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Notice of Exemption

To: Office of Planning and Research
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 County Clerk, County of _____

From: University of California, Riverside
Capital Planning
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Project Title: TAPS Storage Yard Replacement
Project Applicant: University of California, Riverside
Project Location – Specific: University of California, Riverside campus, southwest of the Watkins Drive and Blaine Street intersection, on the south side of Watkins Drive, northwest of the UCR Corporation Yard and southeast of UCR Parking Lot 28.
Project Location – City: Riverside **Project Location – County:** Riverside

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project (Project Description): The proposed project consists of utilizing a vacant parcel of land for temporary replacement storage space for Transportation and Parking Services (TAPS) field operations. The site will be fenced and screened to match the adjacent corporation yard fencing, with vehicle access for the southwest using an existing interior campus road. A gravel base will be placed in the area.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: University of California

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: University of California

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: Class 11, Accessory Structures, Section 15311
- Statutory Exemptions. State type and section number:
- General Exemption (Sec. 15061(b)(3)).

Reason Why Project is Exempt: The project is categorically exempt because it consists of a temporary placement of a minor use accessory to an existing institutional facility. There will be no changes to the drainage patterns of the site, no additional hardscape will be installed, no storage of hazardous materials or substances will occur on site, and drip protection will be provided if any vehicles are stored on site. No exceptions to the exemptions apply.

Lead Agency Contact Person: Tricia D. Thrasher, ASLA, LEED AP
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Signature:  11.26.14

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Date: 11/26/14

- Signed by Lead Agency
- Signed by Applicant

Date received for filing at OPR:

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