

# Notice of Exemption

Fee Exempt per Government Code Section 6103

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**Applicant(s):** Tulare County Office of the District Attorney  
221 S. Mooney Blvd., Room 224  
Visalia, CA 93291 Phone (559) 636-5351

**Activity/Project Title:** Child Advocacy Center Program (KC)  
**Activity/Project Location:** Countywide - throughout Tulare County, CA  
**Activity/Project Location- Section, Township, Range:** N/A  
**Project Location - City:** N/A

**Project Location - County:** Tulare

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), Victim Services Branch is providing funding for the Child Advocacy Center Program (KC Program) for Fiscal Year 2022/2023. The purpose of the KC Program is to provide services to child abuse victims to reduce trauma to children and their families by using a multidisciplinary team approach. There is \$171,013 in funding for the KC Program for the Fiscal Year 2022/2023 (April 1, 2022 through March 31, 2023). The KC Program will provide a public benefit by providing the services noted above.

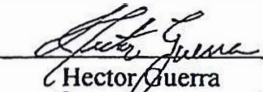
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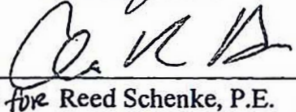
- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Common Sense Exemption: 14 CCR § 15061(b)(3) No Possibility of Significant Impact
- Categorical Exemption:
- Statutory Exemptions:

**Reasons Why Activity/Project is exempt from CEQA:** The agreement qualifies for the "common sense exemption" to CEQA review because it is an agreement to provide grant funds and as such will not led directly or indirectly to any activity having a significant effect on the environment. Therefore, the application of 14 CCR § 15061(b)(3) is appropriate.

**Name of Public Agency Approving Activity/Project:** County of Tulare by Board of Supervisors

**Activity/Project Representative** Cynthia Lopez, Grants & Program Coordinator Area Code/Telephone: 559-636-5351

Signature:  Date: 11/16/21 Title: Chief Environmental Planner  
Hector Guerra

Signature:  Date: 11/16/21 Title: Environmental Assessment Officer  
Aaron Beck for Reed Schenke, P.E.

Signed by Lead Agency

Date received for filing at OPR: 11/18/21

