COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA) / NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT
AN INITIAL STUDY / MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION
APPLE VALLEY CLAY MINE

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 identifies and evaluates the environmental impacts of the Apple Valley Clay Mine.

**Project Title:** Apple Valley Clay Mine

**Project No.:** AP20150001

**Project Location:** Approximately ½-mile north of Highway 18; 13 miles east of Interstate 15, at the Bear Valley cutoff; Assessor Parcel No. 0436-142-19.

**Project Description:** A REVISION TO AN EXISTING MINING CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT AND RECLAMATION PLAN FOR THE APPLE VALLEY CLAY MINE TO EXTEND THE TERMINATION DATE FROM 2018 TO 2035 ON 20ACRES.

**Environmental Review and Public Comment:** The circulation of the Draft Initial Study/ Mitigated Negative Declaration is to encourage written public comments. Interested persons can review the Draft IS/MND at the following physical location:

**Land Use Services Department - Planning Division**
385 North Arrowhead Avenue, First Floor
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0187

You may obtain the document in electronic format at [http://cms.sbcounty.gov/lus/Planning/Environmental/Desert.aspx](http://cms.sbcounty.gov/lus/Planning/Environmental/Desert.aspx) or by emailing the Planner at Linda.Mawby@lus.sbcounty.gov. To request a PDF version of the document from the Land Use Services Department database, please reference the project number above.

The comment period on the IS/MND closes on **August 4, 2015 at 5:00 PM.** Please submit comments to Linda.Mawby@lus.sbcounty.gov or to:

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