



City of Arts & Innovation

## News Release

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### **VILLEGAS PARK TO HOST ANNUAL BOXING CLUB SHOW**

RIVERSIDE, CA – Villegas Park is set to host its annual Boxing Club Show on Saturday, October 7. Spectators have the opportunity to watch a variety of bouts with boxers of all ages. The event is open for all ages and features raffles, snack bar and picture opportunities. Weigh-ins are from 8 – 10 a.m. and show time starts at 1 p.m. Admission is \$10 for ages 11 and over and \$5 for ages 5 - 10. Youth must also be accompanied by a paid adult. The Annual Boxing Club Show will be held at Villegas Park located at 3091 Esperanza St. This event is sanctioned by USA Boxing.

### **About Riverside**

As the City of Arts & Innovation, Riverside, California is rich in history and culture, and is setting the pace in innovative practices for government, business and education. With a population of just over 300,000, Riverside is the largest city in the Inland Southern California region, the 12th largest city in California, and the 6<sup>th</sup> largest in Southern California. Riverside is home to four internationally recognized universities and colleges that support a growing college student population of nearly 50,000. Businesses and residents in Riverside benefit from city-owned electrical and water systems, high-speed fiber optic telecommunications, an easily-accessed freeway system, BNSF and UP rail access, and a large corporate jet and general aviation airport.

With standards of excellence in technology, workforce development, arts, innovation, education and social capital the City has been named America's #2 Hot Spot for Tech (Forbes, 2013); #6 Happiest Place for Young Professionals (Forbes, 2013); #3 'Can Do' Capital (Newsweek, 2011); and the 2012 Intelligent Community of the Year by the Intelligent Community Forum.

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