<u>A08-0013/Hazard Mitigation Plan</u> – As recommended by the Planning Commission on February 12, 2009

Findings

Based on the review and analysis of this project by staff and affected agencies, and supported by discussion in the staff report and evidence in the record, the following findings can be made:

1.0 CEQA Findings

- 1.1 The proposed change to Objective 6.1.1 and Policy 6.1.1.1 is not a substantial change and does not require substantial changes to the previous EIR because there are no new significant environmental effects and no substantial increases in the severity of previously identified significant effects. Changes in the severity of the impacts will not increase for all impacts, as described in the addendum and in the staff report.
- 1.2 Substantial changes to the previous EIR are not required due to the lack of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects. The Hazard mitigation plan implements the General Plan and its policies and does not create or result in new environmental effects.
- 1.3 An addendum to the 2004 General Plan EIR is appropriate for compliance with CEQA, pursuant to 14 CCR §15164, based on the following:
 - 1.3.1 No new significant effects have been identified as a result of the proposed amendment to Objective 6.1.1 and Policy 2.2.5.20 than those analyzed in the 2004 General Plan EIR, as discussed in the addendum and staff report.
 - 1.3.2 As discussed in the addendum and staff report, each of the significant effects examined in the EIR and addressed Hazard Mitigation Plan will not be substantially more severe than shown in the previous EIR;
 - 1.3.3 No mitigation measures or alternatives previously found not to be feasible would in fact be feasible and would substantially reduce one or more significant effects of the project; and
 - 1.3.4 No mitigation measures or alternative that are considerably different from those analyzed in the previous EIR have been identified that would substantially reduce one or more significant effects on the environment.

2.0 Administrative Findings

2.1 Adoption of the Hazard Mitigation Plan and incorporation of said plan into the General Plan is consistent with State of California Assembly Bill 2140 and Senate Bill 1764.