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LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION FOR SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY CALIFORNIA

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Local Agency Formation Commission 1601 E. 3rd Street, Suite 102 San Bernardino, CA 92415-0490

PROJECT TITLE: LAFCO 3272 - Service Review for the Big River Community Services District

PROJECT LOCATION: Big River is located generally near the southeast corner of San Bernardino County along the Colorado River. The community is south of Lake Havasu City, AZ and CA Highway 62; west of the state line; north of the Riverside County line; and east of U.S. Highway 95.

DESCRIPTION: A service review, as defined by Commission policy and State law, is a comprehensive review to inform LAFCO, local agencies, and the public about the provision of municipal services. LAFCO 3272 is the service review for the Big River Community Services District.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: Local Agency Formation Commission

AGENCY CARRYING OUT PROJECT: Local Agency Formation Commission

EXEMPT STATUS AND REASONS: The Local Agency Formation Commission has determined that this proposal is exempt from environmental review since it does not have the potential for resulting in physical changes in the environment, directly or ultimately (Sections 15061 of the State Guidelines for the California Environmental Quality Act). The service review, which focuses on the services provided by the Big River Community Services District, does not by itself cause any modifications to the physical environment. Only when a subsequent step is taken to physically revise the jurisdictional boundary or the range of services does a potential for physical change in the environment occur. Therefore, the service review is exempt from the requirements of CEQA, as outlined in the State CEQA Guidelines, Section 15061(b)(3). Without any identifiable physical changes, this proposal does not constitute a project and is not subject to environmental review under the provisions of the State CEQA Guidelines sections cited above or the Commission's adopted CEQA Guidelines

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