NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE TRANSIT SECURITY AND OPERATIONS CENTER PROJECT

In accordance with Section 15072 of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) has prepared a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the **Transit Security and Operations Center (TSOC) Project.**

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) in 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 and 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.

The project site is not listed on any lists enumerated under Section 65962.5 of the California Government Code.

Public Review Period: October 30, 2018 through November 30, 2018 (must be submitted by 5:00 pm)

COPIES of the Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND), accompanying Initial Study (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 web address below:

www.octa.net/tsoc (Click on the Documents Tab)

The document is also available for review at the two libraries listed below and at the OCTA offices located at 550 South Main Street in Orange, California.

Anaheim Central Library	Anaheim Haskett Branch Library
500 W. Broadway	2650 W. Broadway
Anaheim, CA 92804	Anaheim, CA 92804
Phone: 714-765-1880	Phone: 714-765-5075

"MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION" means that OCTA has tentatively concluded that although the proposed project could have a significant effect on the environment, there will not be a significant effect because mitigation measures have been identified and incorporated into this project and agreed to by OCTA.

Therefore, the project would not have a significant effect on the environment. NOTE: This project has not been approved or denied. It is being reviewed for environmental impacts only.

All comments regarding the MND 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

The OCTA Board of Directors will consider the approval of the project at a future date that has yet to be determined. If you would like to be notified of future approval action on the proposed TSOC project, please provide your name and mailing address at the postal mail or email address listed above and indicate your desire to receive future notification.

¿Necesita ayuda? Contacte a Kathy Ortiz-Cobian al (909) 627-2974 o kortiz-cobian@arellanoassociates.com