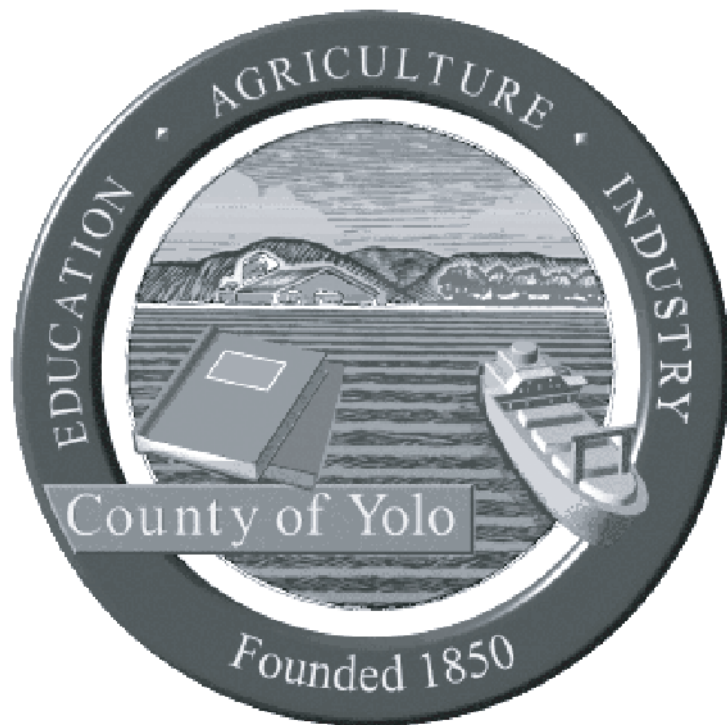


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Introduction

This Background Report documents the existing conditions in Yolo County and provides a basis for development of the General Plan elements. The topics of each of the elements proposed to be updated are addressed in this report. The Housing Element, Agricultural Element, and Open Space and Recreation Elements are not proposed for updating as a part of this General Plan update. This report is intended to be informative and does not propose or contain policy direction or impact assessment. This report provides a basic understanding of the existing conditions in Yolo County (County), as well as projections of future growth.

The report contains six chapters, one for each of the five elements to be updated and one covering cultural resources. The five elements to be updated are:

- Land Use Element
- Conservation Element
- Safety Element
- Transportation and Circulation Element
- Noise Element

A cultural resources background report is provided for information in developing the General Plan update.