

RESOLUTION 2016-06

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SAN JUAN BAUTISTA APPROVING THE FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT FOR THE 2035 GENERAL PLAN AND RECOMMENDING TO THE CITY COUNCIL THE SAME

WHEREAS, State law requires local agencies to prepare and adopt a comprehensive and long-range general plan for the physical development and growth, and

WHEREAS, the City of San Juan Bautista entered into an agreement with Cal Poly University to prepare and development a General Plan that will extend to the year 2035, together with an environmental impact document that identifies the potential impacts and mitigation measures to render the General Plan to have a less than significant effect on the community, and

WHEREAS, the notice of preparation was filed and the environmental impact report was circulated to the State Clearing House, the community at large and other agencies within San Benito County and the region for input and comments in compliance with CEQA guidelines, and

WHEREAS, the Draft Environmental Impact Report was presented to the public for review, comments, input and public participation at several public hearings, public forums and workshops, and

WHEREAS, the Final draft of the Environmental Impact Report for the 2035 General Plan was presented to the public for input and comments on December 1st, 2015, and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission reviewed the Final EIR, accepted the public input and comments and, in light of the whole record before them, make the following findings.

1. The environmental impact report for the 2035 General Plan was prepared in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines.
2. The hearing of the Final Draft of the EIR allows the Planning Commission and public to review and identify potential significant environmental impacts of the 2035 General Plan and provide mitigation measures for reducing those impacts to a less than significant level to the community.
3. The 2035 General Plan will provide the vision and guidance to the City for future growth, development and expansion to the year 2035.
4. The adoption of the final draft of the EIR for the 2015 General Plan will be consistent with the goals and objectives of the community and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Planning Commission of the City of San Juan Bautista hereby approves the final draft of the Environmental Impact Report for the 2035 General Plan and recommends to the City Council the same.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Planning Commission of the City of San Juan Bautista on this 5th day of January, 2016 by the following vote.

AYES: Franco, Medeiros, Guibert, Gredassoff

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

Chairperson Ernest J. Franco

ATTEST:

Deputy City Clerk Trish Paetz