

TO: ENVIRONMENTAL EVALUATION COMMITTEE

AGENDA DATE: August 25, 2022

FROM: PLANNING & DEVE	LOPMENT SERVICES	S AGENDA TIME 1:30 PM/ No. 6
Parcel Ma	p #02495 ad Naeem	SUPERVISORY DISTRICT #4
LOCATION:1396 W. An	ndre Rd.	APN: 036-160-008-000
Bra wey, CA	A 92227	PARCEL SIZE:+/- 160 acres
GENERAL PLAN (existing)	Agriculture	GENERAL PLAN (proposed)NA
ZONE (existing)	A-2 (Gen∉al Agricultu	zone (proposed) <u>N/A</u>
GENERAL PLAN FINDINGS	CONSISTENT	☐ INCONSISTENT ☐ MAY BE/FINDINGS
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PLANNING DIRECTORS DE	CISION:	HEARING DATE:
	APPROVED	☐ DENIED ☐ OTHER
ENVIROMENTAL EVALUATI	ON COMMITTEE DE	CISION: HEARING DATE:08/25/2022
		INITIAL STUDY: #22-001 1
□ NE	GATIVE DECLARATION	☐ MITIGATED NEG, DECLARATION ☐ EIR
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REQUESTED ACTION:

(See Attached)

NEGATIVE DECLARATION MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION

Initial Study & Environmental Analysis For:

Parcel Map #02495 Initial Study #22-0011 Muhammad Naeem



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SECTION 1 INTRODUCTION

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This document is a \square policy-level, \boxtimes project level Initial Study for evaluation of potential environmental impacts resulting with the proposed Parcel Map 02495 (Refer to Exhibit "A" & "B").

B. CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA) REQUIREMENTS AND THE IMPERIAL COUNTY'S GUIDELINES FOR IMPLEMENTING CEQA

As defined by Section 15063 of the State California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines and Section 7 of the County's "CEQA Regulations Guidelines for the Implementation of CEQA, as amended", an **Initial Study** is prepared primarily to provide the Lead Agency with information to use as the basis for determining whether an Environmental Impact Report (EIR), Negative Declaration, or Mitigated Negative Declaration would be appropriate for providing the necessary environmental documentation and clearance for any proposed project.

- According to Section 15065, an **EIR** is deemed appropriate for a particular proposal if the following conditions occur:
- The proposal has the potential to substantially degrade quality of the environment.
- The proposal has the potential to achieve short-term environmental goals to the disadvantage of long-term environmental goals.
- The proposal has possible environmental effects that are individually limited but cumulatively considerable.
- The proposal could cause direct or indirect adverse effects on human beings.

in any significant effect on the environment.	 	
According to Section 15070(b), a Mitigated Negative Declaration that though a proposal could result in a significant effect, mitigation		
significant effects to insignificant levels.		

According to Section 15070(a), a **Negative Declaration** is deemed appropriate if the proposal would not result

This Initial Study has determined that the proposed applications will not result in any potentially significant environmental impacts and therefore, a Negative Declaration is deemed as the appropriate document to provide necessary environmental evaluations and clearance as identified hereinafter.

This Initial Study and Negative Declaration are prepared in conformance with the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended (Public Resources Code, Section 21000 et. seq.); Section 15070 of the State & County of Imperial's Guidelines for Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000, et. seq.); applicable requirements of the County of Imperial; and the regulations, requirements, and procedures of any other responsible public agency or an agency with jurisdiction by law.

Pursuant to the County of Imperial <u>Guidelines for Implementing CEQA</u>, depending on the project scope, the County of Imperial Board of Supervisors, Planning Commission and/or Planning Director is designated the Lead Agency, in accordance with Section 15050 of the CEQA Guidelines. The Lead Agency is the public agency which has the

principal responsibility for approving the necessary environmental clearances and analyses for any project in the County.

C. INTENDED USES OF INITIAL STUDY AND NEGATIVE DECLARATION

This Initial Study and Negative Declaration are informational documents which are intended to inform County of Imperial decision makers, other responsible or interested agencies, and the general public of potential environmental effects of the proposed applications. The environmental review process has been established to enable public agencies to evaluate environmental consequences and to examine and implement methods of eliminating or reducing any potentially adverse impacts. While CEQA requires that consideration be given to avoiding environmental damage, the Lead Agency and other responsible public agencies must balance adverse environmental effects against other public objectives, including economic and social goals.

The Initial Study and Negative Declaration, prepared for the project will be circulated for a period of 20 days (30-days if submitted to the State Clearinghouse for a project of area-wide significance) for public and agency review and comments. At the conclusion, if comments are received, the County Planning & Development Services Department will prepare a document entitled "Responses to Comments" which will be forwarded to any commenting entity and be made part of the record within 10-days of any project consideration.

D. CONTENTS OF INITIAL STUDY & NEGATIVE DECLARATION

This Initial Study is organized to facilitate a basic understanding of the existing setting and environmental implications of the proposed applications.

SECTION 1

I. INTRODUCTION presents an introduction to the entire report. This section discusses the environmental process, scope of environmental review, and incorporation by reference documents.

SECTION 2

II. ENVIRONMENTAL CHECKLIST FORM contains the County's Environmental Checklist Form. The checklist form presents results of the environmental evaluation for the proposed applications and those issue areas that would have either a significant impact, potentially significant impact, or no impact.

PROJECT SUMMARY, LOCATION AND EVIRONMENTAL SETTINGS describes the proposed project entitlements and required applications. A description of discretionary approvals and permits required for project implementation is also included. It also identifies the location of the project and a general description of the surrounding environmental settings.

ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS evaluates each response provided in the environmental checklist form. Each response checked in the checklist form is discussed and supported with sufficient data and analysis as necessary. As appropriate, each response discussion describes and identifies specific impacts anticipated with project implementation.

SECTION 3

- **III. MANDATORY FINDINGS** presents Mandatory Findings of Significance in accordance with Section 15065 of the CEQA Guidelines.
- IV. PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS CONSULTED identifies those persons consulted and involved in preparation of this Initial Study and Negative Declaration.

V. REFERENCES lists bibliographical materials used in preparation of this document.

VI. NEGATIVE DECLARATION - COUNTY OF IMPERIAL

VII. FINDINGS

SECTION 4

VIII. RESPONSE TO COMMENTS (IF ANY)

IX. MITIGATION MONITORING & REPORTING PROGRAM (MMRP) (IF ANY)

E. SCOPE OF ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

For evaluation of environmental impacts, each question from the Environmental Checklist Form is summarized and responses are provided according to the analysis undertaken as part of the Initial Study. Impacts and effects will be evaluated and quantified, when appropriate. To each question, there are four possible responses, including:

- 1. **No Impact:** A "No Impact" response is adequately supported if the impact simply does not apply to the proposed applications.
- 2. **Less Than Significant Impact:** The proposed applications will have the potential to impact the environment. These impacts, however, will be less than significant; no additional analysis is required.
- 3. **Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated:** This applies where incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact".
- 4. **Potentially Significant Impact:** The proposed applications could have impacts that are considered significant. Additional analyses and possibly an EIR could be required to identify mitigation measures that could reduce these impacts to less than significant levels.

F. POLICY-LEVEL or PROJECT LEVEL ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

This Initial Study and Negative Declaration will be conducted under a \square policy-level, \bowtie project level analysis. Regarding mitigation measures, it is not the intent of this document to "overlap" or restate conditions of approval that are commonly established for future known projects or the proposed applications. Additionally, those other standard requirements and regulations that any development must comply with, that are outside the County's jurisdiction, are also not considered mitigation measures and therefore, will not be identified in this document.

G. TIERED DOCUMENTS AND INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

Information, findings, and conclusions contained in this document are based on incorporation by reference of tiered documentation, which are discussed in the following section.

1. Tiered Documents

As permitted in Section 15152(a) of the CEQA Guidelines, information and discussions from other documents can be included into this document. Tiering is defined as follows:

"Tiering refers to using the analysis of general matters contained in a broader EIR (such as the one prepared for a general plan or policy statement) with later EIRs and negative declarations on narrower projects;

incorporating by reference the general discussions from the broader EIR; and concentrating the later EIR or negative declaration solely on the issues specific to the later project."

Tiering also allows this document to comply with Section 15152(b) of the CEQA Guidelines, which discourages redundant analyses, as follows:

"Agencies are encouraged to tier the environmental analyses which they prepare for separate but related projects including the general plans, zoning changes, and development projects. This approach can eliminate repetitive discussion of the same issues and focus the later EIR or negative declaration on the actual issues ripe for decision at each level of environmental review. Tiering is appropriate when the sequence of analysis is from an EIR prepared for a general plan, policy or program to an EIR or negative declaration for another plan, policy, or program of lesser scope, or to a site-specific EIR or negative declaration."

Further, Section 15152(d) of the CEQA Guidelines states:

"Where an EIR has been prepared and certified for a program, plan, policy, or ordinance consistent with the requirements of this section, any lead agency for a later project pursuant to or consistent with the program, plan, policy, or ordinance should limit the EIR or negative declaration on the later project to effects which:

- (1) Were not examined as significant effects on the environment in the prior EIR; or
- (2) Are susceptible to substantial reduction or avoidance by the choice of specific revisions in the project, by the imposition of conditions, or other means."

2. Incorporation By Reference

Incorporation by reference is a procedure for reducing the size of EIRs/MND and is most appropriate for including long, descriptive, or technical materials that provide general background information, but do not contribute directly to the specific analysis of the project itself. This procedure is particularly useful when an EIR or Negative Declaration relies on a broadly-drafted EIR for its evaluation of cumulative impacts of related projects (*Las Virgenes Homeowners Federation v. County of Los Angeles* [1986, 177 Ca.3d 300]). If an EIR or Negative Declaration relies on information from a supporting study that is available to the public, the EIR or Negative Declaration cannot be deemed unsupported by evidence or analysis (*San Francisco Ecology Center v. City and County of San Francisco* [1975, 48 Ca.3d 584, 595]). This document incorporates by reference appropriate information from the "Final Environmental Impact Report and Environmental Assessment for the "County of Imperial General Plan EIR" prepared by Brian F. Mooney Associates in 1993 and updates.

When an EIR or Negative Declaration incorporates a document by reference, the incorporation must comply with Section 15150 of the CEQA Guidelines as follows:

- The incorporated document must be available to the public or be a matter of public record (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[a]). The General Plan EIR and updates are available, along with this document, at the County of Imperial Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243 Ph. (442) 265-1736.
- This document must be available for inspection by the public at an office of the lead agency (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[b]). These documents are available at the County of Imperial Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, El Centro, CA 92243 Ph. (442) 265-1736.
- These documents must summarize the portion of the document being incorporated by reference or briefly describe information that cannot be summarized. Furthermore, these documents must describe the

relationship between the incorporated information and the analysis in the tiered documents (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[c]). As discussed above, the tiered EIRs address the entire project site and provide background and inventory information and data which apply to the project site. Incorporated information and/or data will be cited in the appropriate sections.

- These documents must include the State identification number of the incorporated documents (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[d]). The State Clearinghouse Number for the County of Imperial General Plan EIR is SCH #93011023.
- The material to be incorporated in this document will include general background information (CEQA Guidelines Section 15150[f]). This has been previously discussed in this document.

Environmental Checklist

1. Project Title: Parcel Map #02495

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- 2. Lead Agency: Imperial County Planning & Development Services Department
- 3. Contact person and phone number: Michael Abraham, Assistant Director, (442)265-1736
- 4. Address: 801 Main Street, El Centro CA, 92243
- 5. E-mail: michaelabraham@co.imperial.ca.us
- Project location: 1396 W Andre Rd, Brawley, CA, Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 036-160-008-000
- 7. Project sponsor's name and address: Muhammad Naeem

3470 E Florida, Ave. Hemet, CA 92544

- 8. General Plan designation: Agriculture
- 9. **Zoning**: A-2 (General Agriculture)
- 10. **Description of project**: Applicant is proposing to divide the land of APN 036-160-008-000 equally between two partners, each proposed parcel would be approximately +/- 80 acres, for a total of approximately +/- 160 acres:
- 11. **Surrounding land uses and setting**: The project is located adjacent to Andre Road and Lack Road. The State Route 86/78 is located approximately 5,100 feet north of the project site. The surrounding area is comprised of cultivated agricultural fields. The existing A-2 (General Agriculture) zoning will remain. Parcels located to the North, South and East are also zoned A-2 (General Agriculture). The site is approximately 3.5 miles southwest of the City of Westmorland.
- 12. Other public agencies whose approval is required (e.g., permits, financing approval, or participation agreement.): Planning Commission.
- 13. Have California Native American tribes traditionally and culturally affiliated with the project area requested consultation pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1? If so, is there a plan for consultation that includes, for example, the determination of significance of impacts to tribal cultural resources, procedures regarding confidentially, etc.?

The Quechan Indian Tribe have requested to be consulted under Assembly Bill 52. Consultation letter was sent to the Quechan Indian Tribe on March 7, 2022. On March 7, 2022, the County received a no comments email response for this project.

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:

The en	vironmental factors chec a "Potentially Significant	ked below wo Impact" as inc	uld be potent licated by the	ially affect	ed by this pro on the followi	ject, involving at length	east one impact
	Aesthetics	☐ Agricu	ılture and Forestry	Resources		Air Quality	
	Biological Resources	☐ Cultur	al Resources			Energy	
	Geology /Soils	Green	house Gas Emiss	ions		Hazards & Hazardous	s Materials
	Hydrology / Water Quality	☐ Land	Jse / Planning			Mineral Resources	
	Noise	☐ Popula	ation / Housing			Public Services	
	Recreation	Trans	portation			Tribal Cultural Resour	ces
	Utilities/Service Systems	□ Wildfir	е			Mandatory Findings o	f Significance
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further is	s required.					10	_
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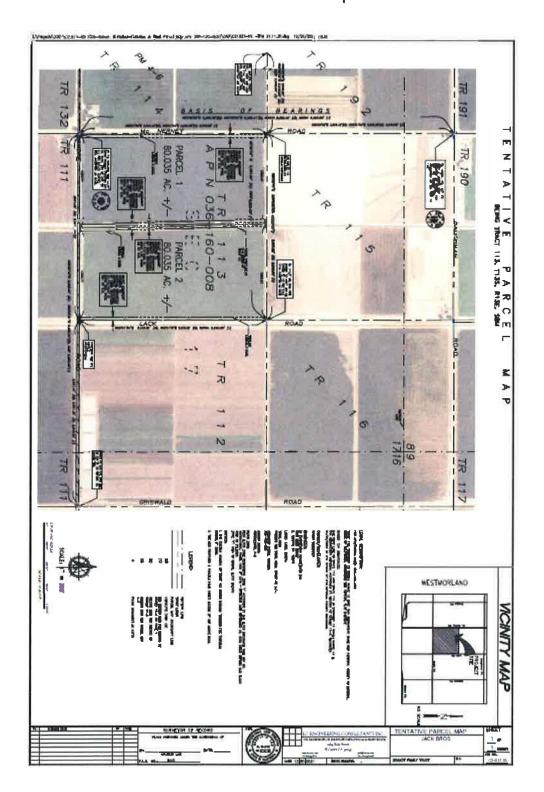
PROJECT SUMMARY

- A. Project Location: The project is located at 1396 W. Andre Road, Brawley, CA APN: 036-160-008-000
- **B.** Project Summary: Applicant is proposing a minor subdivision to divide the land of APN: 036-160-008-000 equally between two partners. No changes in the existing agricultural use or new development is being proposed.
- **C. Environmental Setting**: The proposed project parcel is located South of State Route 86/78 and the current use are agricultural operations. All surrounding parcels are agricultural.
- D. Analysis: Under the Land Use Element of the Imperial County General Plan, the project site is designated as "Agriculture". It is classified as A-2 (General Agriculture) under the Imperial County Land Use Ordinance Title 9, Section 92507.00 "Westmorland Area" Map. Proposed parcel map would create two parcels of +/- 80 acres each, which complies with Section 90508.00 of the Imperial County Land Use Ordinance Title 9, which states that the minimum lot area for A-2 zone is 40 acres.
- E. General Plan Consistency: The project is located within the County's General Plan designation of "Agriculture", the site is currently zoned A-2 (General Agriculture). Pursuant to the Land Use Element of the General Plan, agriculture area is characterized by lands for agricultural production and related industries. The proposed project could be considered consistent with the General Plan and the County Land Use Ordinance Section 90508.00 since no change is being proposed to the existing "Agriculture" designation.

Exhibit "A" Vicinity Map

PROJECT LOCATION MAP LACK RD. PARCEL 2 ANDRE RD. Project Parcel **MOONLITE PACIFIC** PROPOSED PARCEL MAP PROJECT ID: NAEEM SUBDIVISION Parcel 1 PM#02495 Parcel 2 APN# 036-160-008

Exhibit "B" Tentative Parcel Map



EVALUATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS:

- A brief explanation is required for all answers except "No Impact" answers that are adequately supported by the information sources a lead agency cites in the parentheses following each question. A "No Impact" answer is adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to projects like the one involved (e.g., the project falls outside a fault rupture zone). A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors as well as general standards (e.g., the project will not expose sensitive receptors to pollutants, based on a project-specific screening analysis).
- 2) All answers must take account of the whole action involved, including off-site as well as on-site, cumulative as well as project-level, indirect as well as direct, and construction as well as operational impacts.
- Once the lead agency has determined that a particular physical impact may occur, then the checklist answers must indicate whether the impact is potentially significant, less than significant with mitigation, or less than significant. "Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate if there is substantial evidence that an effect may be significant. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, an EIR is required.
- "Negative Declaration: Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact." The lead agency must describe the mitigation measures, and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level (mitigation measures from "Earlier Analyses," as described in (5) below, may be cross-referenced).
- 5) Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063(c)(3)(D). In this case, a brief discussion should identify the following:
 - a) Earlier Analysis Used. Identify and state where they are available for review.
 - b) Impacts Adequately Addressed. Identify which effects from the above checklist were within the scope of and adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and state whether such effects were addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis.
 - c) Mitigation Measures. For effects that are "Less than Significant with Mitigation Measures Incorporated," describe the mitigation measures which were incorporated or refined from the earlier document and the extent to which they address site-specific conditions for the project.
- 6) Lead agencies are encouraged to incorporate into the checklist references to information sources for potential impacts (e.g., general plans, zoning ordinances). Reference to a previously prepared or outside document should, where appropriate, include a reference to the page or pages where the statement is substantiated.
- 7) Supporting Information Sources: A source list should be attached, and other sources used or individuals contacted should be cited in the discussion.
- 8) This is only a suggested form, and lead agencies are free to use different formats; however, lead agencies should normally address the questions from this checklist that are relevant to a project's environmental effects in whatever format is selected.
- 9) The explanation of each issue should identify:
 - a) the significance criteria or threshold, if any, used to evaluate each question; and
 - b) the mitigation measure identified, if any, to reduce the impact to less than significance

_		Potentially Significant Impact (PSI)	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated (PSUMI)	Less Than Significant Impact (LTSI)	No Impact
l. A	ESTHETICS				
Exce	pt as provided in Public Resources Code Section 21099, would the p	roject:			
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista or scenic highway? a) Four areas within the County have the potention the project site is not located near any scenic visualization.				
	County General Plan ¹ Circulation and Scenic Hig		• •	_	•
b)	Substantially damage scenic resources, including, but not limited to trees, rock outcroppings, and historic buildings within a state scenic highway?				\boxtimes
	 b) As previously stated, the proposed project is r and would not substantially damage scenic resource. 				Highway
c)	In non-urbanized areas, substantially degrade the existing visual character or quality of public views of the site and its surrounding? (Public views are those that are experienced from publicly accessible vantage point.) If the project is in an				\boxtimes
	urbanized area, would the project conflict with applicable zoning and other regulations governing scenic quality? c) The proposed project would not substantially since there no changes to the existing use are be				
d)	Create a new source of substantial light or glare which would adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area?				
	d) The proposed project would create two parce substantial light or glare which would adversely a use is proposed. No impact is expected.				
II.	AGRICULTURE AND FOREST RESOURCES				
Agric use in envir the s	termining whether impacts to agricultural resources are significan ultural Land Evaluation and Site Assessment Model (1997) prepared in assessing impacts on agriculture and farmland. In determining whe commental effects, lead agencies may refer to information compiled by tate's inventory of forest land, including the Forest and Range Assession measurement methodology provided in Forest Protocols adopted by	by the California ether impacts to the California E sment Project ar	Department of Conservatoriest resources, including Department of Forestry and the Forest Legacy As	ration as an option of timberland, a mand Fire Protections sessment project	onal model to are significant ion regarding ct; and forest
a)	Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance (Farmland), as shown on the maps prepared pursuant to the Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program of the California Resources Agency, to non-agricultural use?				\boxtimes
	a) The proposed project site is listed as "Farm of Sthe Imperial County Important Farmland 2016 Moremain, therefore, the proposed project will not Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance	lap ² , howev ot convert a	er the agricultura iny type of Prime	l use is prop e Farmland,	oosed to Unique
b)	Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use, or a Williamson Act Contract? b) The proposed project is listed as "Non-Enrolled existing zoning for agricultural use, or a Williamson agricultural use, or a Williamson				⊠ flict with

		Potentially Significant Impact	Potentially Significant Unless Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
		(PSI)	(PSUMI)	(LTSI)	<u>(Ni)</u>
c)	Conflict with existing zoning for, or cause rezoning of, forest land (as defined in Public Resources Code section 12220(g)), timberland (as defined by Public Resources Code section 4526), or timberland zoned Timberland Production (as defined by Government Code Section 51104(g))? c) The proposed project is consistent with the attimberland; therefore, it is not expected to conforest land (as defined in Public Resources Copublic Resources Code section 4526), or timberland.	flict with exist ode section rland zoned	ting zoning for, o 12220(g)), timber Fimberland Produ	r cause rezo land (as de	oning of, fined by
	Government Code Section 51104(g)). No impac	ts are expect	ed.		
d)	Result in the loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?				\boxtimes
	d) The proposed project is not located in a forest loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to				
e)	Involve other changes in the existing environment which, due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of Farmland, to non-agricultural use or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?				\boxtimes
	e) The proposed project proposes a minor subd is proposed as a result of this project and is not could result in the conversion of farmland. There	expected to	change the existi		
AIR	QUALITY				
	available, the significance criteria established by the applicable air upon to the following determinations. Would the Project:	quality managem	ent district or air pollution	on control distric	t may be
a)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan?				\boxtimes
	a) The proposed project is for a minor subdiving agricultural use is expected to continue, therefore implementation of the applicable air quality earthmoving must adhere to Air District Rules are	ore, it is not plan. The ap	expected to controllicant for futur	flict with or e construct	obstruct
b)	Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard?				\boxtimes
	b) As previously stated, under item a) above, a and regulations of APCD, therefore, it is not a substantially to an existing or projected air quality	expected tha	t proposed proje	ct would co	
c)	Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutants concentrations?				\boxtimes
	c) The project proposes a minor subdivision to come as a result of this project. If approved, the subdivisubstantial pollutants concentration. No impacts	ision is not ex	kpected expose s		
d)	Result in other emissions (such as those leading to odors adversely affecting a substantial number of people?			\boxtimes	
	d) As per item c) above, if the parcel map is appropriately affecting a substantial number of people. APCD regulations and the California Building Co.	As stated a	bove under item	b), complia	nce with

		Significant Impact (PSI)	Unless Mitigation Incorporated (PSUMI)	Significant Impact (LTSI)	No Impact (NI)
V. B l	OLOGICAL RESOURCES Would the project:				
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect, either directly or through habitat modifications, on any species identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special status species in local or regional plans, policies or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service? a) The proposed project site is located within changes in the existing use or new development a substantially adverse effect, either directly identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special stregulation, or by the California Department of F Any impacts would appear to be less than signification.	is proposed or through tatus species ish and Gan	l, therefore, it does habitat modificati s in local or regio	s not appea on, or any nal plan, po	r to have species licies, or
b)	Have a substantial adverse effect on any riparian habitat or other sensitive natural community identified in local or regional plans, policies, regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife or U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service? b) According to the Imperial County General PI project site is not within a riparian habitat, or all Open Space Element, therefore, it does not approplan, policies, and regulations regarding sensitive Fish and Wildlife. Any impact is considered to be	n Agency-Do ear to have a ve natural co	esignated Habitat a substantial effec ommunities or by	per Figure at in local or	3 of the regional
C)	Have a substantial adverse effect on state or federally protected wetlands (including, but not limited to, marsh, vernal pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, hydrological interruption, or other means? c) The project is not located within a riparian substantial adverse effect on federal protected w pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling impacts are expected as a result of this division of the content of the	etlands (incl ng, hydrolog	uding but not limit	ed to, mars	h, vernal
d)	Interfere substantially with the movement of any resident or migratory fish or wildlife species or with established native resident or migratory wildlife corridors, or impede the use of native wildlife nursery sites? d) The proposed project site has an existing agriculturally, it is not located within a Sensitive interfere substantially with the movement of any with established resident or migratory wildlife, co sites. Any impact is expected to be less than sign	Habitat; the residential or im	refore it is not ex or migratory fish o	pected that or wildlife sp	it would ecies or
e)	Conflict with any local policies or ordinance protecting biological resource, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance? e) The proposed project is on a disturbed land a or ordinances protecting biological resources. Im				
f)	Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan? f) The proposed project is not within a designate General Plan's Conservation and Open Space provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation	ed sensitive a	area according to erefore, it would	the Imperia	☐ County with the

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other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan. No impacts are expected as a result of this division of land.

V.	CL	ILTURAL RESOURCES	Would the project:					
	a)	a) According to the 5 "Areas of Heighte and Trail Route. A does not locate the on March 7, 2022	rse change in the significance of nt to §15064.5? Imperial County General I ened Historic Period Sensidditionally, per Figure 6 "e project within a designation email from the Quecha project. Therefore, no imp	Plan's Co itivity, the Known A ted area n Histori	e project site is Areas of Nativ of possible in c Preservatior	not located wi e American Cu pact. The proj	thin a Explo Iltural Sens ect also red	ration sitivity" ceived
	b)	archaeological resource p b) The proposed pr	rse change in the significance of a ursuant to §15064.5? oject is located on disturb ntial change to an arched	ed land v				
	c)	of dedicated cemeteries? c) As mentioned use an existing agricultris not expected to r	ns, including those interred outsident of the part of	oroposed es are loof f any hur	cated adjacen man remains,	t to the project including those	site; theref	fore, it
VI.	EN	ERGY Would the projec	t:					
	a)	wasteful, inefficient, or ur resources, during project of a) The proposed prother agricultural operathis project. If appenvironmental imparts during project constant construction and California Building (Services Departme	ficant environmental impact due to inecessary consumption of energy construction or operation? To ject is for a minor subdivision are expected to reproved, the subdivision act due to wasteful, inefficient ruction or operation. New not site improvements we code and administrative put which could result in the esult of the proposed projects.	vision creemain. Not eent, or ur vhabitatould requermit wit ee inclusie	lo new constructed to innecessary coole construction in the compliance of the compli	uction is requiresult in potents in potents in potents in sumption of entering it occurs with the later into Planning a	red as a resontially sign energy resonance in the feest edition and Develop	sult of ificant urces, future, of the oment
	b)	energy or energy efficience b) As previously malthough not anticip through an administregulations at the	a state or local plan for renewable y? nentioned under item a), ated, should new habitable trative permit to ensure cotime of construction. The ocal plan for renewable en	the prope construction the construction of the	uction occur in with energy e he proposed	the future it w efficiency and re project will no	ould be rev enewable e t conflict w	iewed nergy vith or

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a)	effe a) counther is r	ectly or indirectly cause potential substantial adverse ects, including risk of loss, injury, or death involving: The proposed project does not appear to construction is anticipated. Future development a California Building Code and will go thru an not expected that the proposed subdivision wo verse effects, including risk of loss, injury, or development.	on the parce administrativ uld directly or	els will be subject e building permit indirectly cause	t to compliant review, then potential sul	nce with refore, it bstantial
	1)	Rupture of a known earthquake fault, as delineated on the most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Map issued by the State Geologist for the area or based on other substantial evidence of a known fault? Refer to Division of Mines and Geology Special Publication 42? 1) The most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthqual within any Earthquake Fault Zones as creat Act; the Brawley NW Seismic Zone is located project. Therefore, impacts are expected to be	ed by the Ald approximate	quist-Priolo Earth	nquake Faul	t Zoning
	2)	Strong Seismic ground shaking? 2) As discussed above, under item 1) the Southwest from the proposed project, and the of seismic activity in the region. However, the area and seismic ground shaking is expected mentioned, any future development on the California Building Code and will go thru an an expected to be less than significant.	nerefore, grou he Imperial V in similitude e parcels will	und shaking is ex alley is located to the adjacent pa be subject to o	xpected in the in an active arcels. As procompliance v	ne event seismic eviously with the
	3)	Seismic-related ground failure, including liquefaction and seiche/tsunami? 3) The project site is not located in a Tsul Official Tsunami Inundation Maps ⁴ . Impacts				☐ alifornia
	4)	Landslides? 4) The proposed project is not located within County Seismic and Public Safety Element, F the project site appears to be generally fla affected by a landslide. No impacts are expense.	igure 2 (Lanc it, and theref	Islide Activity). Th	he topograph	y within
b)	b) Co	sult in substantial soil erosion or the loss of topsoil? The proposed project is not located within an ar unty Seismic and Public Safety Element, Figu less than significant.				
c)	pote subs c) col	located on a geologic unit or soil that is unstable or that all become unstable as a result of the project, and entially result in on- or off-site landslides, lateral spreading, sidence, liquefaction or collapse? The proposed project site is not located on a lapse as a result of the proposed minor subdivide (CBC) for any future construction would man	vision project	; compliance with	h California	
d)	Build	ocated on expansive soil, as defined in the latest Uniform ding Code, creating substantial direct or indirect risk to life roperty?				

³ Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Maps- https://maps.conservation.ca.gov/cgs/EQZApp/app/4 California Official Tsunami Inundation Maps- https://www.conservation.ca.gov/cgs/tsunami/maps
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		d) The proposed project is for a minor subdiv proposed; however the future development of f permit to comply with the California Building Co standard intended to protect life safety. Therefore	uture structu ode latest ed	ures would required ition, which esta	re an admir ablishes a r	nistrative minimum
	e)	Have soils incapable of adequately supporting the use of septic tanks or alternative waste water disposal systems where sewers are not available for the disposal of waste water?				
		e) The existing agricultural use is proposed to con should future development occur, the proposed with applicable Imperial County Public Health I assure that the impacts of the projects would be I	septic syster Department	m would require regulations, such	to be in cor	mpliance
	f)	Directly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontological resource or site or unique geologic feature?			\boxtimes	
		f) The project site has an existing agricultural us directly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontolog there are no known unique paleontological resousignificant impacts are expected.	ical resource	or site or unique	geologic fe	ature as
VIII.	GR	EENHOUSE GAS EMISSION Would the project:				
	a)	Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?			\boxtimes	
		a) The approval of the proposed project is to agricultural use into two new parcels. The action emissions that would either directly or indirectly, in A letter dated March 17, 2022 of no comments we Control District, the Air District Rules and Regular Compliance with APCD is expected to bring any in	on is not exp may have a s as received f tions link wa	pected to general significant impact from the Imperial as included for the	ate greenho on the envir County Air l e applicant's	use gas conment.
	b)	Conflict with an applicable plan or policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse			\boxtimes	
		gases? b) The proposed project is for a minor subdivision 32 of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gas and the existing agriculture use is anticipated to significant.	es emission	as no new devel	opment is p	roposed
IX.	HAZ	ZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS Would the project:	•			
	a)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?				
		 a) The proposed project is not expected to c environment since it does not include any har expected. 				
	b)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through reasonable foreseeable upset and accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?			\boxtimes	
		b) The proposed project is not expected to c environment through reasonable foreseeable ups				

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	of hazardous materials into the environment a proposed project. Any impact is expected to be I			anticipate	d in the
c)	Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one-quarter mile of an existing or proposed school? c) The proposed project is not located within ¼ mile a risk to school facilities; therefore, less than sign			⊠ would not re	 epresent
d)	Be located on a site, which is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and, as a result, would it create a significant hazard to the public or the environment? d) The proposed project site is not located on a stherefore, no impacts are expected.	Site included	☐ on a list of hazard	☐ Jous materia	⊠ al sites ⁵ ;
e)	For a project located within an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project result in a safety hazard or excessive noise for people residing or working in the project area? e) The proposed project is not located within a Brawley Municipal Airport located approximately therefore, it would not to result in a safety hazard therefore, no impact expected.	10.4 miles So	outheast of the pro	oposed proj	ect, and
f)	Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan? f) The proposed project would not interfere with an evacuation plan; therefore, no impacts are expec		ergency response	□ plan or em	⊠ ergency
g)	Expose people or structures, either directly or indirectly, to a significant risk of loss, injury or death involving wildland fires? g) The proposed project site is located within an uas LRA Moderate per Cal Fire Draft Fire Hazar impacts are expected to result from the propose expected to continue. Any new development macomply with ICFD regulations.	d Severity Zo ed project as	ones in LRA for In the existing agric	mperial Cou ultural activ	unty. No ities are
HYE	PROLOGY AND WATER QUALITY Would the project:				
a)	Violate any water quality standards or waste discharge requirements or otherwise substantially degrade surface or ground water quality? b) The proposed project will continue to use Imperial Irrigation District ⁶ (IID) comment letter da point of water delivery and drainage discharge operation on IID property or within its existing an an encroachment permit or agreement. It is expecomment letter dated March 16, 2022 would brin	ated March 1 for each pard d proposed rected that co	6, 2022, the applicable. Additionally, ight of way or easing mpliance with IID	icant shall e any constru sements will 's requireme	establish action or I require ents per

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⁵ EnviroStor Database http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/6 Imperial Irrigation District comment letter
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b)	Substantially decrease groundwater supplies or interfere substantially with groundwater recharge such that the project may impede sustainable groundwater management of the basin? b) The proposed project does not anticipate to	he use of a	round water, and		
	substantially decrease groundwater supplies or such that the project may impede sustainable groundwater supplies or are expected to be less than significant.	interfere sul	bstantially with gro	oundwater i	recharge
c)	Substantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the site or area, including through the alteration of the course of a stream or river or through the addition of impervious surfaces, in a manner which would:			\boxtimes	
	c) Per Imperial County Public Works regulation grading plan/engineer's report showing any and a building sites within the subdivision or for construsubdivision. This grading plan shall clearly show drainage resulting from the subdivision is manag Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Tile 9 Divis Grading plans shall be submitted for review and recordation of the parcel map. It is expected the impact to less than significant levels.	all grading poution or instant we all on-sited and or controlsion 8 Chaptant approval by	roposed or require tallation of improve grading and sha olled to prevent ad ter 3 Section 9080 o Department of P	ed for the creements to so	eation of serve the v off-site cts. (Per ng plan). s prior to
	(i) result in substantial erosion or siltation on- or off-site;			\boxtimes	
	(i) According to Figure 9 (Erosion Activity) of th Imperial County General Plan, the area is on a de plan required prior the Parcel Map recordation as erosion or siltation would occur; therefore, impac	signation of s per item c	a low activity. Add) above would ens	itionally, the sure that su	grading bstantial
	 (ii) substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or offsite; 				
	(ii) Per Imperial County Public Works developed provide for property grading and drainage of sedimentation of damage to off-site properties. Imperial Department of Public Works Engineering and Checking of Street Improvement, Drainage According to Public Works, the developer shall if appropriate Best Management Practices (BMF submitted for review and approval by Department map. Therefore, it is not expected that the propose amount of surface runoff in a manner which we considered less than significant.	ontrol, which Said plan some pesign Gorage, and Gramplement the project weed project which which was some project weed project we well we were well we well w	th shall also inchall be completed uidelines Manual ading Plans withine approved plan. e included. Grad forks prior to recorould substantially	lude prevent per the C for the Pre Imperial Employme ing plans structured to the contract of t	ntion of ounty of paration County. nt of the shall be se parcel e rate or
	(iii) create or contribute runoff water which would exceed the capacity of existing or planned stormwater drainage systems or provide substantial additional sources of polluted runoff; or;			\boxtimes	
	(iii) As stated above under item c), Imperial Couthe recordation of the Parcel Map which shall cle off-site drainage resulting from the subdivision is r Such compliance would ensure that runoff water	early show a managed or o	II on-site grading a controlled to preve	and shall sh ent adverse	now how impacts.
	(iv) impede or redirect flood flows? (iv) The project site is located within Zone X	per Federal	☐ Emergency M ar	agement A	⊠ \gency's

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		(FEMA) ⁷ Flood Insurance Rate Map Panel 060 Therefore, no impact is anticipated.	25C1000C (FIRM effective S	eptember 28	3, 2008).
	d)	In flood hazard, tsunami, or seiche zones, risk release of pollutants due to project inundation? d) The proposed project topography is generally seiche zone, therefore, no impacts are expected.				⊠ unami or
	e)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of a water quality control plan or sustainable groundwater management plan? e) As stated above under item c (ii), the propose by Imperial County Public Works prior the records that the minor subdivision would conflict with or plan or sustainable groundwater management significant.	ation of the poolstruct imp	arcel map, therefollowers	ore, it is not e water quality	expected y control
XI.	LA	ND USE AND PLANNING Would the project:				
	a)	Physically divide an established community? a) The proposed project would create two parc community, therefore no impact is expected.	els and will	not physically di	□ ivide an est	⊠ ablished
	b)	Cause a significant environmental impact due to a conflict with any land use plan, policy, or regulation adopted for the purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental effect? b) The proposed project could be considered consono change is being proposed to the existing land with Imperial County Land Use Ordinance Title sproject and Section 90303.01 Lot Size. No impact	ise designati 9, Section 90	on or zoning. The 0303.02 Length to	project is co	onsistent
XII.	MII	NERAL RESOURCES Would the project:				
	a)	Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource that would be of value to the region and the residents of the state? a) The proposed project does not anticipate the within the boundaries of an active mine per Imper Space Element, Figure 8 "Existing Mineral Resource of the state of the st	rial County G	eneral Plan's Cor	nservation ar	
	b)	Result in the loss of availability of a locally-important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan or other land use plan? b) The proposed project will not result in the resource recovery site delineated on a local gen impacts are expected.				
XIII.	NO	ISE Would the project result in:				
	a)	Generation of a substantial temporary or permanent increase in ambient noise levels in the vicinity of the project in excess				
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⁷ FEMA- https://www.fema.gov/flood-maps/national-flood-hazard-layer
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1) Fire Protection? 1) The proposed project is not expected to result in construction may be subject to fire sprinklers and or public source such as pressurize hydrants. Corthan significant levels.	have either a	a private water s	ource for fir	efighting
2) Police Protection?2) The proposed project is not expected to have any impacts would be less than significant.	result in sub	stantial impacts	⊠ on police pr	otection;
3) Schools? 3) The proposed project is not expected to have would generate two parcels and no new developments than significant.				
4) Parks? 4) The proposed project is not expected to crea would generate two parcels. No impacts are expected.		☐ ntial impact on p	☐ parks as the	⊠ e project
5) Other Public Facilities?5) Per IID's comment letter dated March 16, 202 the following comments:	☐ 22 after revie	ewing of the proj	⊠ ect, the age	ency has
 IID water facilities that may be impacted include Trifolium 9 Drain. The applicant is not proposin use. However, if future development is being of Department Engineering Services prior to the and coordination. 	ng land-use o onsidered, the proposed d	hanges from the ne applicant shou evelopment's fin	existing agould contact II al design fo	ricultural D Water or review
 The applicant should be advised a point of water For additional information on water service the Office at (760) 482-9900. 	•	•	•	•
 Any construction or operation on IID property of easements including but not limited to: surfact driveways, parking lots, landscape; and all of ground or underground utilities; will require agreement (depending on the circumstance application and instructions for its content in the content of the content of	te improvementation water, sewer e an encroses). A copy ompletion etcory/real-est ditional information b facilities resultility substrains, etc.) resulting the control of	ents such as progressions, storm water, of achment permit of the IID enter are available tate. The district nation regarding equired for and bations, electrical need to be included.	proposed new or any other in or encroa incroachment at the Real Estate encroachm by the project il transmiss uded as pai	streets, er above achment t permit website Section ent. et (which ion and tt of the

Compliance with IID requirements is expected to bring impacts to less than significant levels.

relocation and/or upgrade of IID facilities is the responsibility of the project proponent.

Failure to do so will result in postponement of any construction and/or modification of IID facilities until such time as the environmental documentation is amended and environmental impacts are fully analyzed. Any and all mitigation necessary as a result of the construction,

XVI. RECREATION

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	a)	Would the project increase the use of the existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated? a) The proposed project may increase the use of the existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreations.		od regional parks		
		subdivision would generate two new parcels, how of the existing neighborhood and regional park substantial physical deterioration of the recrea significant.	vever it is not as or other i	expected that the ecreational facili	e increase to ties would g	the use generate
	b)	Does the project include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities which might have an adverse effect on the environment?			\boxtimes	
		b) The proposed project does not include or red facilities as it would only generate two parce expected.				
XVII.	TRA	ANSPORTATION Would the project:				
	a)	Conflict with a program plan, ordinance or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadway, bicycle and pedestrian facilities?			\boxtimes	
		a) The proposed project is not expected to creat does not conflict with the Imperial County General however any new impacts would appear to be less	ıl Plan's Circ	ulation and Sceni		
	b)	Would the project conflict or be inconsistent with the CEQA Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivision (b)?				
		b) The proposed project will not conflict or be 15064.3, subdivision (b) since it is not expected transit priority areas. However, the proposed proje an existing major transit stop or a stop along as would create two new parcels from the existing subsequent development and is expected to have	to have a sect site it is not existing hideveloped p	significant transpo ot located within gh quality transit arcel. The action	ortation impo one-half mile corridor. The does not a	act within e of either ne project
	c)	Substantially increases hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?			\boxtimes	
		c) The proposed project use is compatible with increase hazards. There is no proposed changes Should road improvements occur in further develor in accordance with Imperial County Public Work significant levels.	to the existir	ng access to a coolid improvements	unty maintai would be co	ned road. nstructed
	d)	Result in inadequate emergency access? d) As stated above under item c), proposed acces Andre Road and Lack Road and a private road by therefore, it is not expected that it would result considered less than significant.	uilt as per Im	perial County Pul	blic Works s	tandards,
XVIII.		TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES				
	a)	Would the project cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a tribal cultural resource, defined in Public Resources Code Section 21074 as either a site, feature, place, cultural landscape that is geographically defined in terms of				

(PSI) (PSUMI) (LTSI) (NI) the size and scope of the landscape, sacred place or object with cultural value to a California Native American tribe, and a) The proposed project would create two new parcels, however there is no substantial evidence that the proposed project would cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a tribal cultural resource, defined in Public Resources Code Section 21074. Additionally, a notification via email was received from the Quechan Historic Preservation Officer stating that they do not wish to comment on this project at this time; therefore, less than significant impacts are expected. (i) Listed or eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of M П historical resources as define in Public Resources Code Section 5020.1(k), or (i) The proposed project is not listed or is not likely that it would be eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of historical resources as define in Public Resources Code Section 5020.1(k) since as stated above under item a), there is no known evidence of cultural resources on site. Less than significant impacts are expected. (ii) A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion and supported by substantial evidence, to be significant pursuant to criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resources Code Section \Box \boxtimes \Box 5024.1. In applying the criteria set forth is subdivision (c) of Public Resource Code Section 5024.1, the lead agency shall consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American Tribe. (ii) No significant resources as defined in the Public Resources Code Section 5024.1 are expected to be impacted by the proposed project. Therefore, any impact is considered to be less than significant. XIX. UTILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS Would the project: Require or result in the relocation or construction of new or expanded water, wastewater treatment or stormwater \Box \Box \boxtimes \Box drainage, electric power, natural gas, or telecommunications facilities, the construction of which could cause significant environmental effects? a) The project proposes to divide a +/- 160 acre parcel with an existing agricultural use into two individual parcels will not require or result in the relocation or construction of new or expanded water, wastewater treatment or stormwater drainage, electric power, natural gas, or telecommunications facilities. Applicant shall also comply with IID comment letter dated March 16, 2022 which mentions that any modification on IID's property or easements would require an encroachment permit or agreement. Impacts are expected to be less than significant. Have sufficient water supplies available to serve the project from existing and reasonably foreseeable future development \boxtimes during normal, dry and multiple dry years? b) Per IID comment letter dated March 16, 2022, the applicant should be advised to establish a point of water delivery and drainage discharge for each parcel. No increase in water demand is

expected. Impacts are considered less than significant.

Result in a determination by the wastewater treatment

provider which serves or may serve the project that it has adequate capacity to serve the project's projected demand in M

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	addition to the provider's existing commitments? c) The proposed project does not anticipates so 16, 2022 applicant shall establish a point of we increase in wastewater demand is expected. Imp	ater and dra	inage discharge f	for each pa	arcel. No
d)	Generate solid waste in excess of State or local standards, or in excess of the capacity of local infrastructure, or otherwise impair the attainment of solid waste reduction goals? d) The proposed project would create two parce that is proposed to continue; therefore it is not export local standards, or in excess of the capacity attainment of solid waste reduction goals. Less the capacity of the capacity attainment of solid waste reduction goals.	pected to ger y of local inf	nerate should was frastructure, or ot	te in excess herwise, in	of State
e)	Comply with federal, state, and local management and reduction statutes and regulations related to solid waste? e) The proposed project shall comply with feder to solid waste. Any future development would be less than significant impacts are be expected.				
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flocate	ed in or near state responsibility areas or lands classified as very high	gh fire hazard sev	verity zones, would the f	Project:	
a)	Substantially impair an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?			\boxtimes	
	a) The proposed project site is located in a Fire Local Responsibility Area classified as LRA Mode in LRA for Imperial County ⁸ ; therefore, it is not earn adopted emergency response plan or emerge less than significant.	erate per Cal xpected that	Fire Draft Fire Hat the project would	zard Severi substantial	ty Zones ly impair
b)	Due to slope, prevailing winds, and other factors, exacerbate wildfire risks, and thereby expose project occupants to pollutant concentrations from a wildfire or the uncontrolled spread of a wildfire? b) As previously stated under item a) above, the and not within a Very High Fire Hazard Severity impacts are expected related due to slope, prevarisks, and thereby expose project occupants to uncontrolled spread of a wildfire.	Zone (VHF)	HSZ); therefore, I and other factors,	ess than si exacerbate	gnificant e wildfire
c)	Require the installation or maintenance of associated infrastructure (such as roads, fuel breaks, emergency water sources, power lines or other utilities) that may exacerbate fire risk or that may result in temporary or ongoing impacts to the environment? c) Access is via McNerney Road, Andre Road an required. Any new construction is subject to the inwater source for firefighting or public source such would lessen impacts to less than significant level.	nclusion of fir th as pressu	e sprinklers and h	ave either	a private
d)	Expose people or structures to significant risks, including downslope or downstream flooding or landslides, as a result				

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⁸ Cal Fire Draft Fire Hazard Severity Zones Map in LRA for Imperial County
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of runoff, post-fire slope instability, or drainage changes?

d) The proposed project site is generally flat and as stated above under item a) above, the proposed project is classified as LRA Moderate and not within a VHFHSZ; therefore, impacts—related to expose people or structures to significant risks, including downslope or downstream flooding or landslides, as a result of runoff, post-fire slope instability, or drainage changes are considered less than significant.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21083.05, Public Resources Code. Reference: Section 65088.4, Gov. Code; Sections 21080(c), 21080.1, 21080.3, 21083, 21083.05, 21083.3, 21093, 21094, 21095, and 21151, Public Resources Code; Sundstrom v. County of Mendocino, (1988) 202 Cal. App. 3d 296; Leonoff v. Monterey Board of Supervisors; (1990) 222 Cal. App. 3d 1337; Eureka Citizens for Responsible Govt. v. City of Eureka (2007) 147 Cal. App. 4th 357; Protect the Historic Amador Waterways v. Amador Water Agency (2004) 116 Cal. App. 4th at 1109; San Franciscans Upholding the Downtown Plan v. City and County of San Francisco (2002) 102 Cal. App. 4th 656.

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SECTION 3

III. MANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE

The following are Mandatory Findings of Significance in accordance with Section 15065 of the CEQA Guidelines.

a)	Does the project have the potential to substantially degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, substantially reduce the number or restrict the range of a rare or endangered plant or animal, eliminate tribal cultural resources or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory?		
b)	Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, but cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of a project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.)		
c)	Does the project have environmental effects, which will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?		

IV. PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS CONSULTED

This section identifies those persons who prepared or contributed to preparation of this document. This section is prepared in accordance with Section 15129 of the CEQA Guidelines.

A. COUNTY OF IMPERIAL

- Jim Minnick, Director of Planning & Development Services
- Michael Abraham, AICP, Assistant Director of Planning & Development Services
- Mariela Moran, Project Planner
- Imperial County Air Pollution Control District
- Department of Public Works
- Fire Department
- Ag Commissioner
- Environmental Health Services
- Sheriff's Office

B. OTHER AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS

- Imperial Irrigation District
- Quechan Indian Tribe

(Written or oral comments received on the checklist prior to circulation)

V. REFERENCES

- 1. "County of Imperial General Plan EIR", prepared by Brian F. Mooney & Associates in 1993; and as Amended by County in 1996, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2006 & 2008, 2015, 2016.
- 2. County Important Farmland 2016 Map
- 3. Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Maps- https://maps.conservation.ca.gov/cgs/EQZApp/app/
- 4. California Official Tsunami Inundation Maps- https://www.conservation.ca.gov/cgs/tsunami/maps
- 5. EnviroStor Database http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/
- 6. Imperial Irrigation District comment letters dated March 16, 2022.
- 7. FEMA- https://www.fema.gov/flood-maps/national-flood-hazard-layer
- 8. Cal Fire Draft Fire Hazard Severity Zones Map in LRA for Imperial County

VI. NEGATIVE DECLARATION – County of Imperial

The following Negative Declaration is being circulated for public review in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act Section 21091 and 21092 of the Public Resources Code.

Project Name: Parcel Map #02495

Project Applicant: Muhammad Naeem

3470 E Florida, Ave. Hemet, CA 92544

Project Location: 1396 W Andre Rd, Brawley, CA, Assessor's Parcel Number (APN) 036-160-008-000

Description of Project: Applicant is proposing to divide the land of APN 036-160-008-000 equally between two partners, each proposed parcel would be approximately +/- 80 acres, for a total of approximately +/- 160 acres:

VII. FINDINGS

determ	ine if th	se that the County of Imperial, acting as the lead agency, has conducted an Initial Study to e project may have a significant effect on the environmental and is proposing this Negative sed upon the following findings:
D		ial Study shows that there is no substantial evidence that the project may have a significant effect on ironment and a NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared.
		The Initial Study identifies potentially significant effects but:
	(1)	Proposals made or agreed to by the applicant before this proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration was released for public review would avoid the effects or mitigate the effects to a point where clearly no significant effects would occur.
	(2)	There is no substantial evidence before the agency that the project may have a significant effect on the environment.
	(3)	Mitigation measures are required to ensure all potentially significant impacts are reduced to levels of insignificance.
		A NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared.
to supp available	ort this f le for rev	legative Declaration means that an Environmental Impact Report will not be required. Reasons finding are included in the attached Initial Study. The project file and all related documents are view at the County of Imperial, Planning & Development Services Department, 801 Main Street, 2243 (442) 265-1736.
		NOTICE

The Applicant hereby acknowledges and accepts the results of the Environmental Evaluation Committee (EEC) and hereby agrees to implement all Mitigation Measures, if applicable, as outlined in the MMRP.

Jim Minnick, Director of Planning & Development Services

The public is invited to comment on the proposed Negative Declaration during the review period.

pplicant Signature Date

4-25-2022

Date of Determination

SECTION 4

VIII. RESPONSE TO COMMENTS

(ATTACH DOCUMENTS, IF ANY, HERE)

IX.	MITIGATION MONITORING & REPORTING PROGRAM (MMRP)
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August 24, 2022

Mr. Jim Minnick, Director Planning & Development Services Department 801 Main Street El Centro, CA 92243

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IMPERIAL COUNTY
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Attention: Mariela Moran, Planner III

SUBJECT: Parcel Map 2495 Dubose Design Group, Inc. / Muhammed Naeem;

Located on 1396 W Andre Rd., Brawley, CA

APN 036-160-008-000

Dear Mr. Minnick:

This letter is in response to your submittal received on March 7, 2022 for the above-mentioned project. The applicant is proposing to divide the land of APN 036-160-008-000 equally between two partners.

Department staff has reviewed the package information and the following comments:

- Andre Road is classified as Minor Collector Local Collector, two (2) lanes, requiring seventy feet (70) of right of way, being thirty five (35) feet from existing centerline. It is required that sufficient right of way be provided to meet this road classification. (As directed by Imperial County Board of Supervisors per Minute Order #6 dated 11/22/1994 per the Imperial County Circulation Element Plan of the General Plan).
- The parcel map shall be based upon a field survey. The basis of bearings for the parcel map shall be derived from the current epoch of the California Coordinate System (CCS), North American Datum of 1983 (NAD83). The survey shall show connections to a minimum of two Continuously Operating Reference Stations (CORS) of the California Real Time Network (CRTN). NAD 83 coordinates shall be established for every monument shown on the parcel map.
- All monuments shall be set prior to recordation of the parcel map and the setting of monuments shall not be deferred. All property corners of each parcel shall be sufficiently monumented. A full complement of corner accessories, including bearings and distances between the accessories and the corner monuments shall be documented by the surveyor of record.
- There shall be filed with each tentative map a grading plan showing any and all grading proposed or required for the creation of building sites within the subdivision or for construction or installation of improvements to serve the subdivision. This grading plan shall clearly show all on-site grading and shall show how off-site drainage resulting from the

subdivision is managed or controlled to prevent adverse impacts. (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Division 8 — Subdivisions - Chapter 3 9083.04 Grading plan). Grading plan shall be approved by this Department prior to recordation of the Parcel Map.

- No development is being proposed at this this time. If land use changes and/or at time development being proposed, a Drainage and Grading Plan to provide for property grading and drainage control, which shall also include prevention of sedimentation of damage to off-site properties shall be required. Said plan shall be completed per the County of Imperial Department of Public Works Engineering Design Guidelines Manual for the Preparation and Checking of Street Improvement, Drainage, and Grading Plans within Imperial County. The Drainage and Grading Plan shall be submitted to this department for review and approval.
- Each parcel created or affected by this project shall abut a maintained road and/or have legal and physical access to a public road before the project documents are recorded.
- No development is being proposed at this this time. If land use changes and/or at time development being proposed, street improvements shall be required Chapter 12.10 Street Improvements of Imperial County Ordinance:
- Section 12.10.010 Definitions of Imperial County Ordinance
 - o "Administrator" refers to the director of public works or his/her designee.
 - o "Roads" and "streets" are used interchangeably throughout this chapter and therefore all references to "streets" in this chapter shall also refer to "roads."
 - o "Street improvement" refers to such street work and utilities to be installed or agreed to be installed by a developer and/or property owner, on land to be used for public or private streets, highways, ways and easements as are necessary for the general use of the property owners and local neighborhood traffic and drainage needs as condition precedent to the approval and acceptance of the project. These improvements shall also include, but not be limited to streets, curbs, gutters, and sidewalks.
 - "Street improvement" also refers to such other specific improvements or type of improvements, the installation of which, either by the developer and/or property owner by public agencies, by private utilities, by any other entity approved by the local agency or by a combination thereof, is necessary or convenient to insure conformity to or implementation of the general plan of the county. These improvements shall include but not be limited to streets, curbs, gutters, and sidewalks.
- Section 12.10.020 Street Improvement Requirements of Imperial County Ordinance:
 - A. Street improvements shall be required in conjunction with, but not limited to, any construction, grading, or related work, including the construction of structures, buildings, or major additions thereto, on property located adjacent to any county street or on property utilizing any county street for ingress and egress.
 - B. For the purpose of establishing proper standards, specification and directions for design and construction of any road, or other land division improvements required to be constructed in the unincorporated territory of Imperial County, the document

entitled "Engineering Design Guidelines Manual for the Preparation and checking of Street Improvement, Drainage, and Grading Plans within Imperial County".

- No development is being proposed at this this time. At time development being proposed, any activity and/or work within Imperial County Right-of-Way shall be completed under a permit issued by this Department (encroachment permit) as per Chapter 12.12 - Excavations on or Near a Public Road of the Imperial County Ordinance.
- Section 12.10.030 Building Permits of Imperial County Ordinance:
 - A. No building permit for any structure or building or major addition to a building or structure shall be issued until the improvements required by Section 12.10.010 of this chapter have been installed. In addition, no building permit shall be issued until there has been compliance with Chapter 12.12 of this title and the requirement that an encroachment permit be obtained.
- No development is being proposed at this this time. At time development being proposed, prior to the issuance of any grading and/or building permits, the Developer shall procure an encroachment permit from this department for any off-site improvements required for this project.
- No development is being proposed at this this time. At time development being proposed, prior to the issuance grading and building permits, a stabilized construction entrance/exit required has part of Best Management Practices (BPM) during grading operations shall be installed under an encroachment permit from this Department.
- Corner record is required to be filed with the county surveyor <u>prior</u> to construction for monuments:
 - o 8771. (b) When monuments exist that control the location of subdivisions, tracts, boundaries, roads, streets, or highways, or provide horizontal or vertical survey control, the monuments shall be located and referenced by or under the direction of a licensed land surveyor or licensed civil engineer legally authorized to practice land surveying, prior to the time when any streets, highways, other rights-of-way, or easements are improved, constructed, reconstructed, maintained, resurfaced, or relocated, and a corner record or record of survey of the references shall be filed with the county surveyor.
- A second corner record is required to be filed with the county surveyor for monuments:
 - o 8771. (c) A permanent monument shall be reset in the surface of the new construction or a witness monument or monuments set to perpetuate the location if any monument could be destroyed, damaged, covered, disturbed, or otherwise obliterated, and a corner record or record of survey shall be filed with the county surveyor prior to the recording of a certificate of completion for the project. Sufficient controlling monuments shall be retained or replaced in their original positions to enable property, right-of-way and easement lines, property corners, and subdivision and tract boundaries to be reestablished without devious surveys

necessarily originating on monuments differing from those that currently control the area.

- Prior to issuance of final certificate of completion, Developer will be responsible for repair, replacement, restoration and/or costs of any/all damages caused by the activities completed under permits to other improvements, roads, road shoulders, pipes and utilities, on or off road right-of-way as determined by Imperial County Road Commissioner.
- Prior to issuance of final certificate of completion, Developer shall provide a grading improvement certificate letter prepared by a California Licensed Civil Engineer or Surveyor that all recommended drainage and grading improvements were completed per approved grading plans.
- Transportation Permit may be required from road agency(s) having jurisdiction over the haul route(s) for any hauls of heavy equipment and large vehicles which impose greater then legal loads on riding surfaces, including bridges. (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 10.12 - Overweight Vehicles and Loads).
- All on-site traffic area shall be hard surfaced to provide all weather access for fire protection vehicles. The surfacing shall meet the Department of Public Works and Fire/OES Standards as well as those of the Air Pollution Control District (ACPD). (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12.10.020 Street Improvement Requirements).
- All solid and hazardous waste shall be disposed of in approved solid waste disposal sites in accordance with existing County, State and Federal regulations. (Per Imperial County Code of Ordinances, Chapter 8.72 – Solid Waste Management).
- The project may require a Notice of Intent (NOI) from the Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) prior county approval of onsite grading plan. (40 CFR 122.28 general Permits).
- Effective September 15, 2020, the State's Mandatory Organic Waste Recycling Law (AB 1826 or Chapter 727, Statutes of 2014) decreased the threshold requiring all businesses and multi-dwelling facilitates of 5 units or more generating two (2) cubic yards or more of solid waste per week to recycle their organic waste including landscape waste, wood waste, and food waste. Information about possible organics waste recycling services can be found at the CalRecycle site at: https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Recycle/Commercial/Organics/

Respectfully.

John A. Gay, PE Director of Public Works

GM/gv

Kimberly Noriega

From: Quechan Historic Preservation Officer <historicpreservation@quechantribe.com>

Sent: Monday, March 7, 2022 2:12 PM

To: Kimberly Noriega

Subject: RE: PM02495 - AB 52 Letter

This email originated outside our organization; please use caution.

This email is to inform you that we have no comments on this project.

From: Kimberly Noriega [mailto:KimberlyNoriega@co.imperial.ca.us]

Sent: Monday, March 07, 2022 2:25 PM

To: Quechan Indian Tribe; Quechan Historic Preservation Officer

Cc: Michael Abraham; Jim Minnick; Diana Robinson; Mariela Moran; Carina Gomez; John Robb; Maria Scoville; Rosa Soto;

Shannon Lizarraga; Valerie Grijalva **Subject:** PM02495 - AB 52 Letter

Good Afternoon,

Please see attached Formal Notification of Determination that a Project Application is complete or Decision to undertake a project, and Notification of Consultation Opportunity regarding Parcel Map # 02495 for Naeem Subdivision with APN: 036-160-008-000.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact our office at (442) 265-1736.

Thank you,

Office Assistant III

Imperial County
Planning and Development Services

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Kimberly Noriega

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Kimberly Noriega; Jorge Perez

Cc:

Michael Abraham; Diana Robinson; Mariela Moran; Carina Gomez; John Robb; Maria

Scoville; Rosa Soto; Shannon Lizarraga; Valerie Grijalva

Subject:

RE: Request for Comments - PM02495 Naeem Subdivision

Good afternoon Ms. Noriega,

Pertaining to PM #02495, Division of Environmental Health does not have any comments at this time.

Thank you,

Mario Salinas, MBA

Environmental Health Compliance Specialist Imperial County Public Health Department Division of Environmental Health 797 Main Street Suite B, El Centro, CA 92243 mariosalinas@co.imperial.ca.us

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March 16, 2022

Ms. Mariela Moran
Planner III
Planning & Development Services Department
County of Imperial
801 Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243

MAR 16 2022

INFORMAL VARIABLES SERVICE

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SERVICE

SUBJECT: Naeem Subdivision: PM02495

Dear Ms. Moran:

On March 7, 2022, the Imperial Irrigation District received from the Imperial County Planning & Development Services Department, a request for agency comments on Parcel Map No. 02495. The applicant, Dubose Design Group, Inc./Muhammed Naeem, proposes the subdivision of a parcel located at 1396 W. Andre Road, Brawley, CA (APN 036-160-008-000) to create 2 lots.

The IID has reviewed the application and has the following comments:

- 1. IID water facilities that may be impacted include the Trifolium Lateral 9, Trifolium Lateral 8, and Trifolium 9 Drain. The applicant is not proposing land-use changes from the existing agricultural use. However, if future development is being considered, the applicant should contact IID Water Department Engineering Services prior to the proposed development's final design for review and coordination.
- 2. The applicant should be advised to establish a point of water delivery and drainage discharge for each parcel. For additional information on water service the applicant should call IID's North End Division Office at (760) 482-9900.
- 3. Any construction or operation on IID property or within its existing and proposed right of way or easements including but not limited to: surface improvements such as proposed new streets, driveways, parking lots, landscape; and all water, sewer, storm water, or any other above ground or underground utilities; will require an encroachment permit, or encroachment agreement (depending on the circumstances). A copy of the IID encroachment permit application and instructions for its completion are available at the website https://www.iid.com/about-iid/department-directory/real-estate. The district Real Estate Section should be contacted at (760) 339-9239 for additional information regarding encroachment

4. Any new, relocated, modified or reconstructed IID facilities required for and by the project (which can include but is not limited to electrical utility substations, electrical transmission and distribution lines, water deliveries, canals, drains, etc.) need to be included as part of the project's CEQA and/or NEPA documentation, environmental impact analysis and mitigation. Failure to do so will result in postponement of any construction and/or modification of IID facilities until such time as the environmental documentation is amended and environmental impacts are fully analyzed. Any and all mitigation necessary as a result of the construction, relocation and/or upgrade of IID facilities is the responsibility of the project proponent.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 760-482-3609 or at dvargas@iid.com. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this matter.

Respectfully,

Donald Vargas

Compliance Administrator II



March 17, 2022

Mr. Jim Minnick Planning & Development Services Director 801 Main St. El Centro, CA 92243



SUBJECT: Minor Subdivision – Parcel Map 02495 (Naeem)

Dear Mr. Minnick:

The Imperial County Air Pollution Control District ("Air District") thanks you for the opportunity to review the application for Minor Subdivision — Parcel Map (PM) 02495 located at 1396 West Andre Road in Brawley, California (also identified as Assessor Parcel Number 036-160-008-000). The applicant intends to divide the existing 160.07 acre (agricultural) parcel into two individual (agricultural) parcels.

The Air District has no comment.

The Air District's rule book can be accessed via the internet at https://apcd.imperialcounty.org/rules-and-regulations/. Should you have questions, please call our office at (442) 265-1800.

Sincerely,

Curtis Blandell

APC Environmental Coordinator

Reviewed by

Monica N. Soucier

APC Division Manager



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Jim Minnick

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March 7, 2022 REQUEST FOR REVIEW AND COMMENTS

IMPERIAL COUNTY

The attached project and materials are being sent to you have the proposed project is being requested and being processed by the County's Planning & Development Services Department. Please review the proposed project based on your agency/department area of interest, expertise, and/or jurisdiction.

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Carlos Ortiz/David Claverie/ Paul Deol		Pacheco/Laura Cervantes/Victoria Doyle					
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From:	Mariela Moran, Planne	or III - (442) 265-1738 or ICPDSCommentLe	lters@co.imporial.ca.us				
Project ID:	Naeem Subdivision Parcel Map # 02495						
Project Location:	ation: 1396 W Andre Rd., Brawley, CA APN: 036-160-008-000						
Project Description: Applicant is proposing to divide the land of APN 036-160-008-000 equally between two partners.							
Applicants:	Dubose Design Group	, Inc./ Muhammed Naeem					
Comments due by:							
	March 22 nd , 2022 at 5:00PM						
COMMENTS: (attach a	separate sheet if necessary) (if no comments, please state below and mail, fa	x, or e-mall this sheet to Case Planner)				
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5.		TY (site) ADDRESS		LOCATION				
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6.	The state of the s			SIZE OF PROPERTY (in acres or square foot)				
7.	036-160-008 LEGAL DESCRIPTION (altach separate sheet if necessary)			160.07 acres +/-				
192			o 13 East, San Bernardino Base and Meridian	, County of Imperial, State of Ca	lifornia, according the Official	Plat thereof.		
8.	EXPLAIN	PURPOSE/REASON F	FOR MINOR SUBDIVISION To divide I	and equally between 2 partn	ers			
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9.	Proposed DIVISION of the above specified land is as follows: PARCEL SIZE in acres EXISTING USE		ESPECITION IS AS TOLIOWS:	PROPOSED USE ZO		ZONE		
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PLEA	SE PROVI	DE CLEAR & CONG	CISE INFORMATION (ATTACH SE	PARATE SHEET IF NE	DED)			
10.	DESCRIB	E PROPOSED SEWER	R SYSTEM(s) N/A					
11.	11. DESCRIBE PROPOSED WATER SYSTEM N/A							
12.	DESCRIBI	E PROPOSED ACCES	S TO SUBDIVIDED LOTS Acce	ess from McNerney, Andre a	ind Lack Rd			
13. IS THIS PARCEL PLANNED TO BE ANNEXED? IF YES, TO WHAT CITY or DISTRICT?								
I HEREBY APPLY FOR PERMISSION TO DIVIDE THE ABOVE SPECIFIED REQUIRED SUPPORT DOCUMENTS								
PROPERTY THAT I 🛛 OWN 🗌 CONTROL, AS PER ATTACHED INFORMATION, AND PER THE MAP ACT AND PER THE SUBDIVISION								
ORDINANCE I, CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION, TO THE BEST OF MY								
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