



County of Sonoma  
State of California

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Date: April 30, 2024

Item Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Resolution Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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4/5 Vote Required

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**Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California,  
Adopting A Mitigated Negative Declaration And A Mitigation Monitoring And Reporting  
Program And Approving A Project For Intersection Improvements At Adobe Road And Main  
Street.**

**Whereas,** Sonoma County Public Infrastructure has submitted to this Board a proposed project for improvements at the intersection of Adobe Road and Main Street (“Project”); and

**Whereas,** an Initial Study, Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND), and Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program has been prepared for this Project in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and State and County CEQA guidelines, and submitted to this Board; and

**Whereas,** the Environmental Review Committee reviewed the Initial Study on September 5, 2023, and concurred with the preparation of a Mitigated Negative Declaration; and

**Whereas,** notice of a 30-day public review of the Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study from January 30, 2024 through February 29, 2024 was provided in accordance with CEQA and State and County CEQA guidelines; and

**Whereas,** this Board has reviewed the Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration and comments received thereon; and

**Whereas,** in making its determinations, the Board has gained a well-rounded

understanding of the range of the environmental issues related to the Project by its review of the MND, all comments, testimony, letters and reports regarding the MND, and its own experience and expertise in these environmental issues. Prior to making the following findings, the Board has reviewed and considered the evidence and analysis presented in the MND, the technical reports, and all public comments and information submitted at or before the Board hearing. The Board's findings are based on full appraisal of all viewpoints, all evidence and all information in the record of these proceedings. The Board further finds that the MND reflects the Board's independent judgment and analysis; and

**Whereas**, based upon the entire record, there is no substantial evidence of a fair argument that the Project will have a significant environmental effect. Changes or alterations have been required in, or incorporated into, the Project through the mitigation measures and a monitoring and reportion plan that avoid or substantially lessen all potentially significant environmental effects of the Project; and

**Whereas**, the Board finds that the MND has been completed in compliance with CEQA and that the MND adequately and fully describes and evaluates the changes or alterations to the Project that have been requested as part of the Project.

**Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved**, that based on the foregoing findings and determinations and the full record of the proceedings, this Board makes the following findings and declares and orders:

1. The foregoing findings and determinations are true and correct, are supported by substantial evidence in the record, and are adopted as hereinabove set forth.
2. The Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for this Project and circulated for public review pursuant to the requirements of CEQA, and reflects this Board's independent judgment and analysis.
3. There is no substantial evidence before the Board that the Project, as mitigated by the mitigation measures in the Mitigated Negative Declaration, may have a significant effect on the environment and therefore, adoption of the Mitigated

Negative Declaration is appropriate under CEQA and State and County CEQA guidelines.

**Be It Further Resolved** this Board hereby adopts the Mitigated Negative Declaration and directs that the mitigation measures described in the Initial Study be incorporated into the Project and adopts the Mitigation Monitoring and Reporting Program.

**Be It Further Resolved** that this Board approves the Project and directs the Director of Sonoma County Public Infrastructure to take such action as may be necessary to carry out the Project.

**Be It Further Resolved** that the Clerk of the Board is designated as the custodian of documents and other materials that constitute the record of the proceedings upon which the Board's decision is herein based. These documents may be found at the office of the Clerk of the Board, 575 Administration Drive, Room 100A, Santa Rosa, California, 95403.

**Supervisors:**

Gorin:

Coursey:

Gore:

Hopkins:

Rabbitt:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

**So Ordered.**