### NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

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Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street, Room 121 Sacramento, CA 95814 From: City of Costa Mesa 77 Fair Drive Costa Mesa, CA 92628



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Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

Orange County Museum of Art (Planning Application No. 18-28) Protect Title

2000041100 State Clearinghouse Number (If submitted to Clearinghouse) Daniel Inloes, Economic Dev. Administrator Lead Agency Contact Person (714) 754-5088 Area Code/Telephone

3333 Avenue of the Arts in the City of Costa Mesa, Orange County, CA 92626 Project Location (include county)

Orange County Museum of Art, 1661 West Sunflower Avenue, Santa Ana, CA 92704 Name and Address of Developer/Applicant or Project Sponsor

#### **Project Description:**

In 2001, the City of Costa Mesa certified Environmental Impact Report #1047 for the South Coast Plaza Town Center project (Town Center EIR). The Town Center EIR analyzed the potential environmental impacts of a net addition of 1,109,445 square feet of retail, office, hotel, and cultural arts related uses, including 140,000 square feet of art museum/academy space, on 54 acres within the North Costa Mesa Specific Plan. The Applicant, the Orange County Museum of Art (OCMA), is proposing to reduce the square footage of the art museum/academy space from 140,000 square feet to approximately 66,750 square feet (proposed project). The proposed project would be built on a 1.7 acre site (the OCMA site) at the southwest corner of Town Center Drive and Avenue of the Arts (Building E in the Town Center EIR). The OCMA site is undeveloped and is currently used as a gathering space for events related to the Segerstrom Center for the Arts. The proposed project would also reduce the museum's maximum building height from 80 to 76 feet and include a drop off-area for school buses on the museum's eastern side. In addition, the previously approved grading plan, site plan, and landscaping for the OCMA site will be changed to reflect the proposed project, and the address of the OCMA site would be revised from 655 Town Center Drive to 3333 Avenue of the Arts. No modifications to any of the other elements in the South Coast Plaza Town Center project are proposed.

This is to advise that the City of Costa Mesa Planning Commission considered the Environmental Impact Report Addendum, and approved the Orange County Museum of Art project on January 14, 2019, and has made the following determinations regarding the above-described project:

- 1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2. An EIR Addendum was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
- 3. Mitigation measures were made a condition of the approval of the project in 2001.
- 4. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted for this project in 2001.
- 5. Findings were made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the Environmental Impact Report Addendum and record of project approval are available to the General Public at: City of Costa Mesa, 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92628

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•	Project Title: Addendum to the Final Progra	m EIR for the South Coast Plaza Tow	n Center Pro
•	CEQA Document Type: Certified Regulate	ry Program Document	
•	State Clearinghouse Number/local agenc	y ID number: SCH No. 2000041100	
••	Project Location: 655 Town Center Drive, ( for the development and is within the Town ( the west, Sunflower to the north, Avenue of ( south. An image of the location is on page 9	Center Project Area which is bounded the Arts to the east, and the 405 Freev	by Bristol to

Brief Project Description: Planning Application 18-28 is a request for a Master Plan for the construction of the Orange County Museum of Art (OCMA). The project-specific master plan proposes the construction of a 53,875-square-foot structure and a future 10,000-square-foot expansion. The OCMA building will include a permanent and special exhibition space, an exhibition corridor with store front glass facing the pedestrian walkway along Avenue of the Arts, a landscaped second floor outdoor terrace, a café, a museum shop, and the associated administration area. The project will leverage the existing parking structures onsite for employee and patron parking and is proposing a bus turnout along the Avenue of the Arts to support school bus traffic.

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Development on the project site was previously analyzed under Final Program Environmental Impact Report (PEIR) No. 1047 (State Clearinghouse No. 200041100) for the South Coast Plaza Town Center Project. The PEIR concluded that significant environmental impacts would result from the previously-approved project, but were mitigated to less than significant levels except in the areas of Transportation and Circulation, Air Quality, Population, Employment and Housing, Findings and a Statement of Overriding Considerations were adopted at that time. The proposed museum is a smaller less intense development than was originally analyzed.

Determination: Based on a review of the project as proposed, the Department of Fish and Wildlife has determined that for purposes of the assessment of CEQA filing fees (Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subd. (c)) the project has no effect on fish, wildlife or their habitat and the project as described does not require payment of a CEQA filing fee. This determination does not in any way imply that the project is exempt from CEQA and does not determine the significance of any potential project effects evaluated pursuant to CEQA.

Please retain this original determination for your records. Local lead agencies are required to file two copies of this determination with the county clerk at the time of filing the Notice of Determination (NOD) after the project is approved. State lead agencies are required to file two copies of this determination with the Governor's Office of Planning and Research (i.e., State Clearinghouse) at the time of filing the NOD. If you do not file a copy of this determination as appropriate with the county clerk or State Clearinghouse at the time of filing the NOD, the appropriate CEQA filing fee will be due and payable.

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Without a valid CEQA Filing Fee No Effect Determination form or proof of fee payment, the project will not be operative, vested, or final and any local permits issued for the project will be invalid, pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 711.4, subdivision (c)(3).

le Sunar Date: 01/09/2019 Approved by: un Signature Jennifer Turner, Environmental Scientist Name, Title FOR COUNTY CLERK USE ONLY Stamp or initial inside the box **County Clerk Stamp or Initial** to indicate acceptance of this signed No Effect Determination in lieu of a CEQA Document

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### **Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal**

Mailing Address: 77 Fair Drive

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City: Co a Mesa

Within 2 Miles:

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Mail to; State Clearinghouse, P.O. Box 3044, Sacramento, CA 95812-3044 (916) 445-0613 **SCH** #2000041100 For Hand Delivery/Street Address: 1400 Tenth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Project Title: Orange County Museum of Art Contact Person: Daniel Inloes Lead Agency: City of Costa Mesa Phone: (714) 754-5088 County: Orange Zip: 92626 City/Nearest Community: Costa Mesa Project Location; County: Orange Cross Streets: Anton Boulevard and Avenue of the Arts Zip Code: 92626 Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 33 °41 <sup>7</sup>29 ″N/117 °52 ′53 "W Total Acres: 1.7 Twp.: Range: Base: Section: State Hwy #: 1-405, SR-55, SR-73 Waterways: None Railways: Santa Ana Ind'I Lead Airports: John Wayne Airport Schools: Various

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Local Action Type: General Plan Update General Plan Amendment General Plan Element Community Plan	<ul> <li>Specific Plan</li> <li>Master Plan</li> <li>Planned Unit Development</li> <li>Site Plan</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Rezone</li> <li>Prezone</li> <li>Use Permit</li> <li>Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)</li> </ul>	Annexation Redevelopment Coastal Permit Other:
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Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary) See attachment.

Note: The State Clearinghouse will assign identification numbers for all new projects. If a SCH number already exists for a project (e.g. Notice of Preparation or previous draft document) please fill in.

### **Reviewing Agencies Checklist**

Air Resources Board	Office of Historic Preservation	
Boating & Waterways, Department of	Office of Public School Construction	
California Emergency Management Agency	Parks & Recreation, Department of	
California Highway Patrol	Pesticide Regulation, Department of	
Caltrans District #	Public Utilities Commission	
Caltrans Division of Aeronautics	Regional WQCB #	
Caltrans Planning	Resources Agency	
Central Valley Flood Protection Board	Resources Recycling and Recovery, Department of	
Coachella Valley Mtns. Conservancy	S.F. Bay Conservation & Development Comm.	
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Colorado River Board	San Joaquin River Conservancy	
Conservation, Department of	Santa Monica Mtns, Conservancy	
Corrections, Department of	State Lands Commission	
Delta Protection Commission	SWRCB: Clean Water Grants	
Education, Department of	SWRCB: Water Quality	
Energy Commission	SWRCB: Water Rights	
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