

Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: Office of Planning and Research
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County Clerk

County of: Santa Clara

County Clerk Recorder's Office

110 W. Tasman Dr, San Jose CA 95134

From: (Public Agency): City of Cupertino

10300 Torre Ave.

Cupertino, CA 95014

(Address)

Project Title: RM-2026-009

Project Applicant: Xiaowen Song

Project Location - Specific:

6365 Candlewood Ct.

Project Location - City: Cupertino

Project Location - County: Santa Clara

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Minor residential permit for rear yard encroachment to legalize an existing 299 sq. ft. rear addition. Front addition and remodel.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Cupertino

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Xiaowen Song (szsxwok@gmail.com)

Exempt Status: (check one):

☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);

☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));

☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));

☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Existing Facilities §15301

☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is a residential addition to legalize an existing 299 sf addition to a single family residence which added less than 50 percent of the floor area of the structure before the addition.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Emily Sanchez-Resendiz

Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 408-777-3139

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.

2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: Emily Sanchez-Resendiz Date: 7/30/2026 Title: Assistant Planner

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____