

NOTICE OF PREPARATION OF A PRELIMINARY ENVIRONMENTAL
ASSESSMENT
COMPTON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMPTON HIGH SCHOOL RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

The Compton Unified School District (“District”) would like to provide you with notice of the preparation of a Preliminary Environmental Assessment (“PEA”) that was conducted for the Compton High School Reconstruction Project at Compton High School located at 601 South Acacia Avenue and south adjoining properties, 301 W. Alondra – 339 W. Alondra, along West Alondra Boulevard, California.

A licensed contractor, working on behalf of the District, performed the environmental investigation under the regulatory oversight of the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (“DTSC”). The environmental investigation consisted of the sampling of soils for hazardous materials, including organochlorine pesticides (OCPs), lead, petroleum hydrocarbons (PHs), and volatile organic compounds (VOCs).

Results of the PEA have been submitted to the District and DSC in a report for review. The report includes an assessment of whether OCPs, lead, Phs, and VOCs are present at concentrations that would require further assessment or a response action before the site is cleared for construction activities. A draft of the PEA report, any changes requested by DTSC for the PEA, and any correspondence between the District and DTSC relating to the PEA will be available for public review and comment period between May 11, 2020 and June 10, 2020. These documents will be available for public review at the District office at 501 S. Santa Fe Avenue, Compton, California 90221, by appointment only, and subject to CDC Guidelines in response to COVID-19. For an appointment, please contact Adriana Aataniya at 310-639-4321 ext. 55253 or aataniya@compton.k12.ca.us. In accordance with CDC guidelines, the public will be required to wear a mask and gloves when reviewing the hard copy at the District’s office. Due to COVID-19, the draft PEA report and additional documents will also be available on the District’s website at: <http://www.compton.k12.ca.us/departments/business-services/facilities/home>.

Due to COVID-19, in accordance with state and local guidelines, the public hearing will be held on June 08, 2020, via teleconference at 5:30 pm, when the District will receive comments from the public. To join the teleconference, see below:

Call-In Number: 888-475-4499 or 877-853-5257

Meeting ID: 922 3698 0779

Password: 015632

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/92236980779?pwd=MmsxTjZhRldvS05TdUkrSThBME5XZz09>

Once the District’s and DTSC’s review is complete, DTSC will issue a determination with regard to the PEA. If you have any questions concerning the PEA or other related activities at Compton High School or would like to submit a written comment, please contact Nathaniel Holt, Compton

Unified School District Chief Facilities Officer at (310) 639-4321 ext. 55350
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