



COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA) AND NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT
AN INITIAL STUDY / MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
FOR A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT AND MERGER FOR CLEAN FOCUS – APPLE VALLEY EAST

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines, County Staff prepared a Draft Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) that identify and evaluate the environmental impacts of the below-named Conditional Use Permit and Merger for Clean Focus – Apple Valley East.

Project Title: Clean Focus – Apple Valley East

Project No.: P201300557

Project Location: West of Central Road, south of Tussing Ranch Road, and north of BNSF railroad tracks, Apple Valley; Assessor Parcel Numbers: 0438-212-01, -02

Project Description: Conditional Use Permit to establish an approximately 3-megawatt solar photovoltaic electricity generation facility on 23 acres and a Merger of two parcels on 23 acres

Environmental Review and Public Comment: The IS/MND is available for review at: <http://cms.sbcounty.gov/lus/Planning/Environmental/NoticesDeterminations/Desert.aspx> and the following locations:

High Desert Government Center
15900 Smoke Tree Street, First Floor
Hesperia, CA 92345

San Bernardino Government Center
Clerk of the Board
385 N. Arrowhead Avenue, Second Floor
San Bernardino, CA 92415

The comment period on the IS/MND closes on **May 21, 2014 at 5:00 PM**. Please submit comments to Tracy.Creason@lus.sbcounty.gov or to:

Tracy Creason, Senior Planner
County of San Bernardino
Land Use Services Department
Planning Division
15900 Smoke Tree Street, Suite 131
Hesperia, CA 92345

Public Hearing: The Planning Commission will consider the Project and the Mitigated Negative Declaration, at a later date, in the Covington Chambers, on the First floor of the San Bernardino Government Center, 385 N. Arrowhead Avenue, San Bernardino, CA. The Land Use Services Department will send the Notice of Hearing separately.