



## Solano County 2008 Draft General Plan Environmental Impact Report

As required by State law, Solano County is preparing an environmental impact report (EIR) to evaluate the potential environmental effects of the 2008 Draft General Plan. The EIR will be available for public comment for a minimum of 45 days. Residents will be able to obtain the document after April 18 via the internet or in person.

◆ **Internet:** The EIR will be posted on the General Plan website at:

[www.solanocountygeneralplan.net](http://www.solanocountygeneralplan.net)

◆ **In person:** Both the 2008 Draft General Plan and Draft EIR will be made available in CD format from the Solano County Department of Resource Management. One complimentary CD will be made available per person. Residents are free to burn additional copies.

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During the comment period, members of the public may submit written comments to the County. In addition, a public hearing will be held in which comments may be stated for the record. After the close of the comment period, a Final EIR that includes the Draft EIR, comments received on Draft EIR, responses to those comments and necessary changes will be prepared. The Final EIR must ultimately be certified by the Solano County Board of Supervisors before approval of the 2008 Draft General Plan.

The 2008 Draft General Plan EIR will consist of the following discussion areas:

- 1) **Project Description**
- 2) **Environmental Setting:** This includes a thorough overview of both the natural and built environments in the County.
- 3) **Evaluation of Impacts:** This is the body of the report, consisting of a comprehensive analysis of the potential effects of the 2008 Draft General Plan on the natural and built environments.
- 4) **Mitigation Measures:** These are measures proposed to avoid or minimize the environmental impacts of the plan.
- 5) **Alternatives:** These are feasible alternatives to the proposed plan. One of these alternatives must be a "No project" alternative, which assesses the future of existing conditions if the 2008 Draft General Plan were not approved.