

MVHS and LAHS Stadium Lights & PA System Projects

Project Summary and CEQA Information

RGM Kramer, Inc.

DJ Halbert

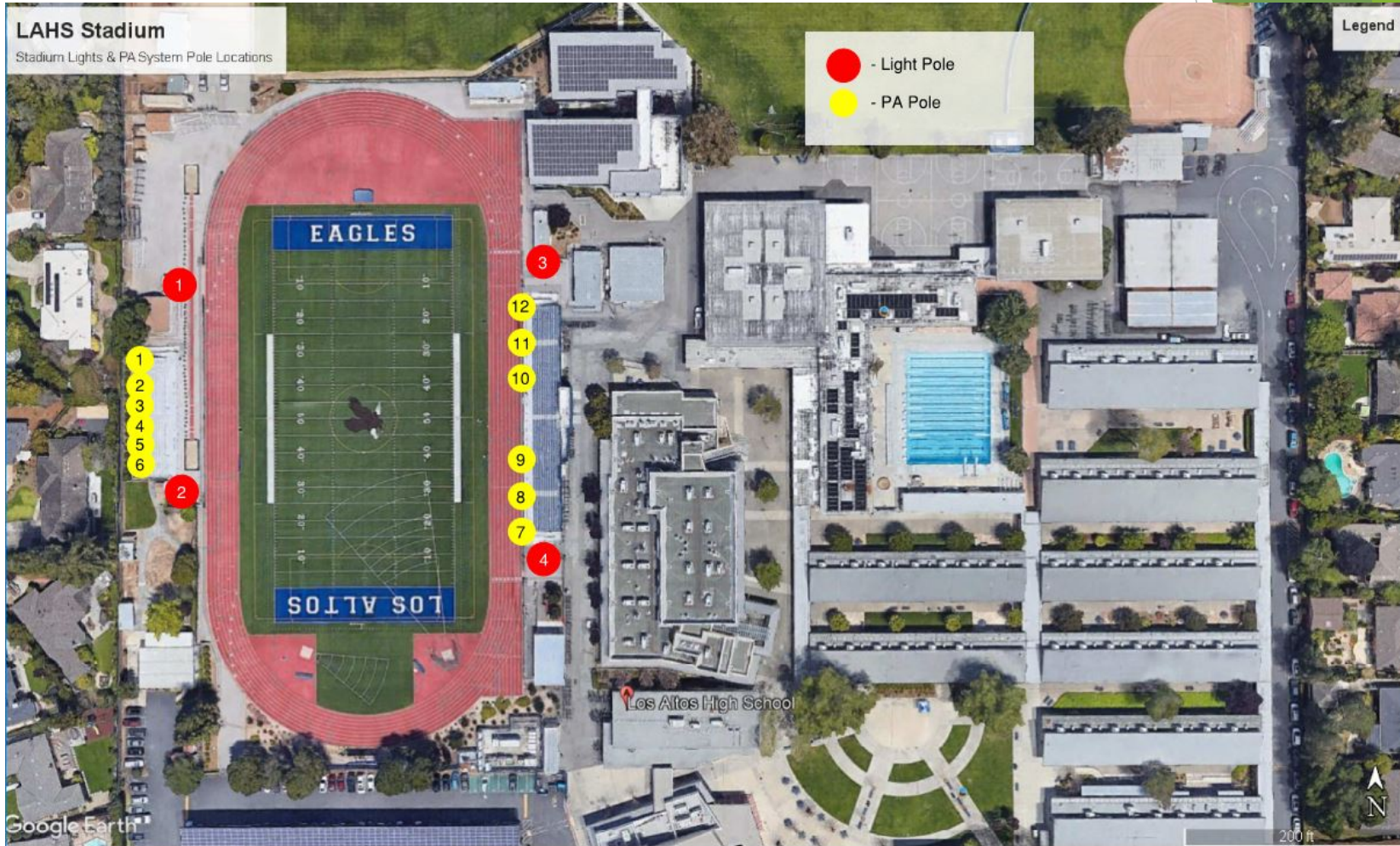


MVHS Stadium Lights & PA System Project



DSA #: 01-118749

LAHS Stadium Lights & PA System Project



DSA #: 01-118750

Project Status / Milestones

Complete:

- ▶ DSA Submission - 1/14/20
- ▶ 2 Separate Environmental Impact Reports (EIRs)
- ▶ Sound System Design
- ▶ Sound System Demonstration

Future:

- ▶ Anticipated DSA Approval - End of March
- ▶ Anticipated CEQA Completion - Mid-August
- ▶ Construction Start - Upon CEQA Process Completion
- ▶ 2 Month Construction Schedule

MOUNTAIN VIEW AND LOS ALTOS HIGH SCHOOL STADIUM LIGHTS AND PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEM PROJECTS

Environmental Scoping Meeting

February 10, 2020

Pooja Nagrath *Project Manager*



Agenda

- Purpose of this Public Scoping Meeting
- Main Purposes of CEQA
- Environmental Review Process
- Next Steps and Opportunities for Input
- EIR Contents and Issues Analyzed
- Public Comments

Public Scoping Meeting

What the public scoping meeting is:

- An opportunity for the public and affected or interested agencies to comment on the draft environmental document, pertaining to:
 - Scope and content of the environmental review

What the public scoping meeting is not:

- An approval hearing
- A forum for open debate between the public, the applicant, and the Mountain View Los Altos High School District

Main Purposes of CEQA

- Provide information to decision makers and the public regarding environmental impacts of projects
- Identify ways to mitigate or avoid those impacts
- Identify and evaluate alternatives to the proposed project

Environmental Review Process (EIR)

NEXT STEPS

PUBLIC SCOPING AND NOP

Complete technical analyses (air quality, traffic, noise, etc.)

Prepare “Administrative Draft” EIR and finalize

DRAFT EIR CIRCULATED TO PUBLIC

Comments received from public and agencies

Prepare Responses to Comments/Final EIR

FEIR circulated

Project Decision hearings

Opportunities for Public Participation

- Notice of Preparation of a Draft EIR (30 days)
 - Comments on NOP due February 24, 2020
- Public Scoping Meeting (February 10, 2020)
- Draft EIR Public Review (min. 45 days)
- Certification of the Final EIR (FEIR circulates 10 days)
- Project Decision (MVLA District Board Meeting)

General Contents of an EIR

- Project Description (construction and operation)
- Environmental Setting (site and surroundings)
- Significant Environmental Effects
- Unavoidable Significant Adverse Effects
- Mitigation Measures
- Alternatives

Expected Environmental Issues

- Land Use
- Geology and Soils
- Drainage and WQ
- Biological Resources
- Traffic/Circulation
- Noise
- Air Quality/GHG
- Hazards/Hazardous Materials
- Visual/Aesthetics
- Utilities/Services
- Growth-Inducing Impacts
- Cumulative Impacts
- Global Climate Change
- Alternatives to the Project

Primary Environmental Issues

Aesthetics

- Address visual impact of the field lights and resultant light and glare
- Identify significant impacts and provide mitigation measures

Noise

- Existing ambient noise levels
- Construction and operational noise impacts

Primary Environmental Issues

Traffic/Circulation

- Analyze net new AM and PM peak hour trips for Existing, Background, and Cumulative conditions
- Identify significant impacts and provide mitigation measures
- Disclose Vehicle Miles Traveled

Project Alternatives

Try to attain the most basic objectives of the project, but avoid or reduce the significant environmental effects of the project

No Project Alternative

- Maintains site in its current condition (structures, impervious surfaces etc.)
- Assumes re-occupancy of existing structures

Design Alternative

- To be determined based on technical reports
- Identify ways to avoid or reduce impacts by redesign the project

Public Comments Welcome

- Opportunity to submit oral comments **now**
- You can also submit comments in written format until 02/24/2020
- NOP available for viewing at the District's website at:
<https://www.mvla.net/Departments/Business-Services/Facilities/Stadium-Lights-Project/CEQA-Documents/index.html>
- For additional information regarding the Project, or to submit a written comment on the NOP, contact:

Mike Mathiesen
Associate Superintendent
1299 Bryant Avenue,
Mountain View, CA 94040
(650) 940-4667
mike.mathiesen@mvla.net