

Notice of Determination

Appendix D

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From:

Public Agency: Humboldt Dept. Planning & Bldg.
Address: 3015 H Street
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Contact: Steven Lazar
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KELLY E. SANDERS
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Lead Agency (if different from above):

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Address:
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BY [Signature]
12-2016-002

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2015102005

Project Title: Medical Marijuana Land Use Ordinance--Phase IV

Project Applicant: Humboldt County Department of Planning & Building

Project Location (include county): Humboldt, applies county-wide

Project Description:

Amendments to the Zoning Ordinance intended to provide for regulation of land uses involving commercial cultivation of cannabis for medical use. The ordinance regulates the cultivation by licensed operators, in compliance with relevant state and local laws. The fourth phase of the Humboldt County "Medical Marijuana Land Use Ordinance," the proposed ordinance would regulate an existing land use to help prevent and reduce environmental impacts known to result from unpermitted baseline cultivation operations. The ordinance develops pathways for compliance with new and existing regulations, while providing for local review, inspection, and oversight.

This is to advise that the Humboldt County Planning & Building Department has approved the above (X) Lead Agency or () Responsible Agency

described project on January 26, 2016 and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project (date)

- 1. The project [] will [X] will not have a significant effect on the environment.
2. [] An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA. [X] A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [X] were [] were not made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [X] was [] was not adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [] was [X] was not adopted for this project.
6. Findings [X] were [] were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

Humboldt County Planning & Building Department-Current Planning Division, 3015 H Street, Eureka, CA 95501

Signature (Public Agency): [Signature] Title: Interim Planning Director

Date: 1-26-2016 Date Received for filing at OPR: