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Notice of Determination

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☒ Office of Planning and Research

U.S. Mail:

Street Address:

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☒ County Clerk

County of: San Bernardino

Address: 385 N. Arrowhead Avenue

San Bernardino, CA 92415

From:

Public Agency: City of Barstow

Address: 220 E Mountain View Street

Barstow, CA 92311

Contact: Chris Heldreth

Phone: (760) 255-5125

Lead Agency (if different from above):

same as above

Address:

Contact:

Phone:

SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination in compliance with Section 21108 or 21152 of the Public Resources Code.

State Clearinghouse Number (if submitted to State Clearinghouse): 2024020501

Project Title: Barstow International Gateway (BIG) Project / Barstow General Plan and BIG EIR

Project Applicant: BNSF Railway Company

Project Location (include county): City of Barstow - San Bernardino County

Project Description:

On June 16, 2026, the City Council approved the Barstow International Gateway (BIG) project, including the BIG Specific Plan, Development Agreement, Tract Map and other associated land use approvals, for an integrated rail and logistics facility (including a rail yard consisting of an intermodal facility, a "block swap" yard and ancillary rail area, a transload warehouse center, a private utility and ungraded area to be held under a conservation easement), annexation areas, and onsite and offsite improvements.

This is to advise that the City of Barstow has approved the above
(☒ Lead Agency or ☐ Responsible Agency)

described project on June 16, 2026 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
(date)

1. The project [☒ will ☐ will not] have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures [☒ were ☐ were not] made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations [☒ was ☐ was not] adopted for this project.
6. Findings [☒ were ☐ were not] made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the final EIR with comments and responses and record of project approval, or the negative Declaration, is available to the General Public at:

<https://www.barstowca.org/departments/community-development-department/planning>

Signature (Public Agency):

Title:

CITY MANAGER

Date:

JUNE 17, 2026

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Project Description:

On June 2, 2026, the Barstow City Council approved a comprehensive update to the City of Barstow General Plan by Resolution No. 5257-2026. The General Plan Update (GPU) provides the long-term planning blueprint for the improvements needed to accommodate the City's growing population over a 25-year planning horizon (2023 to 2048). The GPU includes a proposed annexation of unincorporated County lands immediately west of the City.

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described project on June 2, 2026 and has made the following determinations regarding the above
(date)
described project.

1. The project (☒ will ☐ will not) have a significant effect on the environment.
2. ☒ An Environmental Impact Report was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
☐ A Negative Declaration was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures (☒ were ☐ were not) made a condition of the approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan (☒ was ☐ was not) adopted for this project.
5. A statement of Overriding Considerations (☒ was ☐ was not) adopted for this project.
6. Findings (☒ were ☐ were not) made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

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Signature (Public Agency): _____

Title: CITY MANAGERDate: JUNE 3, 2026

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____

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