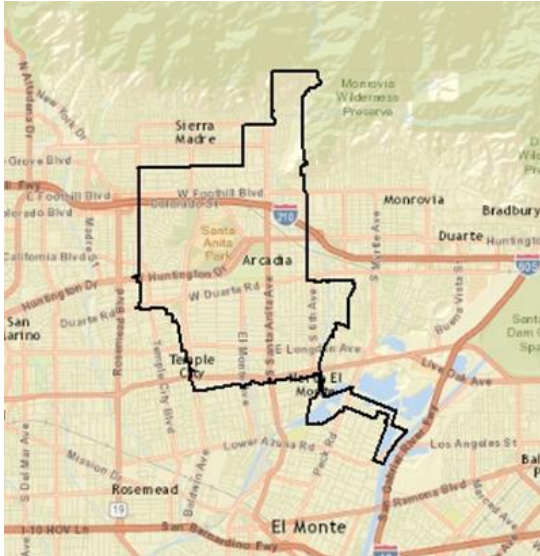




NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Notice is hereby given that the public agency named below has completed an Initial Study of the following described project at the following location:

Public Agency:	City of Arcadia, Development Services Department
Project Name:	General Plan Amendment No. GPA 24-01 (Safety Element update and Environmental Justice Element adoption)
Project Description:	In compliance with State law, the City is updating its General Plan Safety Element and adopting a new Environmental Justice Element.
Project Location – Identify street address and cross streets or attach a map showing project site (preferably a USGS 15' or 7 1/2' topographical map identified by quadrangle name):	<p>The proposed General Plan Amendment would apply only to land within the City of Arcadia, Los Angeles County, incorporated boundaries.</p> 

This Initial Study was completed in accordance with the Lead Agency’s Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act. This Initial Study was undertaken for the purpose of deciding whether the project may have a significant effect on the environment. On the basis of such Initial Study, the Lead Agency’s Staff has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, and has therefore prepared a Draft Negative Declaration. The Initial Study reflects the independent judgment of the Lead Agency.

<input type="checkbox"/>	The Project site IS on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Project site IS NOT on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project IS considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project IS NOT considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.
<input type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project WILL affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The proposed project WILL NOT affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.
<input type="checkbox"/>	A scoping meeting WILL be held by the Lead Agency.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A scoping meeting WILL NOT be held by the Lead Agency.
If the project meets the criteria requiring the scoping meeting, or if the agency voluntarily elects to hold such a meeting, the date, time and location of the scoping meeting are as follows:	
Date: N/A	Time: N/A
Location: N/A	
Copies of the Initial Study and Draft Negative Declaration are on file and are available for public review at the Lead Agency's office, located at:	
<p>City of Arcadia Development Services Department – Planning Services 240 W. Huntington Drive Arcadia, CA 91007 (626) 574-5423</p> <p>Arcadia Public Library 20 W. Duarte Road Arcadia, CA 91006 (626) 821-5567</p> <p>The documents are also available on the website at www.ArcadiaCA.gov/GeneralPlan</p>	
The proposed Negative Declaration can be obtained in electronic format by the following method:	
Contact Fiona Graham, Planning Services Manager at (626) 574-5442 or by email at fgraham@ArcadiaCA.gov	
Lead Agency address:	
<p>Lead Agency address: In Person or by Courier: City of Arcadia Development Services Department Attn: Fiona Graham, Planning Services Manager 240 West Huntington Drive Arcadia, CA 91007</p> <p>Mailing Address: City of Arcadia Development Services Department Attn: Fiona Graham, Planning Services Manager P.O. Box 60021 Arcadia, CA 91066-6021</p>	

Comments will be received from October 24 to November 25, 2024

Any person wishing to comment on this matter must submit such comments, in writing, to the Lead Agency prior to November 25, 2024. Comments of all Responsible Agencies are also requested.

The Lead Agency will consider the project and the Draft Negative Declaration at its meeting on:

Tentative Dates:

- November 26, 2024 (Planning Commission)
- December 17, 2024 (City Council)

Time: 7:00 p.m.

If the Lead Agency finds that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, it may adopt the 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:



Staff

(Clerk Stamp Here)

Title: Planning Services Manager.