

## **NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT and RECORD OF DECISION**

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) has announced that a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) and Record of Decision (ROD) has been approved based upon results of a Final Environmental Assessment prepared in April 2021 for the proposed acre for acre land exchange project between the San Bernardino International Airport Authority (SBIAA) and the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians (SMBMI) at San Bernardino International Airport (SBD), San Bernardino, San Bernardino County, California.

The following project is addressed by the FONSI and ROD:

- The San Bernardino International Airport Authority would acquire 10.306 acres located along the south side of E. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street at Victoria Avenue along the northern Airport property boundary (Parcel D) for the purpose of controlling the primary access road to its general aviation and air cargo areas.
- The San Manuel Band of Mission Indians would acquire 10.306 acres located north of "W" Street (Parcel A).

The FAA's Federal action for this project is approval of the SBIAA request to release the SBIAA from its obligations to use certain SBIAA property for aviation purposes and to authorize the Proposed Action.

Pursuant to the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations at Title 40, Code of Federal Regulations § 1508.25(a)(3), the Final Environmental Assessment also considers a proposed Similar Action. The SMBMI is currently considering a site-specific development plan for the new property in conjunction with approximately 37 acres of adjacent land already owned by SMBMI. The FONSI/ROD indicates that the proposed land exchange project is consistent with existing environmental policies and objectives as set forth in the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 in that it will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment. The FONSI/ROD states the FAA has no statutory or regulatory approval authority on the proposed Similar Action by the SMBMI.

Copies of the The Final EA and FONSI/ROD are available for public inspection at:

- San Bernardino International Airport Authority Administration Offices, 1601 East 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, San Bernardino, California 92408
- Norman F. Feldheim Public Library, 555 W 6<sup>th</sup> Street, San Bernardino, California 92410

The FONSI and ROD may be viewed at FAA's website:

[https://www.faa.gov/airports/environmental/records\\_decision/](https://www.faa.gov/airports/environmental/records_decision/)

The Final Environmental Assessment and the FONSI and ROD may also be viewed at the San Bernardino International Airport Authority's website: <http://www.sbiaa.org>.