



**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION
CITY OF DESERT HOT SPRINGS CLIMATE ACTION PLAN**

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN that the City of Desert Hot Springs has completed an Initial Study/Negative Declaration for the proposed City of Desert Hot Springs Climate Action Plan, in accordance with the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines.

Project Title: City of Desert Hot Springs Climate Action Plan

Project Location: Citywide

Project Description: The proposed *Climate Action Plan* (CAP) is a comprehensive framework for the development and implementation of policies and programs to reduce greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) within the City of Desert Hot Springs. The Plan identifies 80 specific action items or measures to achieve these reductions as well as the public costs to implement the items and an implementation schedule.

Findings: The Initial Study prepared by the City was undertaken for the purpose of deciding whether the project may have a significant effect on the environment. On the basis of the Initial Study, the City has concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and, therefore has prepared a Negative Declaration.

Public Review and Document Availability: Copies of the Initial Study/Negative Declaration are on file and available for review at the City of Desert Hot Springs Community Development Department, 65950 Pierson Boulevard, Desert Hot Springs, California 92240. Public comments on the document will be accepted from **June 10, 2013 to July 1, 2013**. Persons wishing to comment on the document must submit such comments in written form to following address:

Martin Magana
Community Development Director
City of Desert Hot Springs
65950 Pierson Boulevard
Desert Hot Springs CA 92240

Public Hearing: The City of Desert Hot Springs shall consider adoption of the Negative Declaration and the project at a public hearing to be held on **Tuesday, July 2, 2013** beginning at **5:00 PM**, or as soon after as the matter may be heard, at the Carl May Community Center, 11711 West Drive, Desert Hot Springs, California.

Any persons wishing to speak for or against the matter should attend the public hearing. Any persons wishing to provide written comments on this matter must do so prior to the City Council meeting. Written comments may be sent via U.S. Mail, or by hand delivery, to the City of Desert Hot Springs City Hall, at the address noted above. Please feel free to contact Martin Magana, Community Development Director, at City Hall, 760-329-6411, x256, for additional information.

If this matter should at some future date go to court, court testimony may be limited to only those items that were raised at the hearing as per Government Code Section 65009.

In the City's efforts to comply with the requirements of the Americans With Disabilities Act, the City Clerk requires that any person in need of any type of special equipment, assistance or accommodation(s) in order to communicate at a City public meeting, must inform the City Clerk at (760) 329-6411, extension 107, a minimum of 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

Jerryl Soriano
City Clerk