## Notice of Availability/Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the City of Live Oak invites public review and written comment on the environmental document prepared for the project listed below:

Live Oak Wastewater Treatment Plant Solar Project. The proposed project consists of installation of a solar system to serve the City's Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP). The solar system will be located in two areas within the 39.24 acre WWTP facility site: (1) over the existing administrative building and adjacent parking area, and (2) in a 4.6 acre vacant field at the northeast corner of the site. The project would include the installation of 3,883 square yards of PV panels to produce 864,000 kilowatt-hours (kWh) of electricity per year. No off-site improvements will be necessary.

The City of Live Oak has prepared a Mitigated Negative Declaration for the project. The Mitigated Negative Declaration is being circulated to the general public and to public agencies for their review and comment. The document is being circulated for a 30-day public comment period which began on October 31, 2016 and ends on November 29, 2016. The Mitigated Negative Declaration and all attachments are available for review at City Hall. The complete project application for the Live Oak New Well Project is on file in City Hall for public review.

All interested persons are invited to deliver written comments regarding the proposed project on or before 5:00 p.m. on November 29, 2016 at the following address:

Live Oak City Hall - Planning Department 9955 Live Oak Blvd. Live Oak, CA 95953

All comments will be included as part of the public record for this project. Unsigned, facsimile, or illegible comment letters cannot be accepted by the City.

If you wish to challenge this matter in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice or written correspondence delivered to the hearing body at or prior to the public hearing. If substantial evidence has been presented demonstrating a more appropriate environmental determination than the one that has been recommended, the decision making body may require and/or approve an alternative environmental determination pursuant to the requirements of CEQA.

For more information regarding the proposed project or the public hearing, please contact June Cowles at (530) 695-2112 or JCowles@mbakerintl.com.

Jim Goodwin, City Manager

City of Live Oak