Summary Form for Electronic Document Submittal

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SCH #:	
Project Title: The Towne Center Specific Plan	
Lead Agency: City of Canyon Lake	
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Project Location: City of Canyon Lake City	Riverside County County
Project Description (Proposed actions, location, and/or consequences).	
Identify the project's significant or potentially significant effects and briefly would reduce or avoid that effect.	describe any proposed mitigation measures that
See attachment.	

None identified.					
Provide a list of the re	sponsible or trustee	agencies for the	project.		
Not applicable.					

SCH Summary Form Attachment

Project Description

The Project proposes a zone change and specific plan for the existing Towne Center, collectively referred to as the proposed Project. The City of Canyon Lake is looking to increase fiscal opportunities, incorporate residential uses, and redesign the existing Towne Center to attract local interest. The zone change proposes to change the existing zoning from General Commercial (C-1) to Mixed Use (MXU) in order to allow for residential usage and provide consistency with the existing General Plan land use designation of MXU. The Towne Center Specific Plan (TCSP) provides guidelines and requirements for future developments. The existing Towne Center is located in a Mixed Use General Plan Land Use category. The TCSP has divided the site into eight separate "Planning Areas". Each of these Planning Areas provide a general guidance for primary use and redevelopment that are in accordance with the goals and objectives of the City of Canyon Lake. The eight Planning Areas include the following land uses; housing, commercial retail, civic uses, public plaza, and office space. Although a conceptual site plan has been prepared the TCSP allows developers to modify each planning area as long as they are consistent with the objectives of the plan.

Mitigation Measures

The Initial Study evaluated potential environmental impacts to aesthetics, agricultural and forestry resources, air quality, biological resources, cultural resources, energy, geology and soils, greenhouse gas emissions, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, land use and planning, mineral resources, noise, population and housing, public services, recreation, transportation/traffic, tribal cultural resources, utilities and service systems and wildfire. Of all potential effects evaluated, impacts in the areas of biological resources, cultural resources, geology and soils, noise, and public services were identified, but will be reduced to a less than significant levels with implementation of mitigation measures MM BIO 1, MM CUL 1, MM GEO 1, MM NOI 1, MM NOI 2, MM NOI 3, MM NOI 4, MM NOI 5, and MM PS 1, identified in the Initial Study. The City did not identify any significant, unavoidable impacts.