NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION FOR ZONE TEXT AMENDMENT NO. 17-97501 AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 17 OF THE BANNING MUNICIPAL CODE) TO ALLOW FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMUNITY GARDENS

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** of a public hearing before the City of Banning City Council, to be held on Tuesday, March 28, 2017, at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 99 East Ramsey Street, Banning, California, to consider a proposal by the City of Banning to amend Chapter 17 of the City of Banning Municipal Code to allow for the establishment of Community Gardens.

Information regarding the Zone Text Amendment proposal and Categorical Exemption can be obtained by contacting the City's Community Development Department at (951) 922-3125, or by visiting the City Hall located at 99 East Ramsey Street, Banning. You may also go to the City of Banning website at <a href="http://www.ci.banning.ca.us/">http://www.ci.banning.ca.us/</a>.

All parties interested in speaking either in support of or in opposition of this item are invited to attend said hearing, or to send their written comments to the Community Development Department, City of Banning at P.O. Box 998, Banning, California, 92220.

If you challenge any decision regarding the above proposal in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised in written correspondence delivered to the City Clerk at, or prior to, the time the City Council makes its decision on the proposal; or, that you or someone else raised at the public hearing or in written correspondence delivered to the hearing body at, or prior to, the hearing (California Government Code, Section 65009).

BY ORDER OF THE INTERIM COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR OF THE CITY OF BANNING, CALIFORNIA.

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Patty Nevins Interim Community Development Director