

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM: Community Services Department

The project or activity identified below is determined to be exempt from further environmental review requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, as defined in the State and County Guidelines for the implementation of CEQA.

APN(s): N/A Case No.: N/A

Location: Santa Barbary County

Project Title: 2016-2017 Annual Adjustment of Inclusionary Housing Ordinance and In-Lieu Inclusionary Housing Fees

Project Description: This action by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara includes receiving and filing the proposed adjustment to the Inclusionary Housing Requirements of County Code Chapter 46A: Inclusionary Housing Ordinance.

Exempt Status:

☒ No Possibility of Significant Effect [§15061(b,3)]

Cite specific CEQA Guideline Section: 15061(b)(3); this activity is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment, and where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA.

Reasons to support exemption findings (attach additional material, if necessary):

The proposed adjustment of inclusionary housing requirements involves a policy action that is administrative in nature, related to the requirements for affordability for potential land development in the future, to implement provisions of County Code Chapter 46A: Inclusionary Housing. Therefore, it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that this project may have a significant effect on the environment and is not subject to CEQA.

Department/Division Representative

Jill Van Wie

Date: July 20, 2016

Note: A copy must be filed with the County Clerk of the Board after project approval and posted by the Clerk of the Board for a period of 30 days.

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