

## **Notice of Intent to Adopt a Negative Declaration**

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### **Local Agency Formation Commission for the County of Los Angeles Incorporation of East Los Angeles**

In accordance with Section 15072 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, notice is hereby given that the Local Agency Formation Commission for the County of Los Angeles (LAFCO) has completed an Initial Study and Negative Declaration (IS/ND) for the proposed incorporation of East Los Angeles (East LA) and intends to adopt a Negative Declaration for the proposal.

**Project Description:** The unincorporated community of East LA is a 4,783-acre area located in the central section of Los Angeles County, approximately four miles east of downtown Los Angeles. East LA is bound by the City of Los Angeles to the west and north, the cities of Monterey Park and Montebello to the east, and the City of Commerce to the south. It is developed with a mix of residential, commercial, industrial, and institutional uses. There are hazardous material users and generators within East LA.

The East Los Angeles Residents Association (ELARA) is proposing the incorporation of East LA, which requires the approval of LAFCO prior to the proposal being placed on the ballot for a majority vote by registered voters in East LA.

The IS/ND for the proposal indicates that the incorporation of East LA would not result in potentially significant adverse environmental impacts.

**Public Review:** The public review period begins July 14, 2011 and ends August 15, 2011. During this time, the IS/ND is available for review at the following locations:

***LAFCO for the County of Los Angeles***  
700 North Central Avenue, Suite 445  
Glendale, California 91203  
(818) 254-2454

***El Camino Real Library***  
4264 East Whittier Boulevard  
Los Angeles, California 90023

***East Los Angeles Library***  
4837 East Third Street  
Los Angeles, California 90022

***City Terrace Library***  
4025 East City Terrace Drive  
Los Angeles, California 90063

***Anthony Quinn Library***  
3965 Cesar Chavez Avenue  
Los Angeles, California 90063

Please submit any comments on the IS/ND to Serafina Wirth, Senior Government Analyst at the Local Agency Formation Commission for the County of Los Angeles - 700 North Central Avenue, Suite 445, Glendale, California 91203 or via email at [swirth@lalafco.org](mailto:swirth@lalafco.org) before 5:00 p.m. on August 15, 2011.

A public hearing on the incorporation proposal has been set for September 14, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration - 500 W. Temple Street, Room 381-B, Los Angeles, CA 90012.