



**City of Santa Barbara**  
Airport Department

**Memorandum**

**DATE:** October 10, 2019  
**TO:** IPM Advisory Committee  
**FROM:** Jeffrey S. McKee, Airport Facilities Manager  
**SUBJECT:** Airport IPM Exemption Request – Termidor and Arilon

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The Airport Department is requesting a retroactive exemption from the IPM strategy for application of Termidor and Arilon at Airport Administration to control ants. Because the area around the Airport Administration building is mapped as green, an exemption is required for application of these materials.

Staff were complaining of ants throughout the Administration building. Efforts to eliminate attractants were unsuccessful in reducing the problem. On August 22, 2019, emergency approval was granted to apply the materials in accordance with the ant control policy. Notice was posted and the materials were applied on September 20, 2019.