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July 10, 2025

Supervising Legal Certification Clerk
County of Riverside
P.O. Box 751
Riverside, CA 92501-0751

**SUBJECT: Filing of a Notice of Exemption for Planning Application Number PA24-0218,
to allow a batting cage training facility in an existing building located at 42637
Avenida Alvarado**

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed is the Notice of Exemption for the above referenced project. In addition, pursuant to Assembly Bill 3158 (Chapter 1706) the Applicant will pay for the County Administrative fee to enable the City to file the Notice of Exemption required under Public Resources Code Section 21152 and 14 California Code Regulations 1507. The payment of the \$50.00 filing fee is under protest. It is the opinion of the City that the administrative fee has been increased in a manner inconsistent with the provisions of State Law. Under Public Resources Code Section 21152 and 14 California Code Regulations 1507, the County is entitled to receive a \$25.00 filing fee.

Also, please email a stamped copy of the Notice of Exemption **within five working days** after the 30-day posting to the email listed below.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Yannin Marquez at (951) 302-4125 or at email yannin.marquez@TemeculaCA.gov.

Sincerely,

Matt Peters
Director of Community Development

Enclosures: Notice of Exemption Form
Electronic Payment - Filing Fee Receipt

City of Temecula
Community Development
Planning Division

Notice of Exemption

TO: County Clerk and Records Office
County of Riverside
P.O. Box 751
Riverside, CA 92501-0751

FROM: Planning Division
City of Temecula
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

Project Title: Swing City Batting Cages

Description of Project: A Conditional Use Permit to allow a batting cage training facility in an existing building located at 42637 Avenida Alvarado.

Project Location: 42637 Avenida Alvarado

Applicant/Proponent: Nicole Ballow

The Director of Community Development approved the above-described project on July 10, 2025, and found that the project is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act, as amended.

Exempt Status: (*check one*)

- Ministerial (Section 21080(b)(1); Section 15268);
 Declared Emergency (Section 21080(b)(3); Section 15269(a));
 Emergency Project (Section 21080(b)(4); Section 15269(b)(c));

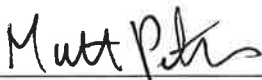
- Statutory Exemptions (Section Number:)
 Categorical Exemption: (Section 15301, Class 1, Existing Facilities)
 Other: Section 15061(b)(3)

Statement of Reasons Supporting the Finding that the Project is Exempt:

The request for a Conditional Use Permit is for a batting cage training facility to offer both baseball and softball practice, private lessons, camps, clinics, and youth instructional training within an existing building with no expansion being proposed. Sports and recreational facilities are conditionally permitted uses at the project site. As such, this project represents no expansion of the structure, site, or allowable uses.

Contact Person/Title: Yannin Marquez, Planning Technician

Telephone Number (951) 302-4125

Signature: 
Matt Peters,
Director of Community Development

Date: 7/10/25

Date received for filing at the County Clerk and Records Office: