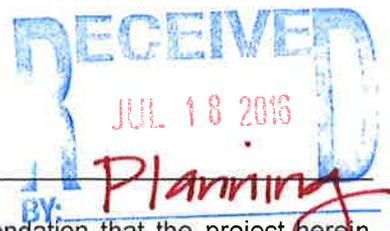




**CITY OF ANAHEIM
NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A
MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION**



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Anaheim is considering a recommendation that the project herein identified will have no significant environmental impact in compliance with Section 15070 of State of California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) guidelines. A copy of the **MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION** and the **INITIAL STUDY** which supports the proposed findings are on file at the City of Anaheim.

Project Title: Anaheim Sustainability Center

Case Numbers: Development Case No. DEV2014-00077, Conditional Use Permit No. CUP2014-05752

Project Applicant: Anaheim Energy, LLC

Project Location: 1300 and 1322 North Lakeview Avenue, City of Anaheim

Project Description: The Proposed Project is the construction of a new organic waste-to-energy facility that would use anaerobic digestion to convert organic waste to biogas. Wet commercial and multi-family waste from the Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) stream would be pre-processed at Republic Services Anaheim Transfer Station/Material Recycling Facility, the franchised waste management firm for the City, located at 2775 E. Gretha Lane, Anaheim. OREX equipment, an organic extrusion press technology, would be used to extract the organic wet fraction from the MSW that is currently transported to the Olinda Alpha Landfill located in Brea, California. The organic wet fraction would be transferred by truck to the Anaheim Sustainability Center facility, where it would be anaerobically digested and release biogas inside concrete digestion tanks. The biogas would be recovered inside the tanks and used to generate electricity for onsite use and for sale to utility companies, including City of Anaheim Public Utilities. The Proposed Project would have capacity to generate up to 4.5 megawatts (MW) of renewable energy in Phase 1 and up to a total of 9.0 MW in Phase 2.

Environmental: Mitigation Measures have been identified for this project.

Public Review: A Planning Commission hearing will be held at Anaheim City Hall, Council Chambers, located at 200 S. Anaheim Boulevard, Anaheim, CA 92805 on Monday, August 22, 2016. The public review and comment period for the Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration begins on July 15, 2016 and ends on August 15, 2016.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study will be available for public review on the City of Anaheim's website (www.anaheim.net, accessible by visiting the Planning and Building Department webpage and clicking on the link to *Current Environmental Documents*) and at the following locations:

City of Anaheim
Planning and Building Department
200 South Anaheim Blvd.
Anaheim, CA 92805

Anaheim Public Library
Central Library
500 W. Broadway
Anaheim, CA 92805

Comments: All comments should be addressed to *Gustavo Gonzalez, Senior Planner, City of Anaheim Planning and Building Department, 200 South Anaheim Boulevard, Anaheim, CA 92805*. If you have any questions or would like any additional information, please contact Gustavo Gonzalez at (714) 765-4671 or ggonzalez@anaheim.net.


Signed