

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

**Who:** County of San Luis Obispo

What: The 2017 Storm Damage Emergency Road Repair Projects – North Coast are being

proposed by the County of San Luis Obispo Department of Public Works (County) to permanently resolve damages caused by the severe winter storms that occurred between January and March 2017. The seven individual projects in the North Coast Region are being addressed collectively in one CEQA document because they are similar in scope and geographic region, will most likely result in similar potential impacts, and will require similar mitigation measures. The extent of the damage at the project locations varies slightly; however, the projects all involve slip-outs adjacent to stream courses, and portions of the roadways remain undercut and partially closed. The permanent fixes will entail some combination of the installation of sheet pile walls, rock-slope protection (RSP), or concrete block walls, to repair and augment the sections of the roadways that slipped out. Other components of the projects may include back-filling, repaving, installation of cable bracing and metal-beam guard rail, right of way fencing, and culvert replacement and repairs. The project sites are located within the North Coast and Estero

Planning Areas, in Supervisorial District 2.

Where: Copies of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration and the documents

referenced in the Mitigated Negative Declaration are available for review at the County of San Luis Obispo Department of Public Works, 976 Osos Street, County

Government Center Room 206, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408.

**Comments:** The 30-day review and comment period for the proposed Mitigated Negative

Declaration begins on December 4, 2017 and ends on January 3, 2018. Written comments must be received by 5:00 p.m. on the last day of the review period and should be addressed to: Keith Miller, Environmental Resource Specialist, County

Government Center, Room 206, San Luis Obispo, CA 93408.

**Public Hearing:** The County of San Luis Obispo Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing to

consider the adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration. The hearing is tentatively scheduled for January 23, 2018. Interested persons can access the Board of Supervisor's agenda at <a href="http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/bos/BOSagenda.htm">http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/bos/BOSagenda.htm</a>

to locate the date of the public hearing for this project.