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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE
NEW NORTHEAST AREA POLICE STATION PROJECT (W.O. E170712)**

Pursuant to the State of California Public Resources Code Article 7 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), as amended, the City of Los Angeles Bureau of Engineering has prepared an Initial Study for the project described below. Under CEQA, the City identified no significant impacts and proposes to adopt a Negative Declaration.

Project Location: The proposed project would be located on the site of the existing Los Angeles Police Department Northeast Area Police Station, 3353 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, CA, 90065, in the community of Glassell Park which is in the Northeast Community Plan Area.

Project Description: The City of Los Angeles (City) is proposing to construct a new administration building on the site of the existing Northeast Area Police Station and then to demolish the existing administration building. The existing administration building was not designed for police station operations and is not efficient for that purpose. A new two story, 52,000 square-foot administration building designed for police operations would be constructed on the project site and the existing two-story, 41,000 square-foot administration building would be demolished; the area within the footprint of the existing administration building would then be paved and striped for surface parking. The proposed project would also replace the existing communications tower with a tower of the same height and would widen and improve San Fernando Road in front of the project site. The new police station facility would house the same complement of assigned staff and apparatus as the existing facility and would not require any new land. The proposed project would be funded with revenue from Proposition Q – the Citywide Public Safety Bond Measure approved by voters in 2002.

In compliance with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), an Initial Study has been prepared to assess the potential environmental impacts of this project. Under CEQA, the City identified no significant impacts. As such, the City proposes to adopt a Negative Declaration.

This notice is intended to give interested parties an opportunity to comment on the proposed project. The Initial Study is available for review at the Atwater Village Branch Library, 3379 Glendale Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90039 – Tel. (323) 664-1353. A copy of the Initial Study may also be obtained by contacting Norman Mundy of the Bureau of Engineering at (213) 485-5737 and can also be accessed online at <http://eng.lacity.org/techdocs/emg/>.

The 20-day public review period starts May 31, 2012, and ends June 19, 2012. **Comments must be received by June 20, 2012, in writing, by email to Norman.Mundy@lacity.org, or by mail to:**

City of Los Angeles Department of Public Works
Bureau of Engineering, EMG
Attn: Norman Mundy, Environmental Specialist
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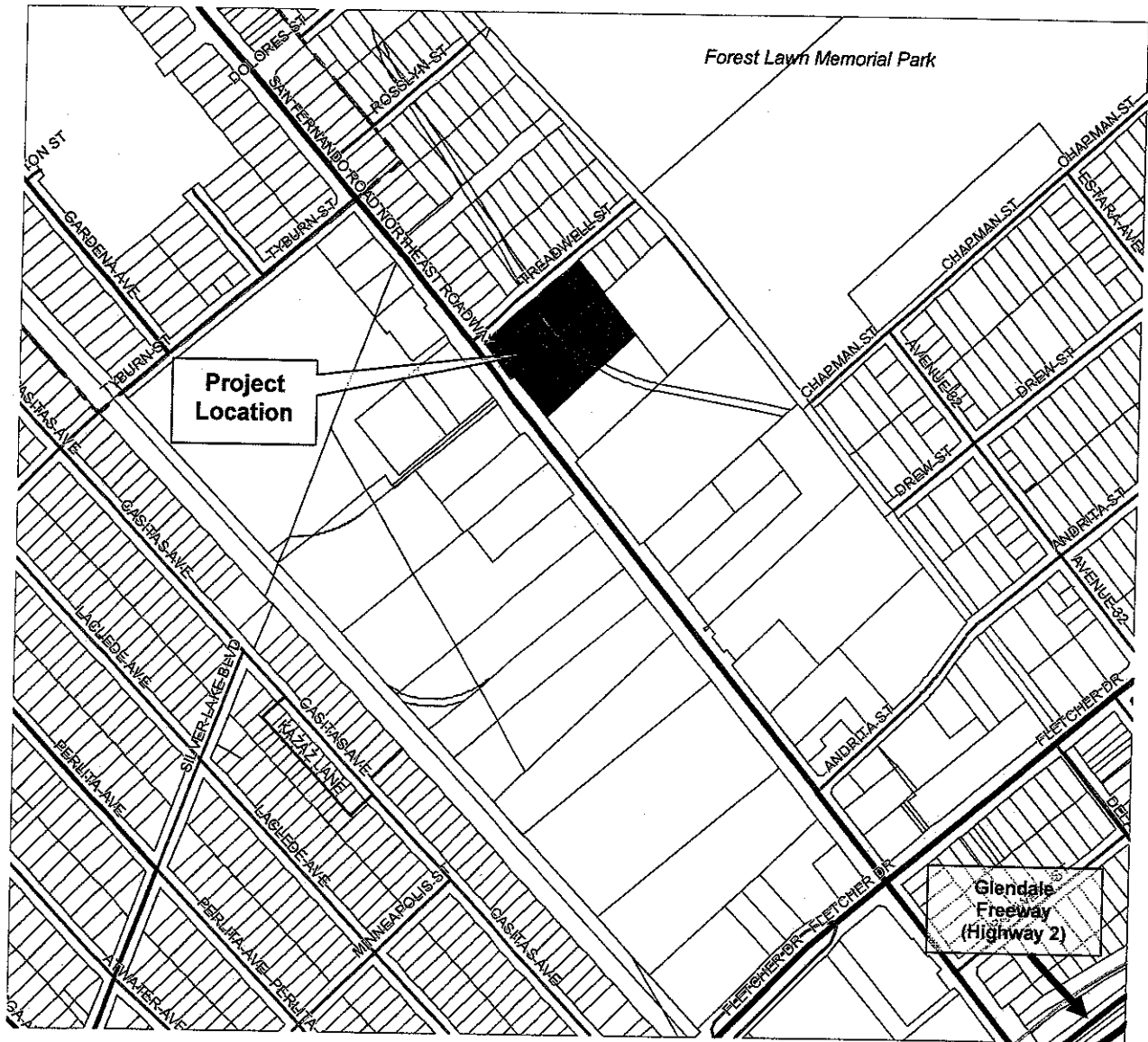
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