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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: Chino 2045 General Plan Update Lead Agency: City of Chino Contact Person: Michael Hitz Phone: 909-334-3448 Mailing Address: 13220 Central Avenue County: San Bernardino City: Chino Zip: 91710 City/Nearest Community: Chino/Citywide Project Location: County: San Bernardino Cross Streets: Citywide Zip Code: Multiple Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): _____ ° ____ ' ____ " N / " W Total Acres: _ Assessor's Parcel No.: various Section: Twp.: Range: State Hwy #: SR-60, SR-71, SR-83, SR-142 Waterways: Chino Creek, Cucamonga Creek, Santa Ana River Within 2 Miles: Railways: Union Pacific Railroad Schools: Multiple; Citywide Airports: Chino Airport **Document Type:** CEQA: NOP ☐ Draft EIR NEPA: □ NOI Other: ☐ Joint Document Early Cons Supplement/Subsequent EIR EA Final Document Neg Dec (Prior SCH No.) Draft EIS Other: ☐ Mit Neg Dec **FONSI** Other: **Local Action Type:** General Plan Update Specific Plan Annexation Rezone General Plan Amendment Master Plan Prezone Redevelopment Planned Unit Development General Plan Element Use Permit Coastal Permit Site Plan ☐ Land Division (Subdivision, etc.) Other: Community Plan **Development Type:** Residential: Units Transportation: Type Mining: Miner Power: Type Employees_ Sq.ft. Acres Commercial:Sq.ft. Acres Employees_ Mineral Industrial: Sq.ft. MW Acres Employees Type _ Educational: Waste Treatment: Type MGD Hazardous Waste:Type Recreational: Other: Planning Document MGD ☐ Water Facilities: Type **Project Issues Discussed in Document:** ■ Vegetation Aesthetic/Visual Fiscal Recreation/Parks Agricultural Land Flood Plain/Flooding Water Quality Schools/Universities 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 Other: greenhouse gas Economic/Jobs Public Services/Facilities ■ Traffic/Circulation Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation: Multiple Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary) See project description below.

X	Air Resources Board	Х	Office of Historic Preservation	
-0	Boating & Waterways, Department of		Office of Public School Construction	
	California Emergency Management Agency	X	Parks & Recreation, Department of	
	California Highway Patrol		Pesticide Regulation, Department of	
x	Caltrans District # 8	-	Public Utilities Commission	
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_	Caltrans Division of Aeronautics	X	Regional WQCB # 8	
<u>X</u>	Caltrans Planning	^_	Resources Agency	
_	Central Valley Flood Protection Board	-	Resources Recycling and Recovery, Department of	
	Coachella Valley Mtns. Conservancy		S.F. Bay Conservation & Development Comm.	
		0-	San Gabriel & Lower L.A. Rivers & Mtns. Conservancy	
_	_ Colorado River Board		San Joaquin River Conservancy	
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	Delta Protection Commission	_	SWRCB: Clean Water Grants	
	Education, Department of		SWRCB: Water Quality	
	Energy Commission	_	SWRCB: Water Rights	
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	Food & Agriculture, Department of		Toxic Substances Control, Department of	
X	Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of	X	_ Water Resources, Department of	
	General Services, Department of	22	ia	
	Health Services, Department of	X	Other: EPA	
	Housing & Community Development	-	Other:	
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Loca	al Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead age	ncy)		
Starting Date September 23, 2024			Ending Date October 24, 2024	
Lead	Agency (Complete if applicable):			
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 Sign	ature of Lead Agency Representative:	15	Date: 9/17/24	
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Reviewing Agencies Checklist

Project Description:

The project is an update to the City of Chino's (City's) General Plan that will incorporate strategies to address multi-modal mobility, environmental justice, climate vulnerability, emergency evacuation, among other topics. The 2045 Chino General Plan Update will serve as the blueprint for the City's future and will focus on key opportunity areas where change is foreseeable. These are generally areas with clusters of vacant and underutilized land, many of which contain commercial properties recently rezoned to permit multifamily housing. Outside of these key areas, the 2045 General Plan will maintain the existing urban form and enhance the character and quality of life in Chino's established neighborhoods, and it will support continued implementation of The Preserve Specific Plan.

Key components of the 2045 General Plan will include:

- Four new land use designations designed to promote a vibrant mix of uses in key opportunity areas including a Regional Mixed Use (RMU) designation, a Boulevard Mixed Use (BMU) designation, a new Downtown (DT) land use designation, and a new Employment Mixed Use (EMU) designation.
- An updated circulation diagram with new roadway classifications for mixed-use boulevards and Downtown streets that emphasize walkability and roadway safety.
- Completion of the Pine Avenue Connector, linking State Route 71 with Euclid Avenue.
- Strategies for effectively managing truck traffic to minimize conflicts with bicycles, pedestrians, and local traffic while optimizing access to the regional network.
- Establishing "good neighbor" policies and performance standards for light industrial and manufacturing uses, particularly where adjacent to residential neighborhoods. These policies and standards will govern screening, landscaping, architectural design, noise, air quality, traffic, and access.
- Streetscape improvements to improve bicycle/pedestrian safety and enhance walkability
 along segments of Riverside Drive, including wider sidewalks, landscaped buffers
 between pedestrians and traffic, the addition of bicycle lanes, and the conversion of the
 ends of some alleyways into pocket parks/plazas.
- A new Community Health and Environmental Justice Element with strategies to promote active, healthy lifestyles, reduce exposure to air pollution, mitigate urban heat in summertime, and improve roadway safety, particularly around schools and community centers.
- Strategies to incentivize the creation of mini parks, plazas, and publicly accessible privately-owned open spaces in the northern part of the City where there is a need for new parks and recreational spaces.
- Policy guidance for future uses on the former Ayala Park driving range, including providing on-site food and beverage vending for game and events days and/or constructing a water park.

Additionally, it is envisioned that the 2045 General Plan process will provide direction for the repeal of three outdated specific plans and the incorporation of any standards and provisions from those plans that remain relevant into the Zoning Code: the Central Avenue Specific Plan, the Eucalyptus Business Park Specific Plan, and the Spectrum Center Specific Plan.