

DIVISION OF CORPORATION FINANCE UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

June 16, 2010

Mr. Thomas E. O'Hern Chief Financial Officer The Macerich Company 401 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 700 Santa Monica, CA 90401

> Re: The Macerich Company Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009 File No. 001-12504

Dear Mr. O'Hern:

We have completed our review of your filings and do not have any further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Kevin Woody Branch Chief