

OCTA MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND INITIAL STUDY CHECKLIST

Project Name: Transit Security and Operations (TSOC) Project

Project Location: The Project is located at the intersection of Lincoln Avenue and Manchester Avenue in the City of Anaheim, adjacent to the Interstate 5 (I-5)/Lincoln Avenue interchange.

Lead Agency: OCTA

Approval Body: OCTA Board of Directors

Lead Agency Address: 550 South Main Street, Orange, CA 92863

Project Applicant: OCTA

Applicant Address: 550 South Main Street, Orange, CA 92863

Proposal: The Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) is proposing to construct a new operations center for its transit and emergency security functions. The proposed Transit Security and Operations Center (TSOC) (proposed project) is planned to include a two-story facility that is approximately 30,000 square feet (sf), a roof-mounted microwave tower (not to exceed 60 feet (ft) from ground elevation), a fueling station, electric vehicle charging stations, and dedicated parking for employees, patrol vehicles and visitors. The project site is approximately 3 acres in size.

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Public Review Period: October 30-November 30, 2018 (closes at 5:00 pm)

NOTICE: This Mitigated Negative Declaration/Initial Study has been prepared pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code, Section 21000, et seq.) and the State CEQA Guidelines (California Code of Regulations, Section 15000, et seq.). It is available for a 30-day public review period as shown above.

The Mitigated Negative Declaration may become final unless written comment(s) is/are received by the office listed above by **5:00 p.m. on November 30, 2018**.

Comments regarding this Mitigated Negative Declaration and Initial Study must be made in writing and received in the Capital Programs office no later than 5:00 P.M. on the last day of the public review period. Please address comments to: Mr. George Olivo, Program Manager, Capital Programs - Facilities Engineering, 550 South Main Street, Orange, CA 92863 - 1584. Please reference OCTA TSOC in any correspondence. Comments may also be sent by e-mail to: TSOC_IS_MND_Comments@octa.net

COPIES of the Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND), accompanying Initial Study Checklist (IS) and selective supporting documents are on file and may be reviewed at the OCTA's Reception counter located at 550 South Main Street, Orange, California and OCTA's website at the following url:

www.octa.net/tsoc