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NOTICE OF PREPARATION OF A DRAFT SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT FOR THE AUTO CLUB (FORMERLY CALIFORNIA) SPEEDWAY EVENT CENTER

The San Bernardino County Land Use Services Department will prepare a Supplemental Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the proposed modification to the noise standards for all Auto Club (formerly California) Speedway Event Center (project) facility operations. The project is located on a 550-acre site west of Cherry Avenue and to the north of San Bernardino Avenue within the City of Fontana's sphere of influence in unincorporated San Bernardino County.

The Speedway accommodates a two (2)-mile D-shaped oval track 75 feet in width with a 15-foot apron. The track encircles suites and associated facilities, the pit, and access ways. Also the facility hosts an interior American Motorcyclist Association (AMA) motorcycle track, an exterior cart track and a National Hot Rod Association (NHRA) drag strip. A grandstand lies south of the track with more than 92,000 seats. A midway with restaurants and food service, entertainment, and vendor display facilities lies south of the grandstand. Parking is located inside the track and in lots around the periphery of the site, accommodating more than 31,000 spaces. The Speedway has been in operation since 1997. The maximum attendance is based on available parking and is currently capped at 110,000.

This notice is a request for environmental information that you or your organization believes should be addressed in the SEIR. Due to time limits, as defined by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), your response should be sent at the earliest possible date, but no later than September 19, 2008. Comments and questions may be directed to Doug Feremenga, Senior Planner, 385 North Arrowhead Avenue, First Floor, San Bernardino, CA 92415-0182.

The text of the Initial Study is posted on the County Land Use Services Department web page at www.sbcounty.gov/landuseservices. Click on "Public Notices," and then "Environmental Documents Public Notices."

A copy of the Initial Study may be viewed at the San Bernardino County Library, Fontana Branch, 8437 Sierra Avenue, Fontana, CA 92335

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