

**FINDINGS - EXHIBIT A
HILLIARD PARCEL MAP (SUB2013-00070/CO12-0065)**

Environmental Determination

- A. The project is covered by the general rule that CEQA applies to projects that have the potential for not causing a significant effect on the environment. It can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that this project may have a significant effect on the environment because the proposed single-family residence is located on a vacant, infill lot, compatible with the surrounding residential neighborhood and there are no sensitive resources on the site. Therefore, the project is not subject to CEQA (State CEQA Guidelines sec. 15061 (b) (3), General Rule Exemption).

Tentative Map

- B. The proposed map is consistent with applicable county general and specific plans because it complies with applicable area plan standards and is being subdivided in a consistent manner with the Residential Suburban land use category.
- C. The proposed map is consistent with the county zoning and subdivision ordinances because the parcels meet the minimum parcel size set by the Land Use Ordinance and the design standards of the Real Property Division Ordinance.
- D. The design and improvement of the proposed subdivision are consistent with the applicable county general and specific plans because required improvements will be completed consistent with county ordinance and conditions of approval and the design of the parcels meets applicable policies of the general plan and ordinances.
- E. The site is physically suitable for the type of development proposed because the proposed parcels contain adequate area for development of single family residences and residential accessory uses allowed in the Residential Suburban land use category.
- F. The site is physically suitable for the proposed density of the development proposed because each resulting parcel can adequately support a single family residence and accessory uses allowed in the Residential Single Family land use category.
- G. The design of the subdivision or the proposed improvements will not cause substantial environmental damage or substantially and avoidably injure fish or wildlife or their habitat because the project site is in an urbanized area that is not in close proximity to significant fish or wildlife habitats. The resulting parcels uses the land efficiently, minimize site disruption in respect to cuts, fills and vegetation removal, will not hinder the use of the subject or adjacent parcels, and maintain the character and parcel configuration pattern of the surrounding area.
- H. The design of the subdivision or the type of improvement will not conflict with easements acquired by the public at large for access through or use of property within the proposed subdivision.
- I. The proposed map complies with Section 66474.6 of the State Subdivision Map Act, as to methods of handling and discharge of waste.