



LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY THE SAN MATEO LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the San Mateo Local Agency Formation Commission that a public hearing is scheduled for November 15, 2023 at 6:00pm. The meeting will be held at the City of East Palo Alto City Council Chambers, 2415 University Avenue East Palo Alto, CA 94303 and can also be accessed via Zoom. Information about how to access this meeting will be posted on the San Mateo LAFCo website at www.sanmateolafco.org.

At this meeting the following will be considered:

LAFCo File No. 22-09

City of East Palo Alto Proposal

A proposal to establish the East Palo Alto Sanitary District (EPASD), an independent special district, as a subsidiary district of the City of East Palo Alto (City). EPASD provides sewer services to customers in portions of the City of East Palo Alto and the City of Menlo Park. If the proposal is approved by the LAFCo Commission, the East Palo Alto City Council would become the governing board of EPASD. Approval of this proposal would not alter either the EPASD service area or the sewer services provided by EPASD to customers. Revenue collected by EPASD would be separate from the City's General fund and could only be used for sewer operations and maintenance.

EPASD Alternative Application

Alternative application from EPASD that proposes to 1) retain EPASD's governance structure as an independent district separate from the City; 2) amend EPASD's Sphere of Influence (SOI) to be coterminous with its current service boundaries; and 3) remove the District's territory from the SOI of the West Bay Sanitary District.

Affected Territory

The affected territory for these proposals is the entirety of the EPASD service area, which includes portions of the City of East Palo Alto and the City of Menlo Park.

The Local Agency Formation Commission November 15th meeting can be accessed through Zoom or in-person in the East Palo Alto City Council Chambers. Information about how to access this meeting will be posted on the San Mateo LAFCo website at www.lafco.smcgov.org.

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Information/Contact: Staff reports and attachments will be available by November 8th at www.sanmateolafco.org. If you have any questions, please contact Rob Bartoli, Executive Officer at (650) 363-4224 or rbartoli@smcgov.org

Dated: October 18, 2023

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