INSECT IDENTIFICATION REQUEST

ID #_______
(for official use only)

University of California Riverside
Entomology Research Museum
900 University Ave
Riverside, CA 92521-0314

1) Name: ________________________ 2) Date: ________________
3) Mailing address: ________________________ 4) Phone: ________________
                                            Fax: ________________

Email: ________________________________

☐ By checking this box, I agree to the Terms and Conditions for identification services described at (http://entomology.ucr.edu/terms.html). Note that payment must be by check or money order payable to "UC Regents", with the "Memo" portion indicating "For ID services, UCR Entomology Museum." Samples associated with bites or itches are only accepted from medical personnel, and are classified as “Medical/forensic” for payment purposes.

5) Check which apply:
   Homeowners/general public: routine (1-2 weeks) $24.80
                                 urgent (48 hours or less) $49.60
   Commercial:                  routine (1-2 weeks) $74.40
                                 urgent (48 hours or less) $148.80
   Medical/forensic:            routine (1-2 weeks) $148.80
                                 urgent (48 hours or less) $297.60

Other (explain, applicable rates vary):____________________________________

6) Location where insect was collected (street, city, county, GPS coordinates if available):_____

7) Where found - outside or inside home, on animal (type of animal), on plant (type of plant, other (explain):____________________________________

8) Describe any damage observed:____________________________________

9) How long has this insect been present:____________________________________

10) Other comments:____________________________________

Please pack specimens as follows: Pack dead insects in a sealed plastic bag inside a small box or other container to protect from smashing. Insects may be placed in a sealed container in a freezer overnight to kill. Do NOT bring or send live specimens collected outside of Riverside, CA. Small, soft-bodied insects or caterpillars can be placed in a small watertight container with 70% rubbing alcohol or ethanol. Pack container inside a plastic bag before transporting. Mail or bring sample to INSECT I.D. at the above address. Note that USPS has special regulations involving mailing of specimens in alcohol. Specimens will not be returned.