Notice of Preparation and Scoping Meeting
Milpitas General Plan Update Environmental Impact Report

**Date:** July 17, 2020  
**To:** State Clearinghouse, Agencies, Organizations and Interested Parties  
**Subject:** Notice of Preparation and Scoping Meeting for the Milpitas General Plan Update Environmental Impact Report  
**Scoping Meeting:** August 11, 2020, 11 a.m.  
**Comment Period:** July 17, 2020 to August 17, 2020.

The City of Milpitas (City) will serve as Lead Agency in the preparation of a programmatic Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the City of Milpitas General Plan Update (Plan). The purpose of this notice is (1) to serve as a Notice of Preparation (NOP) of an EIR pursuant to the State CEQA Guidelines Section 15082, (2) to advise and solicit comments and suggestions regarding the scope and content of the EIR to be prepared for the proposed project, and (3) to notice the public scoping meeting. The proposed project is a long-term General Plan consisting of policies that will guide future development activities and City actions. No specific development projects are proposed as part of the Plan. Information regarding the project description, project location, and topics to be addressed in the Draft EIR is provided below. Additional project documents and information are available at the City of Milpitas, Planning Department located at City Hall 455 E. Calaveras Blvd. Milpitas, CA 95035, and on-line at: milpitas.generalplan.org

For questions regarding this notice, please contact Jessica Garner, Planning Manager at (408) 586-3284, or by email: jgarner@ci.milpitas.ca.gov

**Notice of Preparation 30-Day Comment Period**

The City, as Lead Agency, requests that responsible and trustee agencies, and the Office of Planning and Research, respond in a manner consistent with Section 15082(b) of the CEQA Guidelines. Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.4, responsible agencies, trustee agencies and the Office of Planning and Research must submit any comments in response to this notice no later than 30 days after receipt. In accordance with the time limits established by CEQA, the NOP public review period will begin on July 17, 2020 and end on August 17, 2020. In the event that the City does not receive a response from any Responsible or Trustee Agency by the end of the review period, the City may presume that the Responsible Agency or Trustee Agency has no response to make (State CEQA Guidelines Section 15082(b)(2)). All Comments in response to this notice must be submitted in writing at the address below, or via email, by the close of the 30-day NOP review period, which is 5:00 PM on August 17, 2020:

Jessica Garner, Planning Manager | City of Milpitas  
455 East Calaveras Boulevard, Milpitas CA 95035  
Email: jgarner@ci.milpitas.ca.gov

*It is noted that additional opportunities for public comment on the Milpitas General Plan Update and pending Draft EIR will be provided. These documents are anticipated to be available for public review in the fall of 2020.*

**Scoping Meeting**

The City will hold a virtual online scoping meeting to provide an opportunity for agency representatives and the public to assist the City in determining the scope and content of the EIR.

The scoping meeting will be held on **Tuesday, August 11, at 11:00 a.m.**

The scoping meeting can be accessed at:

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/CityofMilpitas/  
YouTube: https://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/youtube  
Web Streaming: https://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/webstreaming

Please submit comments during the meeting by email to planningmeeting@ci.milpitas.ca.gov. For comments before or after the meeting or additional information, please contact Jessica Garner, Planning Manager at (408) 586-3284, or by email: jgarner@ci.milpitas.ca.gov