

RESOLUTION NO. 09-15-2014-B

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SONORA, CALIFORNIA, RESCINDING THE CURRENT CITY OF SONORA IMPLEMENTING PROCEDURES FOR THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CITY EIR GUIDELINES) INCLUDING THE PROVISIONS FOR MITIGATION MEASURE MONITORING AND REPORTING, ADOPTING THE STATE CEQA GUIDELINES AND ADOPTING THE NEW CITY OF SONORA LOCAL IMPLEMENTATION GUIDELINES – CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA)

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Sonora, by Resolution No. 9-3-85, has previously adopted the City of Sonora Implementing Procedures for the California Environmental Quality Act serving as the local guidelines for the implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Sonora, by Resolution No. 4-2-90 G, has previously adopted an amendment to these guidelines to include requirements for the monitoring and reporting of mitigation measures; and,

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act, and the associated State Guidelines, have been amended numerous times since the City of Sonora's implementing procedures were adopted; and,

WHEREAS, under Section 15022 of the State CEQA Guidelines, each public agency is required to adopt local procedures to implement CEQA; and

WHEREAS, by adopting the State CEQA Guidelines the City is only required to include provisions specific to the operations of the City within its local procedures; and

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act, including the State Guidelines, have clear and precise language for the implementation of the Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SONORA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The local guidelines for the implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) as adopted by Resolution No. 9-3-85 are rescinded including the amendment adopted by Resolution No. 4-2-90 G; and,
2. The City Council hereby adopts the State CEQA Guidelines and any amendments or additions thereto; and,

3. The City Council hereby adopts the City of Sonora Local Implementation Guidelines
– California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City
of Sonora on the 15th day of September, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: Ronald Stearn, Bill Canning, George Segarini,
Jim Garaventa

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Connie Williams

ABSTAIN: None

Ron Stearn 9/15/2014

Ron Stearn, Mayor

ATTEST:

Marijane Cassinetta 9/15/2014

Marijane Cassinetta, City Clerk

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