

**RESOLUTION NO. 2018/19-36**

**RESOLUTION OF THE SANTA BARBARA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AMENDING AND ADOPTING LOCAL GUIDELINES FOR IMPLEMENTING THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE §§ 21000 ET SEQ.)**

**WHEREAS**, the California Legislature has amended the California Environmental Quality Act (“CEQA”) (Pub. Resources Code §§ 21000 et seq.) and the State CEQA Guidelines (Cal. Code Regs, tit. 14, §§ 15000 et seq.), and the California courts have interpreted specific provisions of CEQA; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 21082 of CEQA requires all public agencies to adopt objectives, criteria and procedures for the evaluation of public and private projects undertaken or approved by such public agencies, and the preparation, if required, of environmental impact reports and negative declarations in connection with that evaluation; and

**WHEREAS**, the Santa Barbara Unified School District must revise its local guidelines for implementing CEQA to make them consistent with the current provisions and interpretations of CEQA and the State CEQA Guidelines.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Santa Barbara Unified School District (“School District”) hereby resolves as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The School District hereby adopts the “Local Guidelines for Implementing the California Environmental Quality Act (2019 Revision),” a copy of which is on file at the offices of the School District and is available for inspection by the public.

**SECTION 2.** All prior actions of the School District enacting earlier guidelines are hereby repealed.

**ADOPTED** this 2nd day of April, 2019.

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President of the Board of Education  
Santa Barbara Unified School District

ATTEST:

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Board Clerk  
Santa Barbara Unified School District

