

COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO  
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY AND NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT AN INITIAL STUDY/  
NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE ADULT-ORIENTED BUSINESS ORDINANCE

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines, the County has prepared a Draft Initial Study / Negative Declaration (IS/ND) that identifies and evaluates the environmental impacts of the below-named project.

**Project Title:** Amendments to Titles 1, 4 and 8 of the County Code relative to Adult-oriented Businesses.

**Project Location:** County of San Bernardino (Countywide)

**Project Description:** An update of Title 1 (Government and Administration) of the County Code to add a new fee for a new review process for adult-oriented businesses, Title 4 (Business and Special Licenses, Regulations) of the County Code to add new business license requirements for adult-oriented business performers and non-performers, and Title 8 (Development Code) of the County Code to revise the development standards for adult-oriented businesses, to revise the locational criteria for such businesses, to add a new land use review process to approve an adult-oriented business, and to revise the definitions related to adult-oriented businesses.

**Environmental Review and Public Comment:** The Draft Negative Declaration and Initial Study were prepared to encourage written public comments. Interested persons can review the Draft IS/MND at [www.sbcounty.gov/landuseservices](http://www.sbcounty.gov/landuseservices) and at the following physical locations:

San Bernardino County Government Center  
Land Use Services Department, First Floor  
385 N. Arrowhead Avenue  
San Bernardino, CA 92415

High Desert Government Center  
15900 Smoke Tree St. Suite 131  
Hesperia, CA 92345

If unavailable on the web site, the document may be obtained in electronic format by telephoning the Land Use Services Department at (909) 387-4434 or, or by emailing the project Planner at [Jim.Squire@lus.sbcounty.gov](mailto:Jim.Squire@lus.sbcounty.gov) to request a PDF version of the document.

The public comment period will end on December 23, 2013 at 5:00 PM. Please submit comments to:

[Jim.Squire@lus.sbcounty.gov](mailto:Jim.Squire@lus.sbcounty.gov) or to:

Jim Squire, Planner  
County of San Bernardino  
Land Use Services Department, Planning Division  
385 N. Arrowhead Avenue  
San Bernardino, CA 92415-0187

**Public Hearing:** A public hearing has been scheduled before the County Planning Commission on Thursday, December 19, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. at the San Bernardino County Government Center, 385 N. Arrowhead Ave., San Bernardino, CA to consider the proposed ordinance and the Draft IS/MND. Comments on the Draft IS/MND will still be accepted through December 23, 2013 and will be included in the reports for a public hearing that will be scheduled before the Board of Supervisors at a later date. The Planning Commission will make a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors for final action at this noticed public hearing.