

RESOLUTION NO.: 02-067

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION
OF
THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES
APPROVING A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND MITIGATION
MONITORING/REPORTING PROGRAM
FOR
THE DOWNTOWN PARKING AND CIRCULATION ANALYSIS AND ACTION PLANS

WHEREAS, the City has retained the services of Kimley-Horn and Associates to prepare an independent study reviewing parking and circulation in the Downtown; and

WHEREAS, an Initial Study was prepared for this project (attached) which concludes that it qualifies for adoption of a Mitigated Negative Declaration and approval of a Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Program; and

WHEREAS, the project area encompasses the area bounded by 17th Street on the north, Riverside Avenue on the east, 6th Street on the south, and Olive Street on the west; and

WHEREAS, public notice of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration was given as required by Section 21092 of the Public Resources Code; and

WHEREAS, public notice of the proposed Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Program was given as required by Section 15097 of the Guidelines for Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act; and

WHEREAS, based on the information contained in the Initial Study prepared for the Downtown Parking and Circulation Analysis and Action Plans, the proposed mitigation measures, the mitigation monitoring/reporting program, the staff report, and public testimony received as a result of the public notice, the City, using its own independent judgement, finds that all potentially significant effects of the project on the environment can and will be avoided or mitigated to a level of insignificance by:

1. Imposing the specified mitigation measures on future projects implemented pursuant to the Parking and Circulation Analysis and Action Plan; and
2. Requiring compliance with the Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Program that establishes a program for reporting on or monitoring the changes which the City has incorporated into the Parking and Circulation Analysis and Action Plans; and
3. Specifying that further site-specific environmental review will be conducted for future projects implemented pursuant to the Parking and Circulation Analysis and Action Plans.

WHEREAS, a public hearing was conducted by the Planning Commission on September 24, 2002, to consider facts as presented in the staff report prepared for this project, and to accept public testimony regarding this proposed project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Planning Commission of the City of El Paso de Robles does hereby:

1. Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Parking and Circulation Analysis and Action Plans; and
2. Establish a Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Program for the Parking and Circulation Analysis and Action Plans.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 24th day of September 2002, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: CALLOWAY, JOHNSON, KEMPER, McCARTHY, WARNKE

NOES:

ABSENT: FERRAVANTI, STEINBECK

ABSTAIN:

CHAIRMAN PRO TEM RALPH McCARTHY

ATTEST:

TINA RYDER, ACTING PLANNING COMMISSION SECRETARY