

Starla Barker, AICP

PRINCIPAL PLANNER



Starla Barker, AICP, is a principal planner with De Novo Planning Group and is primarily responsible for the management and preparation of environmental documents (Initial Studies, Negative Declaration, Environmental Impact Reports, and Environmental Assessments), as well as other planning documents including General Plans, Specific Plans, and Hazard Mitigation Plans. With over 17 years of professional planning experience Starla has successfully managed a wide range of projects with particular emphasis in General Plans, transit-oriented development, urban infill, downtown, and redevelopment projects. Utilizing her experience in community planning, Starla is regularly involved in land use and policy planning, including the development and implementation of community outreach programs, and frequently manages and prepares environmental clearance documents for citywide policy planning and redevelopment projects. Through her extensive experience in both policy and environmental planning, Starla is keenly aware of the interaction between the two and consistently takes a proactive and comprehensive approach to understanding planning and environmental issues and developing solutions.

EDUCATION

Masters, Urban and Regional Planning, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

BA, Business Economics, University of California, Riverside

ORGANIZATIONS

American Planning Association

LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS

American institute of Certified Planners, 2009, No. 024079

RELEVANT PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Media Studios Project EIR,
City of Burbank*

General Plan Update and EIR,
City of Rancho Santa Margarita*

Avanti South Specific Plan EIR
City of Lancaster*

Palmdale Transit Oriented Development EIR,
City of Palmdale*

South Garfield Specific Plan MND
City of Monterey Park*

Bolsa Row Specific Plan EIR,
City of Westminster*

Mission Viejo Medical Center EIR,
City of Mission Viejo*

Union Street Condominiums Project
City of Pasadena*

550 North Third Street (AC Hotel) MND,
City of Burbank*

550 North Third Street Mixed-Use Project MND,
City of Burbank*

Downtown Lancaster Revitalization Specific Plan EIR,
City of Lancaster*

Palmdale Transit Village Specific Plan EIR,
City of Palmdale*

Duarte Station Specific Plan EIR,
City of Duarte*

General Plan Update, Climate Action Plan and EIR,
City of Fullerton*

General Plan Update and EIR,
City of Buena Park*

General Plan Update and EIR,
City of Lancaster*

General Plan Update, Climate Action Plan, and Cable Airport Land Use Compatibility Plan EIR,
City of Upland*

McFarland General Plan Amendment EIR
City of McFarland*

Las Ventanas Housing EA,
City of Long Beach*

Safran Senior Housing EA,
City of Long Beach*

Placentia General Plan Sustainability Element and Development Code Assistance,
City of Placentia

Lido House Hotel EIR,
City of Newport Beach*

Hyundai Motor America – North American Campus EIR,
City of Fountain Valley*

* Project was completed by Ms. Barker while he was employed at another planning firm

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