

April 11, 2011

## **I. REPRESENTATIVES, LOCATIONS AND DATES**

### **LINK 1: Rough Acres, Jacumba, McCain Valley and Imperial Valley Substation**

- Cody Elliott, Kumeyaay descendant, served as monitor on April 5-7 for the kV12 line.
- Alan Hatcher, Cocopah, served as monitor at the Imperial Valley Substation from April 4-9.
- Daniel Mason of the Campo Band served as monitor at various tower locations on April 4.
- Ed Mercado of La Posta Band served as monitor on April 4-8 for the kV12 line.
- Andrea Najera, Campo Band, served as monitor for the Rough Acres and in the Bullpen on April 4-8.
- Frank Salazar III of the Campo Band served as monitor on April 7-9.

### **LINK 2: Bartlett & Kreutzkamp Yards**

- Daniel Mason of the Campo Band served as monitor on April 5, 6, and 7 at Bartlett Yard.

### **LINK 3: Suncrest Substation**

- No monitors required at Link 3 this week.

### **LINK 4: Alpine Underground Substation; Alpine Boulevard; Alpine Bullpen**

- Clarence Brown, Viejas, served as monitor for Alpine Blvd on April 4-7.
- Dave Z. Elliott, Kumeyaay Descendant, served as monitor for the Alpine Blvd on April 5 and 7.
- Ms. Vera Tucker, Viejas, served as monitor on April 4-7.
- David Elliott Sr., Kumeyaay Descendant, served as monitor on April 4 and 6.

### **LINK 5: Hartung & Sycamore Yards**

- No monitors required at Link 5 this week.

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## **II. CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES**

### **LINK 1: Rough Acres, Jacumba, McCain Valley and Imperial Valley Substation**

Construction activities this week consisted of paving, drilling, trenching, and marking off environmentally sensitive areas. Mr. Elliott reported trenching and backhoe excavations. Mr. Hatcher notes excavating activities. Ms. Najera notes on April 6<sup>th</sup>, the establishment of ESAs near EP315.

### **LINK 2: Bartlett & Kreutzkamp Yards**

Mr. Mason notes the installing of BMPs and digging at the Bartlett Yard.

### **LINK 3: Suncrest Substation**

No reports this week at this segment.

**LINK 4: Alpine Underground Substation; Alpine Boulevard; Alpine Bullpen**

Mr. C. Brown reported excavations along Alpine Boulevard. Mr. Dave Z. Elliott reported trenching. Ms. Tucker reported trenching, vaulting, and dumping. Mr. David Elliott reports pumping, shoring, dumping, backhoe and trackhoe work.

**LINK 5: Hartung & Sycamore Yards**

No monitor reports at Link 5 this week.

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**III. OBSERVATIONS**

**LINK 1: Rough Acres, Jacumba, McCain Valley and Imperial Valley Substation**

Mr. Salazar reported one buffware potsherd, medium sized, at Tower 321 in an area that is protected and additional pottery at Tower 344, also in a protected area. On April 6, Ms. Najera noted two rock piles, one jasper biface and some chipping debris which was staked for protection.

**LINK 2: Bartlett & Kreutzkamp Yards**

No cultural resources observed.

**LINK 3: Suncrest Substation**

No reports this week.

**LINK 4: Alpine Underground Substation; Alpine Boulevard; Alpine Bullpen**

No cultural resources observed. David Elliott, though, noted the presence of clay suitable for making pottery – but no pottery.

**LINK 5: Hartung & Sycamore Yards**

No monitors required at Link 5 this week.

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**IV. CONCERNS EXPRESSED**

**LINK 1: Rough Acres, Jacumba, McCain Valley and Imperial Valley Substation**

Mr. C. Elliott notes on April 6<sup>th</sup> that communication between the construction workers' schedule and the archaeologists could be improved.

Ms. Najera notes she was feeling discriminated against at the Rough Acres in terms of accessibility for drinks at the yard's kitchenette. This issue has been discussed with Dayle Cheever, SDG&E, and Ms. Najera. SDG&E's position on the matter has been declared that all employees of the Sunrise Powerlink project may partake in the resources provided, but should use them as supplemental resources to their personal drinks.

**LINK 2: Bartlett & Kreutzkamp Yards**

None expressed.

**LINK 3: Suncrest Substation**

No reports this week.

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**LINK 4: Alpine Underground Substation; Alpine Boulevard; Alpine Bullpen**

No cultural concerns expressed.

Dave Z. Elliott requests more work trucks and gas cards. Mr. Ken Gerling, Burns & McDonnell, and Mr. Michael Baksh, Tierra, discussed this situation April 11, 2011.

Ms. Tucker expressed concerns about having adequate space to observe dirt removal. She also notes that she spoke with Mr. Ken Katsuda, Burns & McDonnell, about this and he would try to improve the space for observations.

David Elliott notes that small items in excavated soils might be missed. He recommends that two Native American monitors be present for vault trenching activities in their initial phases.

**LINK 5: Hartung & Sycamore Yards**

No monitors required at Link 5 this week.

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**V. SUMMARY**

The project continues with few resources being observed at this point in time and few concerns expressed at this time, none of which pertain to cultural resources.

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**VI. SUMMARY PREPARER**

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The Elliott's are not recognized members of the Manzanita Tribe as is stated on some of their reports. This is direction from the Manzanita Tribal Council. I have expressed to the Elliotts that they cannot write that they represent Manzanita on these forms in the past. As a result I have listed them as Kumeyaay descendants. HM