NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Proposed Project: Hiddenbrooke Park Project

Project Location: The project site is located at the southern end of the Hiddenbrooke residential development in northeastern Vallejo, Solano County, California. Vehicular access to the site is from the I-80/Hiddenbrooke Parkway interchange via Hiddenbrooke Parkway, Bennington Drive, Landmark Drive and Alder Creek Road. The project site is located at the southern terminus of Alder Creek Road.

Project Description: The City of Vallejo (City) proposes to develop a neighborhood park to serve the Hiddenbrooke community. The proposed park project would encompass a total of approximately 3.2 acres and involve the following park amenities: an open turf area, play areas and structures for school and preschool-age children, a water play feature, restroom building, covered picnic shelters, a half basketball court, two Bocce courts, a new pedestrian path loop through the orchard lands to the south and a hiking access trail to the Eastern Swett Ranch property. A paved automobile parking area and a gravel-paved equestrian parking area would also be provided.

Significant Effects on the Environment: An Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15070 – 15073. The Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration finds that the proposed project would result in "potentially significant" or "potentially significant unless mitigated" environmental impacts related to air quality, biological resources, cultural resources, geology/soils, greenhouse gas emissions, hazardous materials, noise, and recreation. Although the proposed project could have a significant effect on the environment, implementation of feasible mitigation measures would either avoid or reduce to a level of insignificance identified environmental impacts.

Public Review Period – **Starting and Ending Dates:** The 30-day public review period would start on March 28, 2013 and end on April 26, 2013. Please submit any comments in writing that you may have on the draft Mitigated Negative Declaration by April 26, 2013, to the following address:

City of Vallejo Department of Public Works 555 Santa Clara Street Vallejo, CA 94590

The review period for this document has been extended. Please have comments submitted by Friday, May 24, 2013.

Address Where Document is Available for Public Review: The Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration and supporting documents may be reviewed at the City of Vallejo, Department of Public Works – 4th floor, 555 Santa Clara Street, Vallejo, CA 94590. It will also be posted on the City's website: ci.vallejo.ca.us

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