S.F. Bay Conservation & Dev	
	Coastal Commission		San Gabriel & Lower L.A. R	•
	Colorado River Board		San Joaquin River Conservar	ncy
Х	Conservation, Department of		Santa Monica Mtns. Conserv	•
	Corrections, Department of		State Lands Commission	·
	Delta Protection Commission		SWRCB: Clean Water Grant	S
X	Education, Department of	X	SWRCB: Water Quality	
	Energy Commission		SWRCB: Water Rights	
S	Fish & Game Region # 5		Tahoe Regional Planning Ag	ency
Х	Food & Agriculture, Department of	s	Toxic Substances Control, D	epartment of
X	Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of		Water Resources, Departmen	t of
	General Services, Department of			
	Health Services, Department of		Other:	
	Housing & Community Development		Other:	
Х	Native American Heritage Commission			
	I Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead ager	F. 11	ng Date _July 8, 2025	
Lead	Agency (Complete if applicable):			
Consulting Firm: UC Davis		Applicant: UC ANR		
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Signa	ature of Lead Agency Representative: Brian Oatmar	<u> </u>	Digitally signed by Brian Oatman Date: 2024.06.06 11:56:03 -07'00'	Date: 6/6/2024

Authority cited: Section 21083, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 21161, Public Resources Code.