

Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #: _____

Project Title: Performing Arts Theater, AcCEL Center, and Library Project

Lead Agency: Tulare Office of Education

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Project Location: Unincorporated County
City

Tulare
County

Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).

The proposed project includes the construction of an approximately 24,442 square foot AcCEL Center, which would provide direct instruction to students who generally have multiple or profound disabilities, and/or are able to function best in a more sheltered environment; an approximately 12,000 square foot library; and a 31,000 square foot performing arts theater. The project site would be landscaped and include new driveways, drive aisles, and walkways.

Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly describe any proposed mitigation measures that would reduce or avoid that effect.

The COE has determined that the proposed project could potentially affect 19 of the 20 environmental topic areas identified in Appendix G. These 19 topical areas are aesthetics, agriculture and forestry resources, air quality, biological resources, cultural resources, energy, geology and soils, greenhouse gas emissions, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, land use and planning, noise, population and housing, public services, recreation, transportation, tribal cultural resources, utilities and service systems, and wildfire. These impacts will be analyzed in detail in the EIR. Mitigation measures would be proposed, as applicable.

If applicable, describe any of the project's areas of controversy known to the Lead Agency, including issues raised by agencies and the public.

There are no known controversies at this time.

Provide a list of the responsible or trustee agencies for the project.

- Air Resources Board
- Caltrans, District 6 - Fresno
- Caltrans Division of Aeronautics
- Caltrans Planning
- Central Valley Flood Protection Board
- Department of Conservation
- Department of Education
- Energy Commission
- California Department of Fish and Wildlife, Region 4 - Central Region
- Food & Agriculture, Department of
- Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
- General Services, Department of
- Office of Historic Preservation
- California Native American Heritage Commission
- Department of Parks and Recreation
- Regional Water Quality Control Board, Region 5 - Central Valley
- Department of Toxic Substances Control
- Department of Water Resources
- California Water Boards