

Notice of Completion & Environmental Document Transmittal

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SCH #

Project Title: Central Valley Growers Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration

Lead Agency: Department of Cannabis Control
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 County: Sacramento

Project Location: County: Stanislaus City/Nearest Community: Westley
 Cross Streets: Between Howard Road/Stark Rd and Howard Road/Ingham Creek Rd Zip Code: 95387
 Longitude/Latitude (degrees, minutes and seconds): 37 ° 32 ' 23 " N / 121 ° 14 ' 27 " W Total Acres: 12.1
 Assessor's Parcel No.: 016-019-036 Section: 31 Twp.: 4S Range: 7E Base: Mt Diablo
 Within 2 Miles: State Hwy #: Interstate 5 Waterways: Delta-Mendota Canal, Lateral 5 South, Lateral 6 South +others
 Airports: -- Railways: -- Schools: --

Document Type:

CEQA:	<input type="checkbox"/> NOP	<input type="checkbox"/> Draft EIR	NEPA:	<input type="checkbox"/> NOI	Other:	<input type="checkbox"/> Joint Document
	<input type="checkbox"/> Early Cons	<input type="checkbox"/> Supplement/Subsequent EIR		<input type="checkbox"/> EA		<input type="checkbox"/> Final Document
	<input type="checkbox"/> Neg Dec	(Prior SCH No.) _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Draft EIS		<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mit Neg Dec	Other: _____		<input type="checkbox"/> FONSI		

Local Action Type:

<input type="checkbox"/> General Plan Update	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> Rezone	<input type="checkbox"/> Annexation
<input type="checkbox"/> General Plan Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Master Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> Prezone	<input type="checkbox"/> Redevelopment
<input type="checkbox"/> General Plan Element	<input type="checkbox"/> Planned Unit Development	<input type="checkbox"/> Use Permit	<input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Permit
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> Site Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> Land Division (Subdivision, etc.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: license _____

Development Type:

<input type="checkbox"/> Residential: Units _____	Acres _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation: Type _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Office: Sq.ft. _____	Acres _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Mining: Mineral _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial: Sq.ft. _____	Acres _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Power: Type _____ MW
<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial: Sq.ft. _____	Acres _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Waste Treatment: Type _____ MGD
<input type="checkbox"/> Educational: _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Hazardous Waste: Type _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Recreational: _____		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Agriculture _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Facilities: Type _____	MGD _____	

Project Issues Discussed in Document:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aesthetic/Visual	<input type="checkbox"/> Fiscal	<input type="checkbox"/> Recreation/Parks	<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agricultural Land	<input type="checkbox"/> Flood Plain/Flooding	<input type="checkbox"/> Schools/Universities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Quality
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air Quality	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest Land/Fire Hazard	<input type="checkbox"/> Septic Systems	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Supply/Groundwater
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Archeological/Historical	<input type="checkbox"/> Geologic/Seismic	<input type="checkbox"/> Sewer Capacity	<input type="checkbox"/> Wetland/Riparian
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Biological Resources	<input type="checkbox"/> Minerals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Soil Erosion/Compaction/Grading	<input type="checkbox"/> Growth Inducement
<input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Noise	<input type="checkbox"/> Solid Waste	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Land Use
<input type="checkbox"/> Drainage/Absorption	<input type="checkbox"/> Population/Housing Balance	<input type="checkbox"/> Toxic/Hazardous	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cumulative Effects
<input type="checkbox"/> Economic/Jobs	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Services/Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/> Traffic/Circulation	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: Cannabis _____

Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:

Agriculture / A-2-40 (General Agriculture) / Agriculture

Project Description: (please use a separate page if necessary)

The Proposed Project is a commercial mixed-light cultivation operation to allow a 22,000 square-foot canopy within 36 greenhouses totaling 29,880 square-feet; and office, storage, and processing activities within a 7,470 square-foot warehouse. The Proposed Project also includes accessory facilities, including driveways, parking areas, fencing, landscaping, and water tanks. It would cover approximately 12.1 acres in total.

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Reviewing Agencies Checklist

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air Resources Board	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Historic Preservation
<input type="checkbox"/> Boating & Waterways, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Office of Public School Construction
<input type="checkbox"/> California Emergency Management Agency	<input type="checkbox"/> Parks & Recreation, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> California Highway Patrol	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pesticide Regulation, Department of
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caltrans District # 10	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Utilities Commission
<input type="checkbox"/> Caltrans Division of Aeronautics	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Regional WQCB # 5
<input type="checkbox"/> Caltrans Planning	<input type="checkbox"/> Resources Agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Central Valley Flood Protection Board	<input type="checkbox"/> Resources Recycling and Recovery, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> Coachella Valley Mtns. Conservancy	<input type="checkbox"/> S.F. Bay Conservation & Development Comm.
<input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> San Gabriel & Lower L.A. Rivers & Mtns. Conservancy
<input type="checkbox"/> Colorado River Board	<input type="checkbox"/> San Joaquin River Conservancy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Conservation, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Santa Monica Mtns. Conservancy
<input type="checkbox"/> Corrections, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> State Lands Commission
<input type="checkbox"/> Delta Protection Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> SWRCB: Clean Water Grants
<input type="checkbox"/> Education, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> SWRCB: Water Quality
<input type="checkbox"/> Energy Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> SWRCB: Water Rights
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fish & Game Region # 4	<input type="checkbox"/> Tahoe Regional Planning Agency
<input type="checkbox"/> Food & Agriculture, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Toxic Substances Control, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> Forestry and Fire Protection, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Water Resources, Department of
<input type="checkbox"/> General Services, Department of	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Stanislaus County
<input type="checkbox"/> Health Services, Department of	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Housing & Community Development	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Native American Heritage Commission	

Local Public Review Period (to be filled in by lead agency)

Starting Date July 28, 2025 Ending Date September 2, 2025

Lead Agency (Complete if applicable):

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