



ORANGE COUNTY
CLERK-RECORDER
CEQA FILING COVER SHEET

202585000973

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October 9, 2025

HUGH NGUYEN
CLERK - RECORDER

By 
Deputy clerk

30-10/09/2025-0769

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Complete and attach this form to each CEQA Notice filed with the County Clerk-Recorder

TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Project Title

CLIMATE ACTION AND ADAPTATION PLAN (CAAP)

Check Document being Filed:

- ☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
- ☐ Mitigated Negative Declaration (MND) or Negative Declaration (ND)
- ☒ Notice of Exemption (NOE)
- ☐ Other (Please fill in type):

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COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER ON 10/09/2025
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Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

This office is exempt from
 filing under Government Code
 § 6103
 No Tax Due Per code 111

To: Office of Planning and Research
 P.O. Box 3044, Room 113
 Sacramento, CA 95812-3044

County Clerk

County of: Orange

601 N. Ross Street

Santa Ana, CA 92701

From: (Public Agency): City of Irvine

1 Civic Center

Irvine, CA 92606

(Address)

Project Title: Climate Action and Adaptation Plan (CAAP)

Project Applicant: City of Irvine

Project Location - Specific:

Citywide

Project Location - City: Irvine

Project Location - County: Orange

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

A Climate Action and Adaptation Plan (CAAP) is a strategic framework designed to reduce greenhouse gas emissions while preparing communities to withstand the impacts of climate change. Its benefits include enhancing environmental resilience, protecting public health, and promoting sustainable economic growth.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Irvine

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Irvine, Public Works & Sustainability Department

Exempt Status: (check one):

☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);

☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));

☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));

☐ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: _____

☒ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: 15262 (Feasibility and Planning Studies)

Reasons why project is exempt:

The CAAP document is both a feasibility and a planning study in its nature. The proposed future actions are possible and the actions have not yet been adopted by City Council. Neither an EIR or Negative Declaration is required. The CAAP does include "consideration of environmental factors" as its aim is to reduce greenhouse gas emissions citywide. As is, the CAAP does not have legally binding effects on later activities.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Alex Salazar

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 949-724-7408

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.

2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Signature: Alex Salazar Date: 10/08/25 Title: Acting Director of Public Works

☒ Signed by Lead Agency ☐ Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
 Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

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State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
**2025 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE
CASH RECEIPT**
DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/25) Previously DFG 753.5a

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RECEIPT NUMBER:

30-10/09/2025-0769

STATE CLEARINGHOUSE NUMBER (If applicable)

SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON REVERSE. TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY.

LEAD AGENCY CITY OF IRVINE	LEAD AGENCY EMAIL	DATE 10/09/2025
COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING ORANGE COUNTY	DOCUMENT NUMBER 202585000973	
PROJECT TITLE		

CLIMATE ACTION AND ADAPTATION PLAN (CAAP)

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME CITY OF IRVINE	PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL	PHONE NUMBER (949) 724-7408
PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS 1 CIVIC CENTER	CITY IRVINE	STATE CA
		ZIP CODE 92606

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☒ Local Public Agency ☐ School District ☐ Other Special District ☐ State Agency ☐ Private Entity

CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:

☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR) \$ 4,123.50 \$ _____
☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND) \$ 2,968.75 \$ _____
☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW \$ 1,401.75 \$ _____

☒ Exempt from fee

☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)

☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)

☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)

☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only) \$ 850.00 \$ _____
☐ County documentary handling fee \$ 50.00 \$ _____
☐ Other \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD:

☐ Cash ☐ Credit ☐ Check ☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED \$ 0.00

SIGNATURE 	AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE Cesar Munoz Deputy Clerk
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