

**CITY OF CHINO HILLS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION
APPROVING A CONTRACT
AMENDMENT FOR THE
DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION
OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY
IMPROVEMENTS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council of the City of Chino Hills will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, April 14, 2026, at 6:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 14000 City Center Drive, Chino Hills.

The purpose of the meeting will be to receive public comment regarding a proposed resolution approving Amendment No.1 to Agreement A2024-175 with Willdan Energy Solutions, increasing the total not to exceed amount from \$3,996,0000 to \$7,253,806, for the implementation of certain energy related improvements to City's Public Works Yard (15091 La Palma Drive, Chino) in accordance with California Government Code Section 4217.10 to 4217.18. Agreement A2024-175 was for the design, construction, and installation of energy efficient improvements, including (1) solar photovoltaic panels in the western parking lot; (2) Battery and Emergency Backup Power Infrastructure; and (3) Energy efficient heating and air conditioning systems and improved zone control. The improvements contemplated in the Amendment include the installation of City fleet electric vehicle charging station infrastructure within the City's Public Works Yard. The Amendment requires, and the proposed City findings provide, that the cost to the City to implement the energy related improvements will be less than the anticipated marginal cost to the City of thermal, electrical, or other energy that would have been consumed by the City in absence of purchasing the energy improvements.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that a determination will be considered that the proposed project is categorically exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Title 14 California Code of Regulations § 15303 as a Class 3 categorical exemption (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures), and that pursuant to CEQA Guidelines § 15061(b)(3) the proposed project is exempt from review under the common sense exception because CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment, and it can be said with certainty that there is no possibility that the proposed project may have a significant effect on the environment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that if you challenge the above described action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City Council at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED are invited to comment by personal appearance at the public hearing or by written response submitted at, or prior to, the hearing. Please direct any correspondence to the City Clerk, City of Chino Hills, 14000 City Center Drive, Chino Hills, CA 91709.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION may be obtained from the Public Works Department at (909) 364-2800, Monday through Thursday 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Friday 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

This notice is given in accordance with the provision of Government Code Section 4217.12.

Dated: March 25, 2026

s/Cheryl Balz, City Clerk

Saturday, March 28, 2026

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