



COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO  
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY (NOA) / NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI) TO ADOPT  
AN INITIAL STUDY / Mitigated NEGATIVE DECLARATION  
Bagdad Chase Gold Mine

In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the CEQA Guidelines, County Staff prepared a Draft Initial Study / Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) that identify and evaluate the environmental impacts to the Bagdad Chase Mining and Reclamation Plan.

**Project Title:** Bagdad Chase Gold Mine

**Project No.:** MRP-2021-00002

**Project Location:** Approximately 7 miles south of Ludlow, California in central San Bernardino County

**Project Description:** A PROPOSED MINING AND RECLAMATION PLAN FOR THE VESTED AND HISTORIC BAGDAD CHASE GOLD MINE, CONSISTING OF EXTRACTION OF PRECIOUS METALS ORE AND AGGREGATE MATERIALS FOR A PERIOD OF 30 YEARS.

**Environmental Review and Public Comment:** The circulation of the Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration\ Initial Study is to encourage written public comments. Interested persons can review the Draft IS/MND at the following physical location:

**Land Use Services Department - Planning Division**  
**385 North Arrowhead Avenue, First Floor**  
**San Bernardino, CA 92415-0187**

You may obtain the document in electronic format at <http://lus.sbcounty.gov/lus/Planning/Environmental/Desert.aspx> or by emailing the Planner at [Steven.Valdez@lusd.sbcounty.gov](mailto:Steven.Valdez@lusd.sbcounty.gov). To request a PDF version of the document from the Land Use Services Department database, please reference the project number above.

The comment period on the IS/MND closes on **September 26, 2022 at 4:30 PM**. Please submit comments to [Steven.Valdez@lusd.sbcounty.gov](mailto:Steven.Valdez@lusd.sbcounty.gov) or to:

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