

Polopolus GREENHOUSE GAS ANALYSIS CITY OF EASTVALE

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LIST OF ABBREVIATED TERMS

(1) Reference

APS Alternative Planning Organizations
ARB California Air Resources Board

CAA Federal Clean Air Act

CalEEMod California Emissions Estimator Model

CalEPA California Environmental Protection Agency

CAPCOA California Air Pollution Control Officers Association

CARB California Air Resource Board

CAT Climate Action Team

CBSC California Building Standards Commission

CEC California Energy Commission
CCR California Code of Regulations

CEQA California Environmental Quality Act

CFC Chlorofluorocarbons

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CH4 Methane

CO Carbon Monoxide
CO2 Carbon Dioxide

CO2e Carbon Dioxide Equivalent

CPUC California Public Utilities Commission
EPA Environmental Protection Agency
EPS Emission Performance Standard

GCC Global Climate Change
GHGA Greenhouse Gas Analysis
GWP Global Warming Potential

HFC Hydrofluorocarbons LCA Life-Cycle Analysis

MMTCO2e Million Metric Ton of Carbon Dioxide Equivalent

MPOs Metropolitan Planning Organizations
MTCO2e Metric Ton of Carbon Dioxide Equivalent

N20 Nitrogen Dioxide

NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOx Oxides of Nitrogen
PFC Perfluorocarbons

PM10 Particulate Matter 10 microns in diameter or less
PM2.5 Particulate Matter 2.5 microns in diameter or less



PPM Parts Per Million

Project Polopolus

RTP Regional Transportation Plan

SB Senate Bill

SCAG Southern California Association of Governments
SCAQMD South Coast Air Quality Management District

SCS Sustainable Communities Strategies

UNFCCC United Nations' Framework Convention on Climate Change

VOC Volatile Organic Compounds



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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

GHG Impact #1: The Project would generate direct or indirect greenhouse gas emissions that would result in a significant and unavoidable impact on the environment.

The City of Eastvale has not adopted a numeric threshold of significance for determining impacts with respect to greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Within this GHGA, a screening threshold of 3,000 MTCO2e per year is employed to determine if additional analysis is required. This approach is a widely accepted small project screening threshold used by numerous lead agencies in Orange County and within the South Coast Air Basin, and is based on the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) staff's proposed GHG screening threshold for stationary source emissions for non-industrial projects, as described in the SCAQMD's Interim CEQA GHG Significance Threshold for Stationary Sources, Rules and Plans ("SCAQMD Interim GHG Threshold identifies a screening threshold to determine whether additional analysis is required. Absent an adopted CAP, this analysis employs the SCAQMD 3,000 MTCO2e per year threshold criteria noted above.

As shown on Table ES-1, the Project will result in approximately 2,852.69 MTCO2e per year from construction, area, energy, waste, and water usage. In addition, the Project has the potential to result in an additional 12,304.77 MTCO2e per year from mobile sources if the assumption is made that all of the vehicle trips to and from the Project are "new" trips resulting from the development of the Project. As such, the Project has the potential to generate a total of approximately 15,157.46 MTCO2e per year. As such, the Project would exceed the SCAQMD's screening threshold of 3,000 MTCO2e. Exceedance of this thresholds indicates that the Project has the potential to result in a cumulatively considerable GHG emissions impact.

TABLE ES-1: PROJECT-RELATED GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

Full-day Course	Emissions (metric tons per year)			
Emission Source	CO ₂	CH ₄	N ₂ O	Total CO₂E
Annual construction-related emissions amortized over 30 years	27.86	0.01	0.00	28.01
Area	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01
Energy	2,471.85	0.08	0.03	2,482.79
Mobile Source	12,280.74	0.96	0.00	12,304.77
Waste	86.15	5.09	0.00	213.44
Water Usage	108.73	0.61	0.02	128.45
Total CO₂E (All Sources)	15,157.46			
SCAQMD Threshold	3,000			
Significant?	YES			

Source: CalEEMod output, See Appendix 3.1 for detailed model outputs.

Note: Totals obtained from CalEEMod and may not total 100% due to rounding.



MITIGATION MEASURES

LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE AFTER MITIGATION

Cumulatively Significant and Unavoidable.

Conformance with Title 24 Energy Efficiency requirements, CalGreen mandates, and other energy efficiency measures implemented by the state, as well as conservation measures implemented through City Ordinances (e.g., City of Eastvale Water Conservation Ordinance) would act to generally reduce area-source and energy-source GHG emissions, but would have no substantive effect on mobile-source GHG emissions, the primary contributor to the Project GHG emission impact. Responsibility and authority for regulation of mobile-source emissions resides with the State of California (CARB, et al.). Neither the Applicant nor the Lead Agency can effect or mandate substantive reductions in mobile-source GHG emissions, much less reductions that would achieve the SCAQMD of 3,000 MTCO2e for non-industrial projects. Specifically, as shown on Table ES-1, the Project mobile-source GHG emissions alone total approximately 12,304.77 MTCO2e per year, which would exceed the SCAQMD thresholds employed in this analysis. *On this basis, quantified net GHG emissions generated by the Project would be cumulatively considerable, and the Project net GHG emissions impact would be cumulatively significant and unavoidable.*

GHG Impact #2: The Project would not conflict with any applicable plan, policy or regulation of an agency adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases.

The Project's consistency with AB 32 and SB 32 are discussed below.

Consistency with AB 32

AB 32 requires California to reduce its GHG emissions by approximately 28.5% when compared to GHG emissions produced under a Business as Usual scenario (1). CARB identified reduction measures to achieve this goal as set forth in the CARB Scoping Plan. Projects that are consistent with the CARB Scoping Plan are also consistent with the 28.5% reduction below business as usual required by AB 32.

The CARB Scoping Plan recommends strategies for implementation at the statewide level to meet the goals of AB 32. The CARB Scoping Plan recommendations serve as statewide measures to reduce GHG emissions levels. The Project would be consistent with the applicable measures established in the Scoping Plan, as detailed in Section 3.7.

Consistency with SB 32 and Supporting Plans and Policies

Senate Bill 32 (SB 32) establishes a target reduction in statewide greenhouse gas emissions of 40% below 1990 levels by 2030. The new legislation builds upon the AB 32 goal to achieve 1990 GHG emissions levels by 2020, and provides an intermediate goal established under S-3-05, which sets a statewide greenhouse gas reduction target of 80% below 1990 levels by 2050 (2) (3).

According to research conducted by the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory and supported by CARB, California, under its existing and proposed GHG reduction policies, is on track to meet



the 2020 reduction targets under AB 32 and achieve the 2030 goals established under SB 32. (4) (5).

The Project reduces its GHG emissions to the maximum extent feasible as discussed in this document. Additionally, the Project does not propose facilities or operations that would substantively interfere with or impede any future city-mandated, county-mandated, state-mandated, or federally-mandated retrofit obligations enacted or promulgated to legally require development to assist in meeting state-adopted greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets, including those established under Executive Order S-3-05, Executive Order B-30-15, or SB 32. Nor would the Project interfere with implementation of GHG reduction plans described in the CARB's Updated Scoping Plan, including state measures to: provide 12,000 MW of renewable distributed generation by 2020; measures identified by the California Building Commission mandating net zero energy homes in the building code after 2020; or existing building retrofits under AB 758.

Based on the preceding, the potential for the for the Project to conflict with any applicable plan, policy or regulation of an agency adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases is considered less-than-significant.



1 INTRODUCTION

This report presents the results of the greenhouse gas analysis (GHGA) prepared by Urban Crossroads, Inc., for the proposed Polopolus (referred to as "Project").

The purpose of this GHGA is to evaluate Project-related construction and operational emissions and determine the level of greenhouse gas (GHG) impacts as a result of constructing and operating the proposed Project.

1.1 SITE LOCATION

The proposed Polopolus Project is made up of two sites: Site 1 and Site 2. Site 1 is located on the southeast corner of Hamner Avenue and Schleisman Avenue, and Site 2 is located on the southwest corner of Hamner Avenue and Riverboat Drive, in the City of Eastvale as shown on Exhibit 1-A. Existing single-family residential uses are located north, west, and east of both Site 1 and Site 2. The Silverlakes Sports Complex park is located south of the Site 1 and an existing fire station is located south of Site 2. Interstate 15 (I-15) is located approximately one-quarter mile east of the Project site.

1.2 PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Project is proposed to consist of the following land uses and is anticipated to be operational by 2019:

Site 1

- Parcel 1: 8 vehicle fueling position (VFP) gas station with market
- Parcel 2: 3,500 square feet (SF) of fast-food restaurant with drive-through window
- Parcel 3: 2,000 SF coffee shop with drive-through window
- Parcel 4: 6,000 SF high turnover sit-down restaurant
- Parcel 5: 4,000 SF of commercial retail use
- Parcel 5: 4,000 SF of fast-food restaurant without drive-through window
- Parcel 6: 10,000 SF of medical office use
- Parcel 7: 130 room hotel
- Civic: 40,000 SF government office
- Civic: 25,000 SF library

Site 2

Hamner Avenue & Riverboat Drive Site: 16 VFP gas station with market and car wash.



EXHIBIT 1-A: LOCATION MAP





1.3 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

The Project would be required to comply with all mandates imposed by the State of California and the South Coast Air Quality Management District aimed at the reduction of air pollutants generally. Regulations and policies that are applicable to the Project and that would assist in the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions are:

- Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 (AB32) (6)
- Regional GHG Emissions Reduction Targets/Sustainable Communities Strategies (SB 375) (7)
- Pavley Fuel Efficiency Standards (AB1493). Establishes fuel efficiency ratings for new vehicles (8).
- Title 24 California Code of Regulations (California Building Code). Establishes energy efficiency requirements for new construction (9).
- Pursuant to Title 24 requirements, the Project is required to comply with applicable solar ready requirements (Section 110.10 of the Title 24 standards).
- Title 20 California Code of Regulations (Appliance Energy Efficiency Standards). Establishes energy efficiency requirements for appliances (10).
- Title 17 California Code of Regulations (Low Carbon Fuel Standard). Requires carbon content of fuel sold in California to be 10% less by 2020 (11).
- California Water Conservation in Landscaping Act of 2006 (AB1881). Requires local agencies to adopt the Department of Water Resources updated Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance or equivalent by January 1, 2010 to ensure efficient landscapes in new development and reduced water waste in existing landscapes (12).
- Statewide Retail Provider Emissions Performance Standards (SB 1368). Requires energy generators to achieve performance standards for GHG emissions (13).
- Renewable Portfolio Standards (SB 1078). Requires electric corporations to increase the amount of energy obtained from eligible renewable energy resources to 20 percent by 2010 and 33 percent by 2020 (14).
- Senate Bill 32 (SB 32). Requires the state to reduce statewide greenhouse gas emissions to 40% below 1990 levels by 2030, a reduction target that was first introduced in Executive Order B-30-15 (2).

Promulgated regulations that will affect the Project's emissions are accounted for in the Project's GHG calculations provided in this report. In particular, the Pavley Standards, Low Carbon Fuel Standards, and Renewable Portfolio Standards (RPS) will be in effect for the AB 32 target year of 2020, and therefore are accounted for in the Project's GHG emission calculations.



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2 CLIMATE CHANGE SETTING

2.1 Introduction to Global Climate Change

Global Climate Change (GCC) is defined as the change in average meteorological conditions on the earth with respect to temperature, precipitation, and storms. GCC is currently one of the most controversial environmental issues in the United States, and much debate exists within the scientific community about whether or not GCC is occurring naturally or as a result of human activity. Some data suggests that GCC has occurred in the past over the course of thousands or millions of years. These historical changes to the Earth's climate have occurred naturally without human influence, as in the case of an ice age. However, many scientists believe that the climate shift taking place since the industrial revolution (1900) is occurring at a quicker rate and magnitude than in the past. Scientific evidence suggests that GCC is the result of increased concentrations of greenhouse gases in the earth's atmosphere, including carbon dioxide, methane, nitrous oxide, and fluorinated gases. Many scientists believe that this increased rate of climate change is the result of greenhouse gases resulting from human activity and industrialization over the past 200 years.

An individual project like the proposed Project evaluated in this GHGA cannot generate enough greenhouse gas emissions to affect a discernible change in global climate. However, the proposed Project may participate in the potential for GCC by its incremental contribution of greenhouse gasses combined with the cumulative increase of all other sources of greenhouse gases, which when taken together constitute potential influences on GCC. Because these changes may have serious environmental consequences, Section 3.0 will evaluate the potential for the proposed Project to have a significant effect upon the environment as a result of its potential contribution to the greenhouse effect.

2.2 Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventories

Global

Worldwide anthropogenic (man-made) GHG emissions are tracked by the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change for industrialized nations (referred to as Annex I) and developing nations (referred to as Non-Annex I). Man-made GHG emissions data for Annex I nations are available through 2012. For the Year 2012 the sum of these emissions totaled approximately 28,865,994 Gg CO2e¹ (15). The GHG emissions in more recent years may differ from the inventories presented in Table 2-1; however, the data is representative of currently available inventory data.

The global emissions are the sum of Annex I and non-Annex I countries, without counting Land-Use, Land-Use Change and Forestry (LULUCF). For countries without 2005 data, the UNFCCC data for the most recent year were used. United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, "Annex I Parties – GHG total without LULUCF,"



United States

As noted in Table 2-1, the United States, as a single country, was the number two producer of GHG emissions in 2012. The primary greenhouse gas emitted by human activities in the United States was CO2, representing approximately 80.9 percent of total greenhouse gas emissions (16). Carbon dioxide from fossil fuel combustion is the largest source of US greenhouse gas emissions.

TABLE 2-1: TOP GHG PRODUCER COUNTRIES AND THE EUROPEAN UNION²

Emitting Countries	GHG Emissions (Gg CO2e)
China	10,975,500
United States	6,665,700
European Union (27 member countries)	4,544,224
Russian Federation	2,322,220
India	3,013,770
Japan	1,344,580
Total	28,865,994

State of California

CARB compiles GHG inventories for the State of California. CARB GHG inventory data indicates that in 2014 (the most recent inventory of record) California GHG emissions totaled approximately 441.5 Million Metric Tons of Carbon Dioxide Equivalent (MMTCO2e) (17). "In 2010, California accounted for 6.8 percent of all emissions in the country [United States], and ranked second highest among the states with total emissions of 453 MMTCO2e, only behind Texas with 763 MMTCO2e. From a per capita standpoint, California has the 45th lowest emissions with 12.1 MMTCO2e /person in 2010."³

2.3 GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE DEFINED

Global Climate Change (GCC) refers to the change in average meteorological conditions on the earth with respect to temperature, wind patterns, precipitation and storms. Global temperatures are regulated by naturally occurring atmospheric gases such as water vapor, CO2 (Carbon Dioxide), N2O (Nitrous Oxide), CH4 (Methane), hydrofluorocarbons, perfluorocarbons and sulfur hexafluoride. These particular gases are important due to their residence time (duration they stay) in the atmosphere, which ranges from 10 years to more than 100 years. These gases allow solar radiation into the Earth's atmosphere, but prevent radioactive heat from escaping, thus warming the Earth's atmosphere. GCC can occur naturally as it has in the past with the previous

³ California Environmental Protection Agency. Air Resources Board. California's Greenhouse Gas Emission Inventory - 2014 Edition (May 2014), p. 28.



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² Used http://unfccc.int data for Annex I countries. Consulted the CAIT Climate Data Explorer http://www.wri.org site to reference Non-Annex I countries such as China and India.

ice ages. According to the California Air Resources Board (CARB), the climate change since the industrial revolution differs from previous climate changes in both rate and magnitude (18).

Gases that trap heat in the atmosphere are often referred to as greenhouse gases. Greenhouse gases are released into the atmosphere by both natural and anthropogenic (human) activity. Without the natural greenhouse gas effect, the Earth's average temperature would be approximately 61° Fahrenheit (F) cooler than it is currently. The cumulative accumulation of these gases in the earth's atmosphere is considered to be the cause for the observed increase in the earth's temperature.

Although California's rate of growth of greenhouse gas emissions is slowing, the state is still a substantial contributor to the U.S. emissions inventory total. In 2004, California is estimated to have produced 492 million gross metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent (CO2e) greenhouse gas emissions. Despite a population increase of 16 percent between 1990 and 2004, California has significantly slowed the rate of growth of greenhouse gas emissions due to the implementation of energy efficiency programs as well as adoption of strict emission controls (19).

2.4 GREENHOUSE GASES

For the purposes of this analysis, emissions of carbon dioxide, methane, and nitrous oxide were evaluated (see Table 3-4 later in this report) because these gasses are the primary contributors to GCC from development projects. Although other substances such as fluorinated gases also contribute to GCC, sources of fluorinated gases are not well-defined and no accepted emissions factors or methodology exist to accurately calculate these gases.

Greenhouse gases have varying global warming potential (GWP) values; GWP values represent the potential of a gas to trap heat in the atmosphere. Carbon dioxide is utilized as the reference gas for GWP, and thus has a GWP of 1.

The atmospheric lifetime and GWP of selected greenhouse gases are summarized at Table 2-2. As shown in the table below, GWP range from 1 for carbon dioxide to 22,800 for sulfur hexafluoride.



TABLE 2-2: GLOBAL WARMING POTENTIAL AND ATMOSPHERIC LIFETIME OF SELECT GHGS

	Atmospheric Lifetime (years)	Global Warming Potential (100 year time horizon)		
Gas		Second Assessment Report (SAR)	4 th Assessment Report (AR4)	
Carbon Dioxide	50-200	1	1	
Methane	12 ± 3	21	25	
Nitrous Oxide	120	310	298	
HFC-23	264	11,700	14,800	
HFC-134a	14.6	1,300	1,430	
HFC-152a	1.5	140	124	
Sulfur Hexafluoride (SF6)	3,200	23,900	22,800	

Source: Table 2.14 of the IPCC Fourth Assessment Report, 2007

<u>Water Vapor</u>: Water vapor (H20) is the most abundant, important, and variable greenhouse gas in the atmosphere. Water vapor is not considered a pollutant; in the atmosphere it maintains a climate necessary for life. Changes in its concentration are primarily considered to be a result of climate feedbacks related to the warming of the atmosphere rather than a direct result of industrialization. A climate feedback is an indirect, or secondary, change, either positive or negative, that occurs within the climate system in response to a forcing mechanism. The feedback loop in which water is involved is critically important to projecting future climate change.

As the temperature of the atmosphere rises, more water is evaporated from ground storage (rivers, oceans, reservoirs, soil). Because the air is warmer, the relative humidity can be higher (in essence, the air is able to 'hold' more water when it is warmer), leading to more water vapor in the atmosphere. As a GHG, the higher concentration of water vapor is then able to absorb more thermal indirect energy radiated from the Earth, thus further warming the atmosphere. The warmer atmosphere can then hold more water vapor and so on and so on. This is referred to as a "positive feedback loop." The extent to which this positive feedback loop will continue is unknown as there are also dynamics that hold the positive feedback loop in check. As an example, when water vapor increases in the atmosphere, more of it will eventually also condense into clouds, which are more able to reflect incoming solar radiation (thus allowing less energy to reach the Earth's surface and heat it up).

There are no human health effects from water vapor itself; however, when some pollutants come in contact with water vapor, they can dissolve and the water vapor can then act as a pollutant-carrying agent. The main source of water vapor is evaporation from the oceans (approximately 85 percent). Other sources include: evaporation from other water bodies, sublimation (change from solid to gas) from sea ice and snow, and transpiration from plant leaves.



<u>Carbon Dioxide</u>: Carbon dioxide (CO2) is an odorless and colorless GHG. Outdoor levels of carbon dioxide are not high enough to result in negative health effects. Carbon dioxide is emitted from natural and manmade sources. Natural sources include: the decomposition of dead organic matter; respiration of bacteria, plants, animals and fungus; evaporation from oceans; and volcanic outgassing. Anthropogenic sources include: the burning of coal, oil, natural gas, and wood. Carbon dioxide is naturally removed from the air by photosynthesis, dissolution into ocean water, transfer to soils and ice caps, and chemical weathering of carbonate rocks (20).

Since the industrial revolution began in the mid-1700s, the sort of human activity that increases GHG emissions has increased dramatically in scale and distribution. Data from the past 50 years suggests a corollary increase in levels and concentrations. As an example, prior to the industrial revolution, CO2 concentrations were fairly stable at 280 parts per million (ppm). Today, they are around 370 ppm, an increase of more than 30 percent. Left unchecked, the concentration of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere is projected to increase to a minimum of 540 ppm by 2100 as a direct result of anthropogenic sources (21).

<u>Methane</u>: Methane (CH4) is an extremely effective absorber of radiation, though its atmospheric concentration is less than carbon dioxide and its lifetime in the atmosphere is brief (10-12 years), compared to other GHGs.

Methane has both natural and anthropogenic sources. It is released as part of the biological processes in low oxygen environments, such as in swamplands or in rice production (at the roots of the plants). Over the last 50 years, human activities such as growing rice, raising cattle, using natural gas, and mining coal have added to the atmospheric concentration of methane. Other anthropocentric sources include fossil-fuel combustion and biomass burning.

<u>Nitrous Oxide</u>: Nitrous oxide (N2O), also known as laughing gas, is a colorless greenhouse gas. Nitrous oxide can cause dizziness, euphoria, and sometimes slight hallucinations. In small doses, it is considered harmless. However, in some cases, heavy and extended use can cause Olney's Lesions (brain damage) (22).

Concentrations of nitrous oxide also began to rise at the beginning of the industrial revolution. In 1998, the global concentration was 314 parts per billion (ppb). Nitrous oxide is produced by microbial processes in soil and water, including those reactions which occur in fertilizer containing nitrogen. In addition to agricultural sources, some industrial processes (fossil fuel-fired power plants, nylon production, nitric acid production, and vehicle emissions) also contribute to its atmospheric load. It is used as an aerosol spray propellant, i.e., in whipped cream bottles. It is also used in potato chip bags to keep chips fresh. It is used in rocket engines and in race cars. Nitrous oxide can be transported into the stratosphere, be deposited on the Earth's surface, and be converted to other compounds by chemical reaction

<u>Chlorofluorocarbons</u>: Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) are gases formed synthetically by replacing all hydrogen atoms in methane or ethane (C2H6) with chlorine and/or fluorine atoms. CFCs are nontoxic, nonflammable, insoluble and chemically unreactive in the troposphere (the level of air at the Earth's surface). CFCs are no longer being used; therefore, it is not likely that health effects would be experienced. Nonetheless, in confined indoor locations, working with CFC-113 or other



CFCs is thought to result in death by cardiac arrhythmia (heart frequency too high or too low) or asphyxiation.

CFCs have no natural source, but were first synthesized in 1928. They were used for refrigerants, aerosol propellants and cleaning solvents. Due to the discovery that they are able to destroy stratospheric ozone, a global effort to halt their production was undertaken and was extremely successful, so much so that levels of the major CFCs are now remaining steady or declining. However, their long atmospheric lifetimes mean that some of the CFCs will remain in the atmosphere for over 100 years.

<u>Hydrofluorocarbons</u>: Hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs) are synthetic, man-made chemicals that are used as a substitute for CFCs. Out of all the greenhouse gases, they are one of three groups with the highest global warming potential. The HFCs with the largest measured atmospheric abundances are (in order), HFC-23 (CHF3), HFC-134a (CF3CH2F), and HFC-152a (CH3CHF2). Prior to 1990, the only significant emissions were of HFC-23. HFC-134a emissions are increasing due to its use as a refrigerant. The U.S. EPA estimates that concentrations of HFC-23 and HFC-134a are now about 10 parts per trillion (ppt) each; and that concentrations of HFC-152a are about 1 ppt (23). No health effects are known to result from exposure to HFCs, which are manmade for applications such as automobile air conditioners and refrigerants.

<u>Perfluorocarbons</u>: Perfluorocarbons (PFCs) have stable molecular structures and do not break down through chemical processes in the lower atmosphere. High-energy ultraviolet rays, which occur about 60 kilometers above Earth's surface, are able to destroy the compounds. Because of this, PFCs have very long lifetimes, between 10,000 and 50,000 years. Two common PFCs are tetrafluoromethane (CF4) and hexafluoroethane (C2F6). The U.S. EPA estimates that concentrations of CF4 in the atmosphere are over 70 ppt.

No health effects are known to result from exposure to PFCs. The two main sources of PFCs are primary aluminum production and semiconductor manufacture.

<u>Sulfur Hexafluoride</u>: Sulfur hexafluoride (SF6) is an inorganic, odorless, colorless, nontoxic, nonflammable gas. It also has the highest GWP of any gas evaluated (22,800). The U.S. EPA indicates that concentrations in the 1990s were about 4 ppt. In high concentrations in confined areas, the gas presents the hazard of suffocation because it displaces the oxygen needed for breathing.

Sulfur hexafluoride is used for insulation in electric power transmission and distribution equipment, in the magnesium industry, in semiconductor manufacturing, and as a tracer gas for leak detection.

2.5 EFFECTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE IN CALIFORNIA

Public Health

Higher temperatures may increase the frequency, duration, and intensity of conditions conducive to air pollution formation. For example, days with weather conducive to ozone formation could increase from 25 to 35 percent under the lower warming range to 75 to 85 percent under the



medium warming range. In addition, if global background ozone levels increase as predicted in some scenarios, it may become impossible to meet local air quality standards. Air quality could be further compromised by increases in wildfires, which emit fine particulate matter that can travel long distances, depending on wind conditions. The Climate Scenarios report indicates that large wildfires could become up to 55 percent more frequent if GHG emissions are not significantly reduced.

In addition, under the higher warming range scenario, there could be up to 100 more days per year with temperatures above 90°F in Los Angeles and 95°F in Sacramento by 2100. This is a large increase over historical patterns and approximately twice the increase projected if temperatures remain within or below the lower warming range. Rising temperatures could increase the risk of death from dehydration, heat stroke/exhaustion, heart attack, stroke, and respiratory distress caused by extreme heat.

Water Resources

A vast network of man-made reservoirs and aqueducts captures and transports water throughout the state from northern California rivers and the Colorado River. The current distribution system relies on Sierra Nevada snowpack to supply water during the dry spring and summer months. Rising temperatures, potentially compounded by decreases in precipitation, could severely reduce spring snowpack, increasing the risk of summer water shortages.

If temperatures continue to increase, more precipitation could fall as rain instead of snow, and the snow that does fall could melt earlier, reducing the Sierra Nevada spring snowpack by as much as 70 to 90 percent. Under the lower warming range scenario, snowpack losses could be only half as large as those possible if temperatures were to rise to the higher warming range. How much snowpack could be lost depends in part on future precipitation patterns, the projections for which remain uncertain. However, even under the wetter climate projections, the loss of snowpack could pose challenges to water managers and hamper hydropower generation. It could also adversely affect winter tourism. Under the lower warming range, the ski season at lower elevations could be reduced by as much as a month. If temperatures reach the higher warming range and precipitation declines, there might be many years with insufficient snow for skiing and snowboarding.

The State's water supplies are also at risk from rising sea levels. An influx of saltwater could degrade California's estuaries, wetlands, and groundwater aquifers. Saltwater intrusion caused by rising sea levels is a major threat to the quality and reliability of water within the southern edge of the Sacramento/San Joaquin River Delta – a major fresh water supply.

Agriculture

Increased temperatures could cause widespread changes to the agriculture industry reducing the quantity and quality of agricultural products statewide. First, California farmers could possibly lose as much as 25 percent of the water supply they need. Although higher CO2 levels can stimulate plant production and increase plant water-use efficiency, California's farmers could face greater water demand for crops and a less reliable water supply as temperatures rise. Crop growth and development could change, as could the intensity and frequency of pest and disease



outbreaks. Rising temperatures could aggravate O3 pollution, which makes plants more susceptible to disease and pests and interferes with plant growth.

Plant growth tends to be slow at low temperatures, increasing with rising temperatures up to a threshold. However, faster growth can result in less-than-optimal development for many crops, so rising temperatures could worsen the quantity and quality of yield for a number of California's agricultural products. Products likely to be most affected include wine grapes, fruits and nuts.

In addition, continued global climate change could shift the ranges of existing invasive plants and weeds and alter competition patterns with native plants. Range expansion could occur in many species while range contractions may be less likely in rapidly evolving species with significant populations already established. Should range contractions occur, new or different weed species could fill the emerging gaps. Continued global climate change could alter the abundance and types of many pests, lengthen pests' breeding season, and increase pathogen growth rates.

Forests and Landscapes

Global climate change has the potential to intensify the current threat to forests and landscapes by increasing the risk of wildfire and altering the distribution and character of natural vegetation. If temperatures rise into the medium warming range, the risk of large wildfires in California could increase by as much as 55 percent, which is almost twice the increase expected if temperatures stay in the lower warming range. However, since wildfire risk is determined by a combination of factors, including precipitation, winds, temperature, and landscape and vegetation conditions, future risks will not be uniform throughout the state. In contrast, wildfires in northern California could increase by up to 90 percent due to decreased precipitation.

Moreover, continued global climate change has the potential to alter natural ecosystems and biological diversity within the state. For example, alpine and subalpine ecosystems could decline by as much as 60 to 80 percent by the end of the century as a result of increasing temperatures. The productivity of the state's forests has the potential to decrease as a result of global climate change.

Rising Sea Levels

Rising sea levels, more intense coastal storms, and warmer water temperatures could increasingly threaten the state's coastal regions. Under the higher warming range scenario, sea level is anticipated to rise 22 to 35 inches by 2100. Elevations of this magnitude would inundate low-lying coastal areas with salt water, accelerate coastal erosion, threaten vital levees and inland water systems, and disrupt wetlands and natural habitats. Under the lower warming range scenario, sea level could rise 12-14 inches.

2.6 HUMAN HEALTH EFFECTS

The potential health effects related directly to the emissions of carbon dioxide, methane, and nitrous oxide as they relate to development projects such as the proposed Project are still being debated in the scientific community. Their cumulative effects to global climate change have the potential to cause adverse effects to human health. Increases in Earth's ambient temperatures



would result in more intense heat waves, causing more heat-related deaths. Scientists also purport that higher ambient temperatures would increase disease survival rates and result in more widespread disease. Climate change will likely cause shifts in weather patterns, potentially resulting in devastating droughts and food shortages in some areas (24). Exhibit 2-A presents the potential impacts of global warming (25).

Specific health effects associated with directly emitted GHG emissions are as follows:

<u>Water Vapor</u>: There are no known direct health effects related to water vapor at this time. It should be noted however that when some pollutants react with water vapor, the reaction forms a transport mechanism for some of these pollutants to enter the human body through water vapor.

<u>Carbon Dioxide</u>: According to the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) high concentrations of carbon dioxide can result in health effects such as: headaches, dizziness, restlessness, difficulty breathing, sweating, increased heart rate, increased cardiac output, increased blood pressure, coma, asphyxia, and/or convulsions. It should be noted that current concentrations of carbon dioxide in the earth's atmosphere are estimated to be approximately 370 parts per million (ppm), the actual reference exposure level (level at which adverse health effects typically occur) is at exposure levels of 5,000 ppm averaged over 10 hours in a 40-hour workweek and short-term reference exposure levels of 30,000 ppm averaged over a 15 minute period (26).

<u>Methane</u>: Methane is extremely reactive with oxidizers, halogens, and other halogen-containing compounds. Methane is also an asphyxiant and may displace oxygen in an enclosed space (27).

<u>Nitrous Oxide</u>: Nitrous Oxide is often referred to as laughing gas; it is a colorless greenhouse gas. The health effects associated with exposure to elevated concentrations of nitrous oxide include dizziness, euphoria, slight hallucinations, and in extreme cases of elevated concentrations nitrous oxide can also cause brain damage (27).

<u>Fluorinated Gases</u>: High concentrations of fluorinated gases can also result in adverse health effects such as asphyxiation, dizziness, headache, cardiovascular disease, cardiac disorders, and in extreme cases, increased mortality (26).

<u>Aerosols</u>: The health effects of aerosols are similar to that of other fine particulate matter. Thus, aerosols can cause elevated respiratory and cardiovascular diseases as well as increased mortality (28).



Summary of Projected Global Warming Impact, 2070–2099 (as compared with 1961–1990) 90% loss in Sierra snowpack 13°F 22-30 inches of sea level rise 3-4 times as many heat wave days in major urban centers 12 4-6 times as many heat-related deaths in major urban centers 2.5 times more critically dry years Higher 20% increase in energy demand Warming Range Higher (8-10.5°F) **Emissions** • 70–80% loss in Sierra snowpack Scenario 14-22 inches of sea level rise 2.5-4 times as many heat wave days in major urban centers 2-6 times as many heat-related deaths in major urban centers Medium-Medium 75-85% increase in days conducive to ozone formation* High Warming Range Emissions • 2-2.5 times more critically dry years (5.5-8°F) Scenario 10% increase in electricity demand 30% decrease in forest yields (pine) 55% increase in the expected risk of large wildfires Lower **Emissions** Scenario Lower 30-60% loss in Sierra snowpack Warming Range 6–14 inches of sea level rise (3-5.5°F) 2-2.5 times as many heat wave days in major urban centers 2-3 times as many heat-related deaths in major urban centers 25-35% increase in days conducive to ozone formation* Up to 1.5 times more critically dry years 3-6% increase in electricity demand 7-14% decrease in forest yields (pine) 10-35% increase in the risk of large wildfires

EXHIBIT 2-A: SUMMARY OF PROJECTED GLOBAL WARMING IMPACT

Source: Barbara H. Allen-Diaz. "Climate change affects us all." University of California, Agriculture and Natural Resources, 2009.

* For high ozone locations in Los Angeles (Riverside) and the San Joaquin Valley (Visalia)



2.7 CALIFORNIA REGULATORY SETTING

Legislative Actions to Reduce GHGs

The State of California legislature has enacted a series of bills that constitute the most aggressive program to reduce GHGs of any state in the nation. Some legislation such as the landmark Assembly Bill (AB 32) California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 was specifically enacted to address GHG emissions. Other legislation such as Title 24 and Title 20 energy standards were originally adopted for other purposes such as energy and water conservation, but also provide GHG reductions. This section describes the major provisions of the legislation.

AB 32. The California State Legislature enacted AB 32, which requires that GHGs emitted in California be reduced to 1990 levels by the year 2020. "GHGs" as defined under AB 32 include carbon dioxide, methane, N₂O, hydrofluorocarbons, perfluorocarbons, and sulfur hexafluoride. Since AB 32 was enacted, a seventh chemical, nitrogen trifluoride, has also been added to the list of GHGs. The California Air Resources Board (ARB) is the state agency charged with monitoring and regulating sources of GHGs. AB 32 states the following:

Global warming poses a serious threat to the economic well-being, public health, natural resources, and the environment of California. The potential adverse impacts of global warming include the exacerbation of air quality problems, a reduction in the quality and supply of water to the state from the Sierra snowpack, a rise in sea levels resulting in the displacement of thousands of coastal businesses and residences, damage to marine ecosystems and the natural environment, and an increase in the incidences of infectious diseases, asthma, and other human health-related problems.

ARB approved the 1990 GHG emissions level of 427 MMTCO₂e on December 6, 2007 (ARB 2007). Therefore, emissions generated in California in 2020 are required to be equal to or less than 427 MMTCO₂e. Emissions in 2020 in a "business as usual" (BAU) scenario were estimated to be 596 MMTCO₂e, which do not account for reductions from AB 32 regulations (ARB 2008). At that level, a 28.4 percent reduction was required to achieve the 427 million MTCO₂e 1990 inventory. In October 2010, ARB prepared an updated 2020 forecast to account for the recession and slower forecasted growth. The forecasted inventory without the benefits of adopted regulation is now estimated at 545 million MTCO₂e. Therefore, under the updated forecast, a 21.7 percent reduction from BAU is required to achieve 1990 levels (ARB 2010).

PROGRESS IN ACHIEVING AB 32 TARGETS AND REMAINING REDUCTIONS REQUIRED

The State has made steady progress in implementing AB 32 and achieving targets included in Executive Order S-3-05. The progress is shown in updated emission inventories prepared by ARB for 2000 through 2012 (ARB 2014a). The State has achieved the Executive Order S-3-05 target for 2010 of reducing GHG emissions to 2000 levels. As shown below, the 2010 emission inventory achieved this target.

- 1990: 427 million MTCO₂e (AB 32 2020 target)
- 2000: 463 million MTCO₂e (an average 8 percent reduction needed to achieve 1990 base)



2010: 450 million MTCO₂e (an average 5 percent reduction needed to achieve 1990 base)

ARB has also made substantial progress in achieving its goal of achieving 1990 emissions levels by 2020. As described earlier in this section, ARB revised the 2020 BAU inventory forecast to account for new lower growth projections, which resulted in a new lower reduction from BAU to achieve the 1990 base. The previous reduction from 2020 BAU needed to achieve 1990 levels was 28.4 percent and the latest reduction from 2020 BAU is 21.7 percent.

 2020: 545 million MTCO₂e BAU (an average 21.7 percent reduction from BAU needed to achieve 1990 base)

ARB Scoping Plan. ARB's Climate Change Scoping Plan (Scoping Plan) contains measures designed to reduce the State's emissions to 1990 levels by the year 2020 to comply with AB 32 (ARB 2008). The Scoping Plan identifies recommended measures for multiple GHG emission sectors and the associated emission reductions needed to achieve the year 2020 emissions target—each sector has a different emission reduction target. Most of the measures target the transportation and electricity sectors. As stated in the Scoping Plan, the key elements of the strategy for achieving the 2020 GHG target include:

- Expanding and strengthening existing energy efficiency programs as well as building and appliance standards;
- Achieving a statewide renewables energy mix of 33 percent;
- Developing a California cap-and-trade program that links with other Western Climate Initiative partner programs to create a regional market system;
- Establishing targets for transportation-related GHG emissions for regions throughout California and pursuing policies and incentives to achieve those targets;
- Adopting and implementing measures pursuant to existing State laws and policies, including California's clean car standards, goods movement measures, and the Low Carbon Fuel Standard; and
- Creating targeted fees, including a public goods charge on water use, fees on high global warming potential gases, and a fee to fund the administrative costs of the State's long-term commitment to AB 32 implementation.

The ARB approved the First Update to the Scoping Plan (Update) on May 22, 2014. The Update identifies the next steps for California's climate change strategy. The Update shows how California continues on its path to meet the near-term 2020 GHG limit, but also sets a path toward long-term, deep GHG emission reductions. The report establishes a broad framework for continued emission reductions beyond 2020, on the path to 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050. The Update identifies progress made to meet the near-term objectives of AB 32 and defines California's climate change priorities and activities Climate for the next several years. The Update does not set new targets for the State, but describes a path that would achieve the long term 2050 goal of Executive Order S-05-03 for emissions to decline to 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050 (ARB 2014).

Forecasting the amount of emissions that would occur in 2020 if no actions are taken was necessary to assess the amount of reductions California must achieve to return to the 1990



emissions level by 2020 as required by AB 32. The no-action scenario is known as "business-as-usual" or BAU. The ARB originally defined the BAU scenario as emissions in the absence of any GHG emission reduction measures discussed in the Scoping Plan.

As part of CEQA compliance for the Scoping Plan, ARB prepared a Supplemental Functional Equivalent Document (FED) in 2011. The FED included an updated 2020 BAU emissions inventory projection based on current economic forecasts (i.e., as influenced by the economic downturn) and emission reduction measures already in place, replacing its prior 2020 BAU emissions inventory. ARB staff derived the updated emissions estimates by projecting emissions growth, by sector, from the state's average emissions from 2006–2008. The new BAU estimate includes emission reductions for the million-solar-roofs program, the AB 1493 (Pavley I) motor vehicle GHG emission standards, and the Low Carbon Fuels Standard. In addition, ARB factored into the 2020 BAU inventory emissions reductions associated with 33 percent Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard (RPS) for electricity generation. The updated BAU estimate of 507 MMTCO₂e by 2020 requires a reduction of 80 MMTCO₂e, or a 16 percent reduction below the estimated BAU levels to return to 1990 levels (i.e., 427 MMTCO₂e) by 2020.

In order to provide a BAU reduction that is consistent with the original definition in the Scoping Plan and with threshold definitions used in thresholds adopted by lead agencies for CEQA purposes and many climate action plans, the updated inventory without regulations was also included in the Supplemental FED. The ARB 2020 BAU projection for GHG emissions in California was originally estimated to be 596 MMTCO₂e. The updated ARB 2020 BAU projection in the Supplemental FED is 545 MMTCO₂e. Considering the updated BAU estimate of 545 MMTCO₂e by 2020, ARB estimates a 21.7 percent reduction below the estimated statewide BAU levels is necessary to return to 1990 emission levels (i.e., 427 MMTCO₂e) by 2020, instead of the approximate 28.4 percent BAU reduction previously reported under the original Climate Change Scoping Plan (2008).

2017 Climate Change Scoping Plan Update

In November 2017, ARB released the final 2017 Scoping Plan Update, which identifies the State's post-2020 reduction strategy. The 2017 Scoping Plan Update reflects the 2030 target of a 40 percent reduction below 1990 levels, set by Executive Order B-30-15 and codified by Senate Bill 32 (SB 32). Key programs that the proposed Second Update builds upon include the Cap-and-Trade Regulation, the Low Carbon Fuel Standard, and much cleaner cars, trucks and freight movement, utilizing cleaner, renewable energy, and strategies to reduce methane emissions from agricultural and other wastes.

The 2017 Scoping Plan establishes a new emissions limit of 260 MMTCO2e for the year 2030, which corresponds to a 40 percent decrease in 1990 levels by 2030.

California's climate strategy will require contributions from all sectors of the economy, including the land base, and will include enhanced focus on zero- and near-zero-emission (ZE/NZE) vehicle technologies; continued investment in renewables, including solar roofs, wind, and other distributed generation; greater use of low carbon fuels; integrated land conservation and development strategies; coordinated efforts to reduce emissions of short-lived climate pollutants (methane, black carbon, and fluorinated gases); and an increased focus on integrated land use



planning to support livable, transit-connected communities and conservation of agricultural and other lands. Requirements for direct GHG reductions at refineries will further support air quality co-benefits in neighborhoods, including in disadvantaged communities historically located adjacent to these large stationary sources, as well as efforts with California's local air pollution control and air quality management districts (air districts) to tighten emission limits on a broad spectrum of industrial sources. Major elements of the 2017 Scoping Plan framework include:

- Implementing and/or increasing the standards of the Mobile Source Strategy, which include increasing ZEV buses and trucks.
- Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS), with an increased stringency (18 percent by 2030).
- Implementing SB 350, which expands the Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) to 50 percent RPS and doubles energy efficiency savings by 2030.
- California Sustainable Freight Action Plan, which improves freight system efficiency, utilizes near-zero emissions technology, and deployment of ZEV trucks.
- Implementing the proposed Short-Lived Climate Pollutant Strategy (SLPS), which focuses on reducing methane and hydroflurocarbon emissions by 40 percent and anthropogenic black carbon emissions by 50 percent by year 2030.
- Continued implementation of SB 375.
- Post-2020 Cap-and-Trade Program that includes declining caps.
- 20 percent reduction in GHG emissions from refineries by 2030.
- Development of a Natural and Working Lands Action Plan to secure California's land base as a net carbon sink.

In addition to the statewide strategies listed above, the 2017 Scoping Plan also identifies local governments as essential partners in achieving the State's long-term GHG reduction goals and identifies local actions to reduce GHG emissions. As part of the recommended actions, CARB recommends that local governments achieve a community-wide goal to achieve emissions of no more than 6 MTCO2e or less per capita by 2030 and 2 MTCO2e or less per capita by 2050. For CEQA projects, CARB states that lead agencies may develop evidenced-based bright-line numeric thresholds—consistent with the Scoping Plan and the State's long-term GHG goals—and projects with emissions over that amount may be required to incorporate on-site design features and mitigation measures that avoid or minimize project emissions to the degree feasible; or, a performance-based metric using a climate action plan or other plan to reduce GHG emissions is appropriate.

According to research conducted by the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory and supported by ARB, California, under its existing and proposed GHG reduction policies, is on track to meet the 2020 reduction targets under AB 32 and could achieve the 2030 goals under SB 32. The research utilized a new, validated model known as the California LBNL GHG Analysis of Policies Spreadsheet (CALGAPS), which simulates GHG and criteria pollutant emissions in California from 2010 to 2050 in accordance to existing and future GHG-reducing policies. The CALGAPS model showed that GHG emissions through 2020 could range from 317 to 415 MTCO2e per year, "indicating that existing state policies will likely allow California to meet its target [of 2020 levels under AB 32]." CALGAPS also showed that by 2030, emissions could range from 211 to 428



MTCO2e per year, indicating that "even if all modeled policies are not implemented, reductions could be sufficient to reduce emissions 40 percent below the 1990 level [of SB 32]." CALGAPS analyzed emissions through 2050 even though it did not generally account for policies that might be put in place after 2030. Though the research indicated that the emissions would not meet the State's 80 percent reduction goal by 2050, various combinations of policies could allow California's cumulative emissions to remain very low through 2050 (4) (5).

Senate Bill 32. On September 8, 2016, Governor Jerry Brown signed the Senate Bill (SB) 32 and its companion bill, Assembly Bill (AB) 197. SB 32 requires the state to reduce statewide GHG emissions to 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030, a reduction target that was first introduced in Executive Order B-30-15. The new legislation builds upon the AB 32 goal of 1990 levels by 2020 and provides an intermediate goal to achieving S-3-05, which sets a statewide GHG reduction target of 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050. AB 197 creates a legislative committee to oversee regulators to ensure that ARB is not only respond to the Governor, but also the Legislature (2) (3).

SB 375 - the Sustainable Communities and Climate Protection Act of 2008. Passing the Senate on August 30, 2008, Senate Bill (SB) 375 was signed by the Governor on September 30, 2008. According to SB 375, the transportation sector is the largest contributor of GHG emissions, which emits over 40 percent of the total GHG emissions in California. SB 375 states, "Without improved land use and transportation policy, California will not be able to achieve the goals of AB 32." SB 375 does the following: it (1) requires metropolitan planning organizations to include sustainable community strategies in their regional transportation plans for reducing GHG emissions, (2) aligns planning for transportation and housing, and (3) creates specified incentives for the implementation of the strategies.

Concerning CEQA, SB 375, as codified in Public Resources Code Section 21159.28, states that CEQA findings for certain projects are not required to reference, describe, or discuss (1) growth inducing impacts, or (2) any project-specific or cumulative impacts from cars and light-duty truck trips generated by the project on global warming or the regional transportation network, if the project:

- 1. Is in an area with an approved sustainable communities strategy or an alternative planning strategy that the ARB accepts as achieving the GHG emission reduction targets.
- 2. Is consistent with that strategy (in designation, density, building intensity, and applicable policies).
- Incorporates the mitigation measures required by an applicable prior environmental document.

AB 1493 Pavley Regulations and Fuel Efficiency Standards. California AB 1493, enacted on July 22, 2002, required ARB to develop and adopt regulations that reduce GHGs emitted by passenger vehicles and light duty trucks. Implementation of the regulation was delayed by lawsuits filed by automakers and by the EPA's denial of an implementation waiver. The EPA subsequently granted the requested waiver in 2009, which was upheld by the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia in 2011.

The standards phase in during the 2009 through 2016 model years. When fully phased in, the near-term (2009–2012) standards will result in about a 22 percent reduction compared with the



2002 fleet, and the mid-term (2013–2016) standards will result in about a 30 percent reduction. Several technologies stand out as providing significant reductions in emissions at favorable costs. These include discrete variable valve lift or camless valve actuation to optimize valve operation rather than relying on fixed valve timing and lift as has historically been done; turbocharging to boost power and allow for engine downsizing; improved multi-speed transmissions; and improved air conditioning systems that operate optimally, leak less, and/or use an alternative refrigerant.

The second phase of the implementation for the Pavley bill was incorporated into Amendments to the Low-Emission Vehicle Program referred to as LEV III or the Advanced Clean Cars program. The Advanced Clean Car program combines the control of smog-causing pollutants and GHG emissions into a single coordinated package of requirements for model years 2017 through 2025. The regulation will reduce GHGs from new cars by 34 percent from 2016 levels by 2025. The new rules will clean up gasoline and diesel-powered cars, and deliver increasing numbers of zero-emission technologies, such as full battery electric cars, newly emerging plug-in hybrid electric vehicles and hydrogen fuel cell cars. The package will also ensure adequate fueling infrastructure is available for the increasing numbers of hydrogen fuel cell vehicles planned for deployment in California.

SB 350— Clean Energy and Pollution Reduction Act of 2015. In October 2015, the legislature approved and the Governor signed SB 350, which reaffirms California's commitment to reducing its GHG emissions and addressing climate change. Key provisions include an increase in the renewables portfolio standard (RPS), higher energy efficiency requirements for buildings, initial strategies towards a regional electricity grid, and improved infrastructure for electric vehicle charging stations. Provisions for a 50 percent reduction in the use of petroleum statewide were removed from the Bill because of opposition and concern that it would prevent the Bill's passage. Specifically, SB 350 requires the following to reduce statewide GHG emissions:

- Increase the amount of electricity procured from renewable energy sources from 33 percent to 50 percent by 2030, with interim targets of 40 percent by 2024, and 25 percent by 2027.
- Double the energy efficiency in existing buildings by 2030. This target will be achieved through the California Public Utility Commission (CPUC), the California Energy Commission (CEC), and local publicly-owned utilities.
- Reorganize the Independent System Operator (ISO) to develop more regional electrify transmission markets and to improve accessibility in these markets, which will facilitate the growth of renewable energy markets in the western United States (California Leginfo 2015).

EXECUTIVE ORDERS RELATED TO GHG EMISSIONS

California's Executive Branch has taken several actions to reduce GHGs through the use of Executive Orders. Although not regulatory, they set the tone for the state and guide the actions of state agencies.

Executive Order S-3-05. Former California Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger announced on June 1, 2005, through Executive Order S-3-05, the following reduction targets for GHG emissions:

By 2010, reduce GHG emissions to 2000 levels.



- By 2020, reduce GHG emissions to 1990 levels.
- By 2050, reduce GHG emissions to 80 percent below 1990 levels.

The 2050 reduction goal represents what some scientists believe is necessary to reach levels that will stabilize the climate. The 2020 goal was established to be a mid-term target. Because this is an executive order, the goals are not legally enforceable for local governments or the private sector.

Executive Order S-01-07 – Low Carbon Fuel Standard. The Governor signed Executive Order S-01-07 on January 18, 2007. The order mandates that a statewide goal shall be established to reduce the carbon intensity of California's transportation fuels by at least 10 percent by 2020. In particular, the Executive Order established a Low Carbon Fuel Standard and directed the Secretary for Environmental Protection to coordinate the actions of the California Energy Commission, the ARB, the University of California, and other agencies to develop and propose protocols for measuring the "life-cycle carbon intensity" of transportation fuels. This analysis supporting development of the protocols was included in the State Implementation Plan for alternative fuels (State Alternative Fuels Plan adopted by California Energy Commission on December 24, 2007) and was submitted to ARB for consideration as an "early action" item under AB 32. The ARB adopted the Low Carbon Fuel Standard on April 23, 2009.

The Low Carbon Fuel Standard was challenged in the U.S. District Court in Fresno in 2011. The court's ruling issued on December 29, 2011, included a preliminary injunction against ARB's implementation of the rule. The Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals stayed the injunction on April 23, 2012, pending final ruling on appeal, allowing ARB to continue to implement and enforce the regulation. The Ninth Circuit Court's decision, filed September 18, 2013, vacated the preliminary injunction. In essence, the court held that Low Carbon Fuel Standards adopted by ARB were not in conflict with federal law. On August 8, 2013, the Fifth District Court of Appeal (California) ruled ARB failed to comply with CEQA and the Administrative Procedure Act (APA) when adopting regulations for Low Carbon Fuel Standards. In a partially published opinion, the Court of Appeal reversed the trial court's judgment and directed issuance of a writ of mandate setting aside Resolution 09-31 and two executive orders of ARB approving Low Carbon Fuel Standards (LCFS) regulations promulgated to reduce GHG emissions. However, the court tailored its remedy to protect the public interest by allowing the LCFS regulations to remain operative while ARB complies with the procedural requirements it failed to satisfy.

To address the Court ruling, ARB was required to bring a new LCFS regulation to tits Board for consideration in February 2015. The proposed LCFS regulation was required to contain revisions to the 2010 LCFS as well as new provisions designed to foster investments in the production of the low-carbon intensity (low-CI) fuels, offer additional flexibility to regulated parties, update critical technical information, simplify and streamline program operations, and enhance enforcement. The second public hearing was held on September 24 and September 25, 2015, where the LCFS Regulation was adopted. The Final Rulemaking Package adopting the regulation was filed with Office of Administrative Law (OAL) on October 2, 2015. OAL had until November 16, 2015 to make a determination (ARB 2015d).



Executive Order S-13-08. Executive Order S-13-08 states that "climate change in California during the next century is expected to shift precipitation patterns, accelerate sea level rise and increase temperatures, thereby posing a serious threat to California's economy, to the health and welfare of its population and to its natural resources." Pursuant to the requirements in the Order, the 2009 California Climate Adaptation Strategy (California Natural Resources Agency 2009) was adopted, which is the ". . . first statewide, multi-sector, region-specific, and information-based climate change adaptation strategy in the United States." Objectives include analyzing risks of climate change in California, identifying and exploring strategies to adapt to climate change, and specifying a direction for future research.

Executive Order B-30-15. On April 29, 2015, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an executive order to establish a California GHG reduction target of 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030. The Governor's executive order aligns California's GHG reduction targets with those of leading international governments ahead of the United Nations Climate Change Conference in Paris late 2015. The Order sets a new interim statewide GHG emission reduction target to reduce GHG emissions to 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030 in order to ensure California meets its target of reducing GHG emissions to 80 percent below 1990 levels by 2050 and directs ARB to update the Climate Change Scoping Plan to express the 2030 target in terms of million metric tons of CO₂ equivalent (MMCO₂e). The Order also requires the state's climate adaptation plan to be updated every three years, and for the State to continue its climate change research program, among other provisions. As with Executive Order S-3-05, this Order is not legally enforceable for local governments and the private sector. Legislation that would update AB 32 to make post 2020 targets and requirements a mandate is in process in the State Legislature.

CALIFORNIA REGULATIONS AND BUILDING CODES

California has a long history of adopting regulations to improve energy efficiency in new and remodeled buildings. These regulations have kept California's energy consumption relatively flat even with rapid population growth.

Title 20 Appliance Efficiency Standards. California Code of Regulations, Title 20: Division 2, Chapter 4, Article 4, Sections 1601-1608: Appliance Efficiency Regulations regulates the sale of appliances in California. The Appliance Efficiency Regulations include standards for both federally regulated appliances and non-federally regulated appliances. 23 categories of appliances are included in the scope of these regulations. The standards within these regulations apply to appliances that are sold or offered for sale in California, except those sold wholesale in California for final retail sale outside the state and those designed and sold exclusively for use in recreational vehicles or other mobile equipment (CEC 2012).

Title 24 Energy Efficiency Standards and California Green Building Standards. California Code of Regulations Title 24 Part 6: California's Energy Efficiency Standards for Residential and Nonresidential Buildings, was first adopted in 1978 in response to a legislative mandate to reduce California's energy consumption. The standards are updated periodically to allow consideration and possible incorporation of new energy efficient technologies and methods. Energy efficient buildings require less electricity; therefore, increased energy efficiency reduces fossil fuel



consumption and decreases GHG emissions. The newest 2016 version of Title 24 was adopted by the California Energy Commission (CEC) and became effective on January 1, 2017.

The CEC indicates that the 2016 Title 24 standards will reduce energy consumption by 5 percent for nonresidential buildings above that achieved by the 2013 Title 24 (CEC 2015).

California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 11: California Green Building Standards Code (CALGreen) is a comprehensive and uniform regulatory code for all residential, commercial, and school buildings that went in effect on January 1, 2011, and is administered by the California Building Standards Commission. CALGreen is updated on a regular basis, with the most recent update consisting of the 2016 California Green Building Code Standards that became effective January 1, 2017. Local jurisdictions are permitted to adopt more stringent requirements, as state law provides methods for local enhancements. CALGreen recognizes that many jurisdictions have developed existing construction and demolition ordinances, and defers to them as the ruling guidance provided they establish a minimum 50 percent diversion requirement. The code also provides exemptions for areas not served by construction and demolition recycling infrastructure. The State Building Code provides the minimum standard that buildings must meet in order to be certified for occupancy, which is generally enforced by the local building official. CALGreen requires:

- Short-term bicycle parking. If a commercial project is anticipated to generate visitor traffic, provide permanently anchored bicycle racks within 200 feet of the visitors' entrance, readily visible to passers-by, for 5 percent of visitor motorized vehicle parking capacity, with a minimum of one two-bike capacity rack (5.106.4.1.1).
- Long-term bicycle parking. For new buildings with 10 or more tenant-occupants, provide secure bicycle parking for 5 percent of tenant-occupied motorized vehicle parking capacity, with a minimum of one space (5.106.4.1.2).
- Designated parking. Provide designated parking in commercial projects for any combination of lowemitting, fuel-efficient and carpool/van pool vehicles as shown in Table 5.106.5.2 (5.106.5.2).
- Recycling by Occupants. Provide readily accessible areas that serve the entire building and are identified for the depositing, storage and collection of nonhazardous materials for recycling (5.410.1).
- Construction waste. A minimum 65 percent diversion of construction and demolition waste from landfills, increasing voluntarily to 80 percent for new homes and commercial projects (5.408.1, A5.408.3.1 [nonresidential], A5.408.3.1 [residential]). All (100 percent) of trees, stumps, rocks and associated vegetation and soils resulting from land clearing shall be reused or recycled (5.408.3).
- Wastewater reduction. Each building shall reduce the generation of wastewater by one of the following methods:
 - The installation of water-conserving fixtures (5.303.3) or
 - Using nonpotable water systems (5.303.4).
- Water use savings. 20 percent mandatory reduction of indoor water use with voluntary goal standards for 30, 35 and 40 percent reductions (5.303.2, A5303.2.3 [nonresidential]).
- Water meters. Separate water meters for buildings in excess of 50,000 square feet or buildings projected to consume more than 1,000 gallons per day (5.303.1).



- Irrigation efficiency. Moisture-sensing irrigation systems for larger landscaped areas (5.304.3).
- Materials pollution control. Low-pollutant emitting interior finish materials such as paints, carpet, vinyl flooring, and particleboard (5.404).
- Building commissioning. Mandatory inspections of energy systems (i.e., heat furnace, air conditioner, mechanical equipment) for nonresidential buildings over 10,000 square feet to ensure that all are working at their maximum capacity according to their design efficiencies (5.410.2)..

Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance. The Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance (Ordinance) was required by AB 1881, the Water Conservation Act. The bill required local agencies to adopt a local landscape ordinance at least as effective in conserving water as the Model Ordinance by January 1, 2010. Reductions in water use of 20 percent consistent with (SBX-7-7) 2020 mandate are expected upon compliance with the ordinance. Governor Brown's Drought Executive Order of April 1, 2015 (EO B-29-15) directed Department of Water Resources (DWR) to update the Ordinance through expedited regulation. The California Water Commission approved the revised Ordinance on July 15, 2015 effective December 15, 2015. New development projects that include landscape areas of 500 square feet or more are subject to the Ordinance. The update requires:

- More efficient irrigation systems;
- Incentives for graywater usage;
- Improvements in on-site stormwater capture;
- Limiting the portion of landscapes that can be planted with high water use plants; and
- Reporting requirements for local agencies.

SB 97 and the CEQA Guidelines Update. Passed in August 2007, SB 97 added Section 21083.05 to the Public Resources Code. The code states "(a) On or before July 1, 2009, the Office of Planning and Research shall prepare, develop, and transmit to the Resources Agency guidelines for the mitigation of GHG emissions or the effects of GHG emissions as required by this division, including, but not limited to, effects associated with transportation or energy consumption. (b) On or before January 1, 2010, the Resources Agency shall certify and adopt guidelines prepared and developed by the Office of Planning and Research pursuant to subdivision (a)." Section 21097 was also added to the Public Resources Code. It provided CEQA protection until January 1, 2010 for transportation projects funded by the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006 or projects funded by the Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006, in stating that the failure to analyze adequately the effects of GHGs would not violate CEQA.

On April 13, 2009, the Office of Planning and Research submitted to the Secretary for Natural Resources its recommended amendments to the CEQA Guidelines for addressing GHG emissions. On July 3, 2009, the Natural Resources Agency commenced the Administrative Procedure Act rulemaking process for certifying and adopting these amendments pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21083.05. Following a 55-day public comment period and two public hearings, the Natural Resources Agency proposed revisions to the text of the proposed Guidelines amendments. The Natural Resources Agency transmitted the adopted amendments and the entire rulemaking file to the Office of Administrative Law on December 31, 2009. On February



16, 2010, the Office of Administrative Law approved the Amendments, and filed them with the Secretary of State for inclusion in the California Code of Regulations. The Amendments became effective on March 18, 2010.

The CEQA Amendments provide guidance to public agencies regarding the analysis and mitigation of the effects of GHG emissions in CEQA documents. The CEQA Amendments fit within the existing CEQA framework by amending existing CEQA Guidelines to reference climate change.

A new section, CEQA Guidelines Section 15064.4, was added to assist agencies in determining the significance of GHG emissions. The new section allows agencies the discretion to determine whether a quantitative or qualitative analysis is best for a particular project. However, little guidance is offered on the crucial next step in this assessment process—how to determine whether the project's estimated GHG emissions are significant or cumulatively considerable.

Also amended were CEQA Guidelines Sections 15126.4 and 15130, which address mitigation measures and cumulative impacts, respectively. GHG mitigation measures are referenced in general terms, but no specific measures are championed. The revision to the cumulative impact discussion requirement (Section 15130) simply directs agencies to analyze GHG emissions in an EIR when a project's incremental contribution of emissions may be cumulatively considerable, however it does not answer the question of when emissions are cumulatively considerable.

Section 15183.5 permits programmatic GHG analysis and later project-specific tiering, as well as the preparation of GHG Reduction Plans. Compliance with such plans can support a determination that a project's cumulative effect is not cumulatively considerable, according to Section 15183.5(b).

In addition, the amendments revised Appendix F of the CEQA Guidelines, which focuses on Energy Conservation. The sample environmental checklist in Appendix G was amended to include GHG questions.

2.8 DISCUSSION ON ESTABLISHMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE THRESHOLDS

The City of Eastvale has not adopted a numeric threshold of significance for determining impacts with respect to greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Within this GHGA, the SCAQMD screening threshold of 3,000 MTCO2e per year is employed to determine if additional analysis of GHG emissions impacts and implementation of GHG emissions mitigation measures is warranted. This approach is a widely accepted small project screening threshold used by numerous lead agencies in Orange County and within the South Coast Air Basin, and is based on the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) staff's proposed GHG screening threshold for stationary source emissions for non-industrial projects, as described in the SCAQMD's Interim CEQA GHG Significance Threshold for Stationary Sources, Rules and Plans ("SCAQMD Interim GHG Threshold"). The SCAQMD Interim GHG Threshold identifies a quantified GHG emissions screening level to determine whether additional analysis is required (29). As noted by the SCAQMD:

"...the...screening level for stationary sources is based on an emission capture rate of 90 percent for all new or modified projects...the policy objective of [SCAQMD's]



recommended interim GHG significance threshold proposal is to achieve an emission capture rate of 90 percent of all new or modified stationary source projects. A GHG significance threshold based on a 90 percent emission capture rate may be more appropriate to address the long-term adverse impacts associated with global climate change because most projects will be required to implement GHG reduction measures. Further, a 90 percent emission capture rate sets the emission threshold low enough to capture a substantial fraction of future stationary source projects that will be constructed to accommodate future statewide population and economic growth, while setting the emission threshold high enough to exclude small projects that will in aggregate contribute a relatively small fraction of the cumulative statewide GHG emissions. This assertion is based on the fact that [SCAQMD] staff estimates that these GHG emissions would account for slightly less than one percent of future 2050 statewide GHG emissions target (85 [MMTCO2e/yr.]). In addition, these small projects may be subject to future applicable GHG control regulations that would further reduce their overall future contribution to the statewide GHG inventory. Finally, these small sources are already subject to [Best Available Control Technology] (BACT) for criteria pollutants and are more likely to be single-permit facilities, so they are more likely to have few opportunities readily available to reduce GHG emissions from other parts of their facility." (29)

Based on the above guidance from the SCAQMD, if a non-industrial project would emit GHGs totaling less than 3,000 MTCO₂e per year, the project is not considered a substantial GHG emitter and the GHG impact is less-than-significant. SCAQMD guidance indicates no additional analysis is required and no mitigation need be imposed. On the other hand, if a non-industrial project would emit GHGs in excess of 3,000 MTCO2e per year, then the project could be considered a potentially significant GHG emitter, requiring additional analysis and potential mitigation.

The SCAQMD screening threshold of 3,000 MTCO2e per year is germane to this Project and employed in this GHGA.



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3 PROJECT GREENHOUSE GAS IMPACT

3.1 Introduction

The Project has been evaluated to determine if it will result in a greenhouse gas impact. The potential impacts are described in the following section.

3.2 PROJECT RELATED GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

CEQA Guidelines 15064.4 (a) (1) states that a lead agency may use a model or methodology to quantify greenhouse gas emissions associated with a project (30).

On October 14, 2016, the SCAQMD in conjunction with the California Air Pollution Control Officers Association (CAPCOA) and other California air districts, released the latest version of the California Emissions Estimator Model™ (CalEEMod™) v2016.3.2. The purpose of this model is to more accurately calculate construction-source and operational-source criteria pollutant (NO_x, VOC, PM₁₀, PM_{2.5}, SO_x, and CO) and greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from direct and indirect sources; and quantify applicable air quality and GHG reductions achieved from mitigation measures (31). Accordingly, the latest version of CalEEMod™ has been used for this Project to determine construction and operational air quality impacts. Output from the model runs for both construction and operational activity are provided in Appendix 3.1.

3.3 CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONAL LIFE-CYCLE ANALYSIS

Life-cycle analysis (i.e., assessing economy-wide GHG emissions from the processes in manufacturing and transporting all raw materials used in the project development, infrastructure and on-going operations) depends on emission factors or econometric factors that are not well established for all processes. A full life-cycle analysis (LCA) for construction and operational activity is not included in this analysis due to the speculative nature of any such analysis and the lack of consensus guidance on LCA methodology.

3.4 CONSTRUCTION EMISSIONS

Construction activities associated with the proposed Project will result in emissions of CO2 and CH4 from construction activities.

The report <u>Polopolus Air Quality Impact Analysis Report</u>, Urban Crossroads, Inc. (2018) contains detailed information regarding construction activity (32).

For construction phase Project emissions, GHGs are quantified and amortized over the life of the Project. To amortize the emissions over the life of the Project, the SCAQMD recommends calculating the total greenhouse gas emissions for the construction activities, dividing it by a 30-year project life then adding that number to the annual operational phase GHG emissions (33). As such, construction emissions were amortized over a 30-year period and added to the annual operational phase GHG emissions.



3.5 OPERATIONAL EMISSIONS

Operational activities associated with the proposed Project will result in emissions of CO2, CH4, and N2O from the following primary sources:

- Area Source Emissions
- Energy Source Emissions
- Mobile Source Emissions
- Solid Waste
- Water Supply, Treatment and Distribution

3.5.1 AREA SOURCE EMISSIONS

<u>Landscape Maintenance Equipment</u>

Landscape maintenance equipment would generate emissions from fuel combustion and evaporation of unburned fuel. Equipment in this category would include lawnmowers, shedders/grinders, blowers, trimmers, chain saws, and hedge trimmers used to maintain the landscaping of the Project. Unless otherwise noted, CalEEMod™ default parameters were used to estimate landscape maintenance equipment GHG emissions.

3.5.2 ENERGY SOURCE EMISSIONS

Combustion Emissions Associated with Natural Gas and Electricity

GHGs are emitted from buildings as a result of activities for which electricity and natural gas are typically used as energy sources. Combustion of any type of fuel emits CO2 and other GHGs directly into the atmosphere; these emissions are considered direct emissions associated with a building. GHGs are also emitted during the generation of electricity from fossil fuels; these emissions are considered to be indirect emissions. Unless otherwise noted, CalEEMod™ default parameters were used to estimate energy source GHG emissions.

3.5.3 MOBILE SOURCE EMISSIONS

Vehicles

GHG emissions will also result from mobile sources associated with the Project. These mobile source emissions will result from the typical daily operation of motor vehicles by visitors, employees, and residents.

Project mobile source emissions are dependent on both overall daily vehicle trip generation. Trip characteristics available from the report, <u>Polopolus Traffic Impact Analysis</u> Urban Crossroads (2017) were utilized in this analysis (34).

3.5.4 SOLID WASTE

The Project land uses will result in the generation and disposal of solid waste. A large percentage of solid waste generated by the Project would be diverted and recycled consistent with



requirements of AB 39, yielding a minimum reduction of 50% in Project waste that would be transported to and disposed of at area landfills. The remainder of the waste not diverted will be disposed of at a landfill. GHG emissions from landfills are associated with the anaerobic breakdown of material. GHG emissions associated with the disposal of solid waste associated with the proposed Project were calculated by the CalEEMod™ model using default parameters.

3.5.5 WATER SUPPLY, TREATMENT AND DISTRIBUTION

Indirect GHG emissions result from the production of electricity used to convey, treat and distribute water and wastewater. The amount of electricity required to convey, treat and distribute water depends on the volume of water as well as the sources of the water. Unless otherwise noted, CalEEMod™ default parameters were used to estimate GHG emissions attributable to water supply, treatment and distribution activities.

3.6 EMISSIONS SUMMARY

GHG Impact 1: The Project would generate direct or indirect greenhouse gas emission that would result in a significant and unavoidable impact on the environment.

The Project (for opening year 2019 conditions) will result in approximately 2,852.69 MTCO2e per year from construction, area, energy, waste, and water usage. In addition, the Project has the potential to result in an additional 12,304.77 MTCO2e per year from mobile sources.⁴ As shown on Table 3-1, the Project has the potential to generate a total of approximately 15,157.46 MTCO2e per year. Project GHG emissions would exceed the SCAQMD screening level threshold of 3,000 MTCO2e/year and would be considered potentially cumulatively significant.

TABLE 3-1: TOTAL PROJECT GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS (ANNUAL)

Furthering Course	E	missions (met	ric tons per yea	r)						
Emission Source	CO ₂	CH ₄	N ₂ O	Total CO₂E						
Annual construction-related emissions amortized over 30 years	27.86	0.01	0.00	28.01						
Area	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01						
Energy	2,471.85	0.08	0.03	2,482.79						
Mobile Source	12,280.74	0.96	0.00	12,304.77						
Waste	86.15	5.09	0.00	213.44						
Water Usage	108.73	0.61	0.02	128.45						
Total CO₂E (All Sources)	15,157.46									
SCAQMD Threshold	3,000									
Threshold Exceeded?	YES									

⁴ Mobile-source GHG emissions estimates conservatively assume all the vehicle trips to and from the Project are "new" trips. Arguably, many of these trips are not "new," but rather are reassigned existing trips.



MITIGATION MEASURES

LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE AFTER MITIGATION

Cumulatively Significant and Unavoidable.

Conformance with Title 24 Energy Efficiency requirements, CalGreen mandates, and other energy efficiency measures implemented by the state, as well as conservation measures implemented through City Ordinances (e.g., City of Eastvale Water Conservation Ordinance) would act to generally reduce area-source and energy-source GHG emissions, but would have no substantive effect on mobile-source GHG emissions, the primary contributor to the Project GHG emission impact. Responsibility and authority for regulation of mobile-source emissions resides with the State of California (CARB, et al.). Neither the Applicant nor the Lead Agency can effect or mandate substantive reductions in mobile-source GHG emissions, much less reductions that would achieve the SCAQMD of 3,000 MTCO2e for non-industrial projects. Specifically, as shown on Table ES-1, the Project mobile-source GHG emissions alone total approximately 12,304.77 MTCO2e per year, which would exceed the SCAQMD thresholds employed in this analysis. *On this basis, quantified net GHG emissions generated by the Project would be cumulatively considerable, and the Project net GHG emissions impact would be cumulatively significant and unavoidable.*

GHG Impact #2: The Project would not conflict with any applicable plan, policy or regulation of an agency adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases

Consistency with AB 32

ARB's Scoping Plan identifies strategies to reduce California's greenhouse gas emissions in support of AB32. Many of the strategies identified in the Scoping Plan are not applicable at the project level, such as long-term technological improvements to reduce emissions from vehicles. Some measures are applicable and supported by the project, such as energy efficiency. Finally, while some measures are not directly applicable, the project would not conflict with their implementation. Reduction measures are grouped into 18 action categories, as follows:

- 1. California Cap-and-Trade Program Linked to Western Climate Initiative Partner Jurisdictions. Implement a broad-based California cap-and-trade program to provide a firm limit on emissions. Link the California cap-and-trade program with other Western Climate Initiative Partner programs to create a regional market system to achieve greater environmental and economic benefits for California.⁵ Ensure California's program meets all applicable AB 32 requirements for market-based mechanisms.
- 2. California Light-Duty Vehicle Greenhouse Gas Standards. Implement adopted Pavley standards and planned second phase of the program. Align zero-emission vehicle, alternative and renewable fuel and vehicle technology programs with long-term climate change goals.
- 3. **Energy Efficiency.** Maximize energy efficiency building and appliance standards, and pursue additional efficiency efforts including new technologies, and new policy and implementation



⁵ California Air Resources Board. California GHG Emissions – Forecast (2002-2020). October 2010

mechanisms. Pursue comparable investment in energy efficiency from all retail providers of electricity in California (including both investor-owned and publicly owned utilities).

- 4. Renewables Portfolio Standards. Achieve 33 percent renewable energy mix statewide.
- 5. Low Carbon Fuel Standard. Develop and adopt the Low Carbon Fuel Standard.
- 6. **Regional Transportation-Related Greenhouse Gas Targets.** Develop regional greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets for passenger vehicles.
- 7. Vehicle Efficiency Measures. Implement light-duty vehicle efficiency measures.
- 8. **Goods Movement.** Implement adopted regulations for the use of shore power for ships at berth. Improve efficiency in goods movement activities.
- 9. **Million Solar Roofs Program.** Install 3,000 megawatts of solar-electric capacity under California's existing solar programs.
- 10. Medium- and Heavy-Duty Vehicles. Adopt medium- (MD) and heavy-duty (HD) vehicle efficiencies. Aerodynamic efficiency measures for HD trucks pulling trailers 53-feet or longer that include improvements in trailer aerodynamics and use of rolling resistance tires were adopted in 2008 and went into effect in 2010.⁶ Future, yet to be determined improvements, includes hybridization of MD and HD trucks.
- 11. **Industrial Emissions.** Require assessment of large industrial sources to determine whether individual sources within a facility can cost-effectively reduce greenhouse gas emissions and provide other pollution reduction co-benefits. Reduce greenhouse gas emissions from fugitive emissions from oil and gas extraction and gas transmission. Adopt and implement regulations to control fugitive methane emissions and reduce flaring at refineries.
- 12. **High Speed Rail.** Support implementation of a high speed rail system.
- 13. **Green Building Strategy.** Expand the use of green building practices to reduce the carbon footprint of California's new and existing inventory of buildings.
- 14. **High Global Warming Potential Gases.** Adopt measures to reduce high warming global potential gases.
- 15. **Recycling and Waste.** Reduce methane emissions at landfills. Increase waste diversion, composting and other beneficial uses of organic materials, and mandate commercial recycling. Move toward zero-waste.
- 16. **Sustainable Forests.** Preserve forest sequestration and encourage the use of forest biomass for sustainable energy generation. The 2020 target for carbon sequestration is 5 million MTCO2E/YR.
- 17. Water. Continue efficiency programs and use cleaner energy sources to move and treat water.
- 18. **Agriculture.** In the near-term, encourage investment in manure digesters and at the five-year Scoping Plan update determine if the program should be made mandatory by 2020.

Table 3-2 summarizes the Project's consistency with the State Scoping Plan. As summarized, the Project would not conflict with any of the provisions of the Scoping Plan and in fact supports the action categories: energy efficiency, water conservation, recycling, and landscaping.



 $^{^6}$ California Air Resources Board. Scoping Plan Measures Implementation Timeline. October 2010

TABLE 3-2: SCOPING PLAN CONSISTENCY SUMMARY

Action	Supporting Measures ⁷	Remarks
Cap-and-Trade Program		Not Applicable. These programs involve capping emissions from electricity generation, industrial facilities, and broad scoped fuels.
Light-Duty Vehicle Standards	T-1	Not Applicable. This is a statewide measure establishing vehicle emissions standards.
Energy Efficiency	E-1 E-2 CR-1 CR-2	Consistent. The Project will include a variety of building, water, and solid waste efficiencies consistent with 2016 CALGREEN requirements.
Renewables Portfolio Standard	E-3	State action beyond the scope of the Project. Establishes the composition of statewide renewable energy resources.
Low Carbon Fuel Standard	T-2	State action beyond the scope of the Project. Establishes reduced carbon intensity standards for transportation fuels.
Regional Transportation- Related Greenhouse Gas Targets	T-3	State action beyond the scope of the Project. Establishes regional transportation GHG emissions targets.
Vehicle Efficiency Measures	T-4	State action beyond the scope of the Project. Identifies measures such as minimum tire-fuel efficiency, lower friction oil, and reduction in air conditioning use.
Goods Movement	T-5	Identifies measures to improve goods movement efficiencies such as advanced combustion strategies, friction reduction, waste heat recovery, and electrification of accessories. These measures are yet
	T-6	to be implemented and would be voluntary. The Project would not impede or interfere with their implementation.
Million Solar Roofs (MSR) Program	E-4	The MSR program sets a goal for use of solar systems throughout the state as a whole. The Lead Agency will review the Project for potential inclusion of solar roofs.
Medium- & Heavy-Duty Vehicles	T-7	The Project would not generate substantive MD and HD truck traffic. No feature of the Project would interfere with or impede implementation of these programs.

⁷ Supporting measures can be found at the following link: http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/scopingplan/2013_update/appendix_b.pdf



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Action	Supporting Measures ⁷	Remarks
	T-8	
Industrial Emissions	I-1 I-2 I-3 I-4 I-5	Not Applicable. These measures are applicable to large industrial facilities (> 500,000 MTCOE2/YR) and other intensive uses such as refineries. The Project is not an industrial use.
High Speed Rail	T-9	Not Applicable. Supports increased mobility choice via implementation of high speed rail. The Project does not propose implementation of rail facilities, and would not otherwise affect implementation of rail facilities.
Green Building Strategy	GB-1	Consistent. The Project would implement building, water, and solid waste efficiency measures consistent with 2016 CALGREEN requirements.
High Global Warming Potential Gases	H-1 H-2 H-3 H-4 H-5 H-6 H-7	Not Applicable. As substantiated herein, the Project is not a substantial source of high GWP emissions.
Recycling and Waste	RW-1 RW-2 RW-3	Consistent. The Project would be required to divert/recycle a minimum of 50 percent of construction-source and operational-source waste.
Sustainable Forests	F-1	Consistent. Project landscaping would generally support increased carbon sequestration.
Water	W-1 W-2 W-3 W-4 W-5 W-6	Consistent. The Project would include use of low-flow fixtures and efficient landscaping per State requirements.
Agriculture	A-1	Not Applicable. The Project is not an agricultural use.

Consistency with SB 32

SB 32 requires the state to reduce statewide greenhouse gas emissions to 40% below 1990 levels by 2030, a reduction target that was first introduced in Executive Order B-30-15. The new legislation builds upon the AB 32 goal of 1990 levels by 2020 and provides an intermediate goal to achieving S-3-05, which sets a statewide greenhouse gas reduction target of 80% below 1990 levels by 2050 (2) (3).



According to research conducted by the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory and supported by the CARB, California, under its existing and proposed GHG reduction policies, is on track to meet the 2020 reduction targets under AB 32 and could achieve the 2030 goals under SB 32. The research utilized a new, validated model known as the California LBNL GHG Analysis of Policies Spreadsheet (CALGAPS), which simulates GHG and criteria pollutant emissions in California from 2010 to 2050 in accordance to existing and future GHG-reducing policies. The CALGAPS model showed that GHG emissions through 2020 could range from 317 to 415 MTCO2e per year, "indicating that existing state policies will likely allow California to meet its target [of 2020 levels under AB 32]." CALGAPS also showed that by 2030, emissions could range from 211 to 428 MTCO2e per year, indicating that "even if all modeled policies are not implemented, reductions could be sufficient to reduce emissions 40 percent below the 1990 level [of SB 32]." CALGAPS analyzed emissions through 2050 even though it did not generally account for policies that might be put in place after 2030. Though the research indicated that the emissions would not meet the state's 80 percent reduction goal by 2050, various combinations of policies could allow California's cumulative emissions to remain very low through 2050 (4) (5).

The Project reduces its GHG emissions to the maximum extent feasible as discussed in this document. Additionally, the Project does not propose facilities or operations that would substantively interfere with or impede any future city-mandated, county-mandated, state-mandated, or federally-mandated retrofit obligations enacted or promulgated to legally require development to assist in meeting state-adopted greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets, including those established under Executive Order S-3-05, Executive Order B-30-15, or SB 32. Nor would the Project interfere with implementation of GHG reduction plans described in the CARB's Updated Scoping Plan, including state measures to: provide 12,000 MW of renewable distributed generation by 2020; measures identified by the California Building Commission mandating net zero energy homes in the building code after 2020; or existing building retrofits under AB 758.

Based on the preceding, the potential for the for the Project to conflict with any applicable plan, policy or regulation of an agency adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases is considered less-than-significant.



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5 CERTIFICATION

The contents of this greenhouse gas study report represent an accurate depiction of the greenhouse gas impacts associated with the proposed Polopolus Project. The information contained in this greenhouse gas report is based on the best available data at the time of preparation. If you have any questions, please contact me directly at (949) 336-5987.

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APPENDIX 3.1:

CALEEMOD EMISSIONS MODEL OUTPUTS



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1.0 Project Characteristics

1.1 Land Usage

Land Uses	Size	Metric	Lot Acreage	Floor Surface Area	Population
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	24.00	Pump	0.08	3,388.20	0
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	5.50	1000sqft	0.13	5,500.00	0
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)	6.00	1000sqft	0.14	6,000.00	0
Regional Shopping Center	4.00	1000sqft	0.09	4,000.00	0
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	4.00	1000sqft	0.09	4,000.00	0
Medical Office Building	10.00	1000sqft	0.23	10,000.00	0
Hotel	130.00	Room	4.33	188,760.00	0
Government Office Building	40.00	1000sqft	0.92	40,000.00	0
Library	25.00	1000sqft	0.57	25,000.00	0

1.2 Other Project Characteristics

Urbanization	Urban	Wind Speed (m/s)	2.4	Precipitation Freq (Days)	28
Climate Zone	10			Operational Year	2019
Utility Company	Southern California Edisc	on			
CO2 Intensity (lb/MWhr)	702.44	CH4 Intensity (lb/MWhr)	0.029	N2O Intensity (lb/MWhr)	0.006

1.3 User Entered Comments & Non-Default Data

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Project Characteristics -

Land Use -

Construction Phase - Operations Run Only.

Off-road Equipment - Operations Run Only.

Trips and VMT - Operations Run Only.

Vehicle Trips - Trip Rates from TIA by Urban Crossroads

Mobile Land Use Mitigation -

Table Name	Column Name	Default Value	New Value
tblConstructionPhase	NumDays	20.00	1.00
tblConstructionPhase	PhaseEndDate	3/28/2018	3/1/2018
tblOffRoadEquipment	OffRoadEquipmentUnitAmount	3.00	0.00
tblOffRoadEquipment	OffRoadEquipmentUnitAmount	1.00	0.00
tblOffRoadEquipment	OffRoadEquipmentUnitAmount	2.00	0.00
tblVehicleTrips	ST_TR	204.47	67.23
tblVehicleTrips	ST_TR	722.03	490.21
tblVehicleTrips	ST_TR	0.00	30.00
tblVehicleTrips	ST_TR	49.97	209.52
tblVehicleTrips	SU_TR	166.88	67.23
tblVehicleTrips	SU_TR	542.72	400.95
tblVehicleTrips	SU_TR	0.00	30.00
tblVehicleTrips	SU_TR	25.24	209.52
tblVehicleTrips	WD_TR	542.60	156.15
tblVehicleTrips	WD_TR	496.12	613.38
tblVehicleTrips	WD_TR	68.93	30.00
tblVehicleTrips	WD_TR	42.70	209.52

2.0 Emissions Summary

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2.1 Overall Construction

Unmitigated Construction

	ROG	NOx	CO	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Year					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
2018	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Maximum	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

Mitigated Construction

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Year					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
2018	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Maximum	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

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	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio-CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N20	CO2e
Percent Reduction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Quarter	Start Date	End Date	Maximum Unmitigated ROG + NOX (tons/quarter)	Maximum Mitigated ROG + NOX (tons/quarter)
		Highest		

2.2 Overall Operational

Unmitigated Operational

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	MT/yr										
Area	1.1690	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003
Energy	0.0893	0.8122	0.6822	4.8700e- 003		0.0617	0.0617		0.0617	0.0617	0.0000	2,471.854 8	2,471.854 8	0.0825	0.0298	2,482.788 9
Mobile	4.2393	32.3266	38.1051	0.1325	8.4542	0.1426	8.5968	2.2656	0.1347	2.4003	0.0000	12,280.74 20	12,280.74 20	0.9612	0.0000	12,304.77 16
Waste		;				0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	86.1534	0.0000	86.1534	5.0915	0.0000	213.4415
Water	 	;				0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	5.8797	102.8547	108.7344	0.6082	0.0151	128.4492
Total	5.4976	33.1387	38.7905	0.1374	8.4542	0.2043	8.6586	2.2656	0.1964	2.4620	92.0331	14,855.45 77	14,947.49 08	6.7434	0.0449	15,129.45 77

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2.2 Overall Operational

Mitigated Operational

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	MT/yr										
Area	1.1690	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003
Energy	0.0893	0.8122	0.6822	4.8700e- 003		0.0617	0.0617		0.0617	0.0617	0.0000	2,471.854 8	2,471.854 8	0.0825	0.0298	2,482.788 9
Mobile	4.2393	32.3266	38.1051	0.1325	8.4542	0.1426	8.5968	2.2656	0.1347	2.4003	0.0000	12,280.74 20	12,280.74 20	0.9612	0.0000	12,304.77 16
Waste	61 61 61 61	,	1 1 1			0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	86.1534	0.0000	86.1534	5.0915	0.0000	213.4415
Water	6; 6; 6; 6;	,	1			0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	5.8797	102.8547	108.7344	0.6082	0.0151	128.4492
Total	5.4976	33.1387	38.7905	0.1374	8.4542	0.2043	8.6586	2.2656	0.1964	2.4620	92.0331	14,855.45 77	14,947.49 08	6.7434	0.0449	15,129.45 77

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio-CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N20	CO2e
Percent Reduction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

3.0 Construction Detail

Construction Phase

Phase Number	Phase Name	Phase Type	Start Date	End Date	Num Days Week	Num Days	Phase Description
1	Demolition	Demolition	3/1/2018	3/1/2018	5	1	

Acres of Grading (Site Preparation Phase): 0

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Acres of Grading (Grading Phase): 0

Acres of Paving: 0

Residential Indoor: 0; Residential Outdoor: 0; Non-Residential Indoor: 0; Non-Residential Outdoor: 0; Striped Parking Area: 0 (Architectural Coating – sqft)

OffRoad Equipment

Phase Name	Offroad Equipment Type	Amount	Usage Hours	Horse Power	Load Factor
Demolition	Excavators	0	8.00	158	0.38
Demolition	Concrete/Industrial Saws	0	8.00	81	0.73
Demolition	Rubber Tired Dozers	0	8.00	247	0.40

Trips and VMT

Phase Name	Offroad Equipment Count	Worker Trip Number	Vendor Trip Number	Hauling Trip Number	Worker Trip Length	Vendor Trip Length	Hauling Trip Length		Vendor Vehicle Class	Hauling Vehicle Class
Demolition	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.70	6.90	20.00	LD_Mix	HDT_Mix	HHDT

3.1 Mitigation Measures Construction

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<u>Unmitigated Construction On-Site</u>

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
Off-Road	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Total	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

Unmitigated Construction Off-Site

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							МТ	/yr		
Hauling	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Vendor	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Worker	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Total	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

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3.2 Demolition - 2018

<u>Mitigated Construction On-Site</u>

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Total	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

Mitigated Construction Off-Site

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
Hauling	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Vendor	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Worker	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Total	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

4.0 Operational Detail - Mobile

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4.1 Mitigation Measures Mobile

	ROG	NOx	CO	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
Mitigated	4.2393	32.3266	38.1051	0.1325	8.4542	0.1426	8.5968	2.2656	0.1347	2.4003	0.0000	12,280.74 20	12,280.74 20	0.9612	0.0000	12,304.77 16
Unmitigated	4.2393	32.3266	38.1051	0.1325	8.4542	0.1426	8.5968	2.2656	0.1347	2.4003	0.0000	12,280.74 20	12,280.74 20	0.9612	0.0000	12,304.77 16

4.2 Trip Summary Information

	Avei	rage Daily Trip Ra	ate	Unmitigated	Mitigated
Land Use	Weekday	Saturday	Sunday	Annual VMT	Annual VMT
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	3,747.60	1,613.52	1613.52	1,872,911	1,872,911
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	2,864.00	2,784.00	2000.00	4,942,597	4,942,597
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	3,373.59	2,696.16	2205.23	3,272,824	3,272,824
Government Office Building	1,200.00	1,200.00	1200.00	2,825,718	2,825,718
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)	762.90	950.22	791.04	1,081,651	1,081,651
Hotel	1,062.10	1,064.70	773.50	2,436,860	2,436,860
Library	1,406.00	1,163.75	637.25	3,185,071	3,185,071
Medical Office Building	361.30	89.60	15.50	708,346	708,346
Regional Shopping Center	838.08	838.08	838.08	1,812,636	1,812,636
Total	15,615.57	12,400.03	10,074.12	22,138,616	22,138,616

4.3 Trip Type Information

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		Miles			Trip %			Trip Purpos	e %
Land Use	H-W or C-W	H-S or C-C	H-O or C-NW	H-W or C-W	H-S or C-C	H-O or C-NW	Primary	Diverted	Pass-by
Convenience Market With Gas	16.60	8.40	6.90	0.80	80.20	19.00	14	21	65
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive	16.60	8.40	6.90	1.50	79.50	19.00	51	37	12
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive	16.60	8.40	6.90	2.20	78.80	19.00	29	21	50
Government Office Building	16.60	8.40	6.90	33.00	62.00	5.00	50	34	16
High Turnover (Sit Down	16.60	8.40	6.90	8.50	72.50	19.00	37	20	43
Hotel	16.60	8.40	6.90	19.40	61.60	19.00	58	38	4
Library	16.60	8.40	6.90	52.00	43.00	5.00	44	44	12
Medical Office Building	16.60	8.40	6.90	29.60	51.40	19.00	60	30	10
Regional Shopping Center	16.60	8.40	6.90	16.30	64.70	19.00	54	35	11

4.4 Fleet Mix

Land Use	LDA	LDT1	LDT2	MDV	LHD1	LHD2	MHD	HHD	OBUS	UBUS	MCY	SBUS	MH
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Government Office Building	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Hotel	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Library	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Medical Office Building	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211
Regional Shopping Center	0.533383	0.039495	0.183627	0.126156	0.018688	0.005561	0.017029	0.066607	0.001345	0.001247	0.004677	0.000974	0.001211

5.0 Energy Detail

Historical Energy Use: N

5.1 Mitigation Measures Energy

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	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
Electricity Mitigated						0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	1,587.725 4	1,587.725 4	0.0656	0.0136	1,593.405 5
Electricity Unmitigated						0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	1,587.725 4	1,587.725 4	0.0656	0.0136	1,593.405 5
NaturalGas Mitigated	0.0893	0.8122	0.6822	4.8700e- 003		0.0617	0.0617		0.0617	0.0617	0.0000	884.1294	884.1294	0.0170	0.0162	889.3834
NaturalGas Unmitigated	0.0893	0.8122	0.6822	4.8700e- 003		0.0617	0.0617		0.0617	0.0617	0.0000	884.1294	884.1294	0.0170	0.0162	889.3834

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5.2 Energy by Land Use - NaturalGas <u>Unmitigated</u>

	NaturalGa s Use	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	kBTU/yr					ton	s/yr							MT	√yr		
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	7521.8	4.0000e- 005	3.7000e- 004	3.1000e- 004	0.0000		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	0.0000	0.4014	0.4014	1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.4038
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	1.09376e +006	5.9000e- 003	0.0536	0.0450	3.2000e- 004		4.0700e- 003	4.0700e- 003		4.0700e- 003	4.0700e- 003	0.0000	58.3672	58.3672	1.1200e- 003	1.0700e- 003	58.7141
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	1.50392e +006	8.1100e- 003	0.0737	0.0619	4.4000e- 004		5.6000e- 003	5.6000e- 003		5.6000e- 003	5.6000e- 003	0.0000	80.2549	80.2549	1.5400e- 003	1.4700e- 003	80.7318
Government Office Building		7.5000e- 004	6.8000e- 003	5.7200e- 003	4.0000e- 005		5.2000e- 004	5.2000e- 004		5.2000e- 004	5.2000e- 004	0.0000	7.4069	7.4069	1.4000e- 004	1.4000e- 004	7.4509
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		8.8500e- 003	0.0804	0.0676	4.8000e- 004		6.1100e- 003	6.1100e- 003		6.1100e- 003	6.1100e- 003	0.0000	87.5508	87.5508	1.6800e- 003	1.6100e- 003	88.0711
Hotel	1.13275e +007	0.0611	0.5553	0.4664	3.3300e- 003		0.0422	0.0422		0.0422	0.0422	0.0000	604.4779	604.4779	0.0116	0.0111	608.0700
Library	812250	4.3800e- 003	0.0398	0.0335	2.4000e- 004		3.0300e- 003	3.0300e- 003		3.0300e- 003	3.0300e- 003	0.0000	43.3448	43.3448	8.3000e- 004	7.9000e- 004	43.6023
Medical Office Building	34700	1.9000e- 004	1.7000e- 003	1.4300e- 003	1.0000e- 005		1.3000e- 004	1.3000e- 004		1.3000e- 004	1.3000e- 004	0.0000	1.8517	1.8517	4.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	1.8627
Regional Shopping Center	8880	5.0000e- 005	4.4000e- 004	3.7000e- 004	0.0000		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	0.0000	0.4739	0.4739	1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.4767
Total		0.0894	0.8122	0.6822	4.8600e- 003		0.0617	0.0617		0.0617	0.0617	0.0000	884.1294	884.1294	0.0170	0.0162	889.3834

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5.2 Energy by Land Use - NaturalGas Mitigated

	NaturalGa s Use	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	kBTU/yr					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	7521.8	4.0000e- 005	3.7000e- 004	3.1000e- 004	0.0000		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	0.0000	0.4014	0.4014	1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.4038
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	1.09376e +006	5.9000e- 003	0.0536	0.0450	3.2000e- 004		4.0700e- 003	4.0700e- 003		4.0700e- 003	4.0700e- 003	0.0000	58.3672	58.3672	1.1200e- 003	1.0700e- 003	58.7141
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	1.50392e +006	8.1100e- 003	0.0737	0.0619	4.4000e- 004		5.6000e- 003	5.6000e- 003		5.6000e- 003	5.6000e- 003	0.0000	80.2549	80.2549	1.5400e- 003	1.4700e- 003	80.7318
Government Office Building	138800	7.5000e- 004	6.8000e- 003	5.7200e- 003	4.0000e- 005		5.2000e- 004	5.2000e- 004	 	5.2000e- 004	5.2000e- 004	0.0000	7.4069	7.4069	1.4000e- 004	1.4000e- 004	7.4509
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		8.8500e- 003	0.0804	0.0676	4.8000e- 004		6.1100e- 003	6.1100e- 003	1 1 1 1	6.1100e- 003	6.1100e- 003	0.0000	87.5508	87.5508	1.6800e- 003	1.6100e- 003	88.0711
Hotel	1.13275e +007	0.0611	0.5553	0.4664	3.3300e- 003		0.0422	0.0422	1 1 1 1	0.0422	0.0422	0.0000	604.4779	604.4779	0.0116	0.0111	608.0700
Library	812250	4.3800e- 003	0.0398	0.0335	2.4000e- 004		3.0300e- 003	3.0300e- 003	1 1 1 1	3.0300e- 003	3.0300e- 003	0.0000	43.3448	43.3448	8.3000e- 004	7.9000e- 004	43.6023
Medical Office Building	34700	1.9000e- 004	1.7000e- 003	1.4300e- 003	1.0000e- 005		1.3000e- 004	1.3000e- 004	 	1.3000e- 004	1.3000e- 004	0.0000	1.8517	1.8517	4.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	1.8627
Regional Shopping Center	8880	5.0000e- 005	4.4000e- 004	3.7000e- 004	0.0000		3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	 	3.0000e- 005	3.0000e- 005	0.0000	0.4739	0.4739	1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.4767
Total		0.0894	0.8122	0.6822	4.8600e- 003		0.0617	0.0617		0.0617	0.0617	0.0000	884.1294	884.1294	0.0170	0.0162	889.3834

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5.3 Energy by Land Use - Electricity Unmitigated

	Electricity Use	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	kWh/yr		MT	-/yr	
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	42793	13.6348	5.6000e- 004	1.2000e- 004	13.6835
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	189920	60.5126	2.5000e- 003	5.2000e- 004	60.7291
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	261140	83.2048	3.4400e- 003	7.1000e- 004	83.5025
Government Office Building	380800	121.3310	5.0100e- 003	1.0400e- 003	121.7651
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		90.7689	3.7500e- 003	7.8000e- 004	91.0936
Hotel	3.42411e +006	1,090.993 7	0.0450	9.3200e- 003	1,094.896 7
Library	253750	80.8502	3.3400e- 003	6.9000e- 004	81.1394
Medical Office Building	95200	30.3328	1.2500e- 003	2.6000e- 004	30.4413
Regional Shopping Center	50520	16.0968	6.6000e- 004	1.4000e- 004	16.1543
Total		1,587.725 4	0.0656	0.0136	1,593.405 5

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5.3 Energy by Land Use - Electricity Mitigated

	Electricity Use	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	kWh/yr		MT	/yr	
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	42793	13.6348	5.6000e- 004	1.2000e- 004	13.6835
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	189920	60.5126	2.5000e- 003	5.2000e- 004	60.7291
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	261140	83.2048	3.4400e- 003	7.1000e- 004	83.5025
Government Office Building	380800	121.3310	5.0100e- 003	1.0400e- 003	121.7651
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		90.7689	3.7500e- 003	7.8000e- 004	91.0936
Hotel	3.42411e +006	1,090.993 7	0.0450	9.3200e- 003	1,094.896 7
Library	253750	80.8502	3.3400e- 003	6.9000e- 004	81.1394
Medical Office Building	95200	30.3328	1.2500e- 003	2.6000e- 004	30.4413
Regional Shopping Center	50520	16.0968	6.6000e- 004	1.4000e- 004	16.1543
Total		1,587.725 4	0.0656	0.0136	1,593.405 5

6.0 Area Detail

6.1 Mitigation Measures Area

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	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category					ton	s/yr							МТ	/yr		
Mitigated	1.1690	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003
Unmitigated	1.1690	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003

6.2 Area by SubCategory

<u>Unmitigated</u>

	ROG	NOx	СО	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
SubCategory					ton	s/yr							MT	/yr		
Architectural Coating	0.1329					0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Consumer Products	1.0358					0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Landscaping	3.0000e- 004	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	1 1 1 1 1	1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003
Total	1.1690	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003

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6.2 Area by SubCategory Mitigated

	ROG	NOx	CO	SO2	Fugitive PM10	Exhaust PM10	PM10 Total	Fugitive PM2.5	Exhaust PM2.5	PM2.5 Total	Bio- CO2	NBio- CO2	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
SubCategory					ton	s/yr							МТ	-/yr		
Architectural Coating	0.1329					0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Consumer Products	1.0358					0.0000	0.0000	1 	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
Landscaping	3.0000e- 004	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	1 	1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003
Total	1.1690	3.0000e- 005	3.2000e- 003	0.0000		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005		1.0000e- 005	1.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.1700e- 003	6.1700e- 003	2.0000e- 005	0.0000	6.5800e- 003

7.0 Water Detail

7.1 Mitigation Measures Water

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	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Category		MT	-/yr	
	108.7344	0.6082	0.0151	128.4492
	108.7344	0.6082	0.0151	128.4492

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7.2 Water by Land Use <u>Unmitigated</u>

	Indoor/Out door Use	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	Mgal		МТ	7/yr	
	0.250972 / 0.153822	1.6654	8.2400e- 003	2.1000e- 004	1.9330
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	1.21413 / 0.077498	5.6967	0.0398	9.8000e- 004	6.9831
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	1.66944 / 0.10656	7.8330	0.0547	1.3500e- 003	9.6018
Government Office Building	7.94639 / 4.87037	52.7293	0.2610	6.5400e- 003	61.2042
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		8.5450	0.0597	1.4700e- 003	10.4747
Hotel	3.29768 / 0.366409	16.0246	0.1081	2.6700e- 003	19.5206
Library	0.782223 / 1.22348	7.8244	0.0258	6.7000e- 004	8.6681
Medical Office Building	1.25481 / 0.239011	6.4501	0.0411	1.0200e- 003	7.7816
Regional Shopping Center	0.29629 / 0.181597	1.9661	9.7300e- 003	2.4000e- 004	2.2821
Total		108.7344	0.6081	0.0152	128.4492

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7.2 Water by Land Use Mitigated

	Indoor/Out door Use	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	Mgal		МТ	-/yr	
Convenience Market With Gas Pumps	0.250972 / 0.153822	1.6654	8.2400e- 003	2.1000e- 004	1.9330
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	1.21413 / 0.077498	5.6967	0.0398	9.8000e- 004	6.9831
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	1.66944 / 0.10656	7.8330	0.0547	1.3500e- 003	9.6018
Government Office Building	7.94639 / 4.87037	52.7293	0.2610	6.5400e- 003	61.2042
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		8.5450	0.0597	1.4700e- 003	10.4747
Hotel	3.29768 / 0.366409	16.0246	0.1081	2.6700e- 003	19.5206
Library	0.782223 / 1.22348	7.8244	0.0258	6.7000e- 004	8.6681
Medical Office Building	1.25481 / 0.239011	6.4501	0.0411	1.0200e- 003	7.7816
Regional Shopping Center	0.29629 / 0.181597	1.9661	9.7300e- 003	2.4000e- 004	2.2821
Total		108.7344	0.6081	0.0152	128.4492

8.0 Waste Detail

8.1 Mitigation Measures Waste

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Category/Year

	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
		MT	/yr	
ga.ea	86.1534	5.0915	0.0000	213.4415
	86.1534	5.0915	0.0000	213.4415

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8.2 Waste by Land Use <u>Unmitigated</u>

	Waste Disposed	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	tons		MT	/yr	
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	46.08	9.3538	0.5528	0.0000	23.1737
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	63.35	12.8595	0.7600	0.0000	31.8588
Government Office Building	37.2	7.5513	0.4463	0.0000	18.7079
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		14.4936	0.8565	0.0000	35.9072
Hotel	71.17	14.4469	0.8538	0.0000	35.7915
Library	23.02	4.6729	0.2762	0.0000	11.5768
Medical Office Building	108	21.9230	1.2956	0.0000	54.3134
Regional Shopping Center	4.2	0.8526	0.0504	0.0000	2.1122
Total		86.1534	5.0915	0.0000	213.4415

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8.2 Waste by Land Use Mitigated

	Waste Disposed	Total CO2	CH4	N2O	CO2e
Land Use	tons		MT	-/yr	
Fast Food Restaurant w/o Drive Thru	46.08	9.3538	0.5528	0.0000	23.1737
Fast Food Restaurant with Drive Thru	63.35	12.8595	0.7600	0.0000	31.8588
Government Office Building	37.2	7.5513	0.4463	0.0000	18.7079
High Turnover (Sit Down Restaurant)		14.4936	0.8565	0.0000	35.9072
Hotel	71.17	14.4469	0.8538	0.0000	35.7915
Library	23.02	4.6729	0.2762	0.0000	11.5768
Medical Office Building	108	21.9230	1.2956	0.0000	54.3134
Regional Shopping Center	4.2	0.8526	0.0504	0.0000	2.1122
Total		86.1534	5.0915	0.0000	213.4415

9.0 Operational Offroad

Equipment Type Number	Hours/Day Days/Year	ear Horse Power Loa	d Factor Fuel Type
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10.0 Stationary Equipment

Fire Pumps and Emergency Generators

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Equipment Type Number H	ours/Day Hours/Year	Horse Power Load	d Factor Fuel Type
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Equipment Type	Number	Heat Input/Day	Heat Input/Year	Boiler Rating	Fuel Type
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User Defined Equipment

Equipment Type	Number

11.0 Vegetation