

3.0 ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING, IMPACTS AND MITIGATION

The following chapters include an analysis, by issue area, of the proposed project's potential effects on the environment. Each environmental issue area includes the following subsections:

- Environmental Setting
- Regulatory Setting
- Environmental Impacts
- Mitigation Measures
- Level of Significance after Mitigation

The mitigation measures provided in Chapter 3.0 are proposed by the LBUSD, unless otherwise noted. The environmental issue areas analyzed in this section are as follows:

- Aesthetics (Chapter 3.1)
- Air Quality (Chapter 3.2)
- Greenhouse Gas Emissions (Chapter 3.3)
- Noise (Chapter 3.4)
- Transportation and Traffic (Chapter 3.5)

As identified in the Initial Study (see Appendix A) prepared in July 2013, the following are the environmental issue areas that were not found to be significantly impacted or potentially impacted by the proposed project:

- Agriculture and Forestry Resources
- Biological Resources
- Cultural Resources
- Geology and Soils
- Hazards and Hazardous Materials
- Hydrology and Water Quality
- Land Use and Planning
- Mineral Resources
- Population and Housing
- Public Services
- Recreation
- Utilities and Services Systems

Therefore, no further evaluation of these environmental issue areas is necessary in this EIR. Chapter 4.0, Impact Overview of this EIR includes a brief discussion of impacts that were not found to be significant.

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