
I. INTRODUCTION

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Before approving a project, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requires the Lead Agency to prepare and certify a Final Environmental Impact Report (Final EIR). The contents of a Final EIR are specified in Section 15132 of the CEQA Guidelines, which states that:

The Final EIR shall consist of:

- (a) *The Revised Draft EIR or a revision of the Draft.*
- (b) *Comments and recommendations received on the Revised Draft EIR either verbatim or in summary.*
- (c) *A list of persons, organizations, and public agencies commenting on the Revised Draft EIR.*
- (d) *The responses of the Lead Agency to significant environmental points raised in the review and consultation process.*
- (e) *Any other information added by the Lead Agency.*

The Lead Agency must provide each agency that commented on the Revised Draft EIR with a copy of the Lead Agency's proposed response at least 10 days before certifying the Final EIR.

ORGANIZATION OF THE FINAL EIR

This document, together with the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Draft EIR and the Technical Appendices to the Draft EIR constitutes the "Final EIR" for the proposed Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Renovation Project. The Draft EIR, dated September 5, 2003, consists of the following:

- The Draft EIR, which included the environmental analysis for the proposed Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Renovation Project; and
- Technical Appendices to the Draft EIR, which include:
 - Appendix A: Notice of Preparation (NOP) and NOP Response Letters

- Appendix B: Air Quality Analysis Worksheets
- Appendix C: Acoustic Report
- Appendix D: Traffic Impact Study

The Final EIR is organized in the following sections:

I. Introduction.

The Introduction of the Final EIR is intended to provide a brief overview of the CEQA requirements and EIR history for the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Project.

II. Executive Summary.

The Executive Summary of this Final EIR includes a brief overview of the Proposed Project, a summary of the environmental impacts and mitigation measures for each environmental issue area covered within the scope of the EIR. This Section includes a reprint of the Executive Summary Section of the Draft EIR, as modified through the additions and corrections noted in Section III.

III. Additions and Corrections.

This Section of the Final EIR provides a complete overview of the additions and corrections that have been incorporated into the EIR in response to the numerous comments submitted during the public review period.

IV. Responses to Comments

This Section of the FEIR includes detailed responses to the comment letters submitted to the Lead Agency in response to the Draft EIR. Copies of the comment letters are provided in Appendix A.

V. Mitigation Monitoring Program.

This Section includes a list of the required mitigation measures and includes detailed information with respect to the Lead Agency's policies and procedures for implementation of the Mitigation Measures. The Mitigation Monitoring Program identifies the monitoring phase, the enforcement phase and the applicable department or agency responsible for ensuring each mitigation measure is implemented.