

APPENDIX A

NATIVE AMERICAN CONSULTATION

- Communications Tracking Log
- Faxed Request to Native American Heritage Commission
- Faxed Response from Native American Heritage Commission including List of Contacts
- Consultation Letters (n=13 initial letters and 13 updates)
- Written Responses (n=3: Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria [1 letter]; Tomaras & Ogas, Attorneys for the Lytton Rancheria [2 letters])

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Affiliation	Name	Contact Date	Contact type	Response
Native American Heritage Commission	Katy Sanchez	9/16/2008	Letter	1/16/2009 - The record search found no Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area; the Commission provided a list of people who might have knowledge of the area (see below).
		2/10/2009	Letter	Reply letter was sent 2/17/09 by Nick Tipon, Chairman of the Sacred Sites Protection Committee. The letter expressed two requests: that additional consultation be carried out with the lead agency regarding the project's projected disturbances, and that a review of culturally sensitive plants in the project area be provided. Mr. Tipon also expressed concern about the potential for buried cultural resources.
		2/17/2009	Telephone -	left voicemail message on answering machine requesting project input
The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	Greg Sarris, Chairperson	2/17/2009	Telephone - 4:58 pm	Laurie called to say that they do not have the letter of introduction yet.
		7/9/2009	Letter update	none
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The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	Nick Tipon, Chairman of the Sacred Sites Protection Committee	7/9/2009	Letter update	none
		2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone -	left voicemail message on answering machine requesting project input
The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	Gene Buvelot	7/9/2009	Letter update	none
		2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone - 2:30 pm	not sure if they received the letter or not; he said he would call us back when he found it
The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	Frank Ross	7/9/2009	Letter update	none
		2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone - 3:09 pm	left message with receptionist; when I called back to talk to other people below, I was told to talk to the chairperson first
Lytton Band of Pomo Indians	Margie Mejia, Chairperson	2/17/2009	Telephone - 4:13 pm	Mrs. Mejia said that she was the only one who needed to be contacted in her group and that she would forward the letter to the appropriate person today (see Tomaras letter below)
		7/9/2009	Letter update	none
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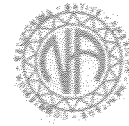
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Lytton Band of Pomo Indians	Brenda L. Tomaras of Tomaras & Ogas, LLP	2/25/2009	Emailed Letter	Brenda Tomaras of Tomaras& Ogas, LLP was contacted by Lytton Rancheria and asked to represent them. The letter states that although the Tribe had no specific information concerning the project area, it believes that the project falls within traditional Southern Pomo territory and is within ten miles of the Tribe's historic reservation. As such, the Tribe believes there is a potential for inadvertent discoveries of cultural resources during ground-disturbing activities. On behalf of the Tribe, Ms. Tomaras then requested that special care be taken to protect such resources should they be inadvertently discovered and that they are contacted immediately should any other Pomo sites or human remains be encountered during the archaeological survey. The letter also states that the Tribe requests that they have the opportunity to review and provide comments on the cultural survey document when it is completed.
Lytton Band of Pomo Indians	Brenda L. Tomaras of Tomaras & Ogas, LLP	7/20/2009	Emailed Letter	Ms. Tomaras requests that the following measures be implemented in the event human remains or other cultural materials are encountered during construction: (1) that work cease and a qualified archaeologist and a representative of the culturally affiliated tribe investigate the find and make recommendations as to treatment and mitigation of any impacts, and (2) that the County Coroner be notified immediately in the event human remains are encountered. Should they be determined to be prehistoric, the Coroner shall notify the Native American Heritage Commission who will then designate a Most Likely Descendent.
Lytton Band of Pomo Indians	Lisa Miller, Tribal Administrator	2/10/2009 2/17/2009	Letter -	none was not contacted by phone per Margie Mejia's instructions; no further contact initiated.
Lytton Band of Pomo Indians	Vice Chairperson	2/10/2009 2/17/2009	Letter -	none was not contacted by phone per Margie Mejia's instructions; no further contact initiated.
Lytton Band of Pomo Indians	Environmental Planner	2/10/2009 2/17/2009	Letter -	none was not contacted by phone per Margie Mejia's instructions; no further contact initiated.
Stewarts Point Rancheria	Eric Wilder, Chairperson	2/10/2009 2/17/2009	Letter Telephone -	none Eric Wilder no longer works there; there is a new chairperson, but I was told to send a new letter to Ben Ray, Tribal Administrator; this letter was sent 2/17; no further contact initiated
Stewarts Point Rancheria	Ben Ray, Tribal Administrator	7/9/2009	Letter update	none

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Dry Creek Rancheria of Pomo Indians	Harvey Hopkins	2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone -	Spoke with the receptionist who said Mr. Hopkins is out of the office; left message requesting project input
Cloverdale Rancheria of Pomo Indians	Patricia Hermosillo, Chairperson	7/9/2009	Letter update	none
		2/10/2009	Letter	none
Cloverdale Rancheria of Pomo Indians	Mario Hermosillo Jr., Tribal Environmental Planner	2/17/2009	Telephone- 2:58 pm	directed to the tribal environmental planner (Mario Hermosillo Jr.); see below
		2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone - 3:00 pm	Windsor is not their territory; declines further involvement; no further contact initiated
Ya-Ka-Ama	no name(s) provided	2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone -3:03 pm	left a message on answering machine requesting project input.
		7/9/2009	Letter update	none
None indicated	Dawn S. Getchell	2/10/2009	Letter	none
		2/17/2009	Telephone -	Windsor is not her territory; declines further involvement; no further contact initiated



Additional Information



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LOCAL GOVERNMENT TRIBAL CONSULTATION LIST REQUEST

NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION
 915 CAPITOL MALL, ROOM 364
 SACRAMENTO, CA 95814
 (916) 653-4082
 (916) 657-5390 - Fax

Project Title: Windsor Substation Project

Local Government/Lead Agency: PG&E

Contact Person: Allika Ruby, Far Western Anthropological Research Group

Street Address: 2727 Del Rio Place, Suite A

City: Davis, CA

Zip: 95618

Phone: 530-756-3941

Fax: 530-756-0881

Specific Area Subject to Proposed Action

County: Sonoma

City/Community: Town of Windsor

Local Action Type:

- General Plan
 General Plan Element
 General Plan Amendment
 Specific Plan
 Specific Plan Amendment
 Pre-planning Outreach Activity

Project Description:

The project consists of constructing a 60 or 115/12 kV single transformer bank substation which would connect to an existing 60 kV power line. Three parcels are under consideration. See attached map.



Sacred Lands File Search and Native American Contacts List Request

Information Below is Required for a Sacred Lands File Search

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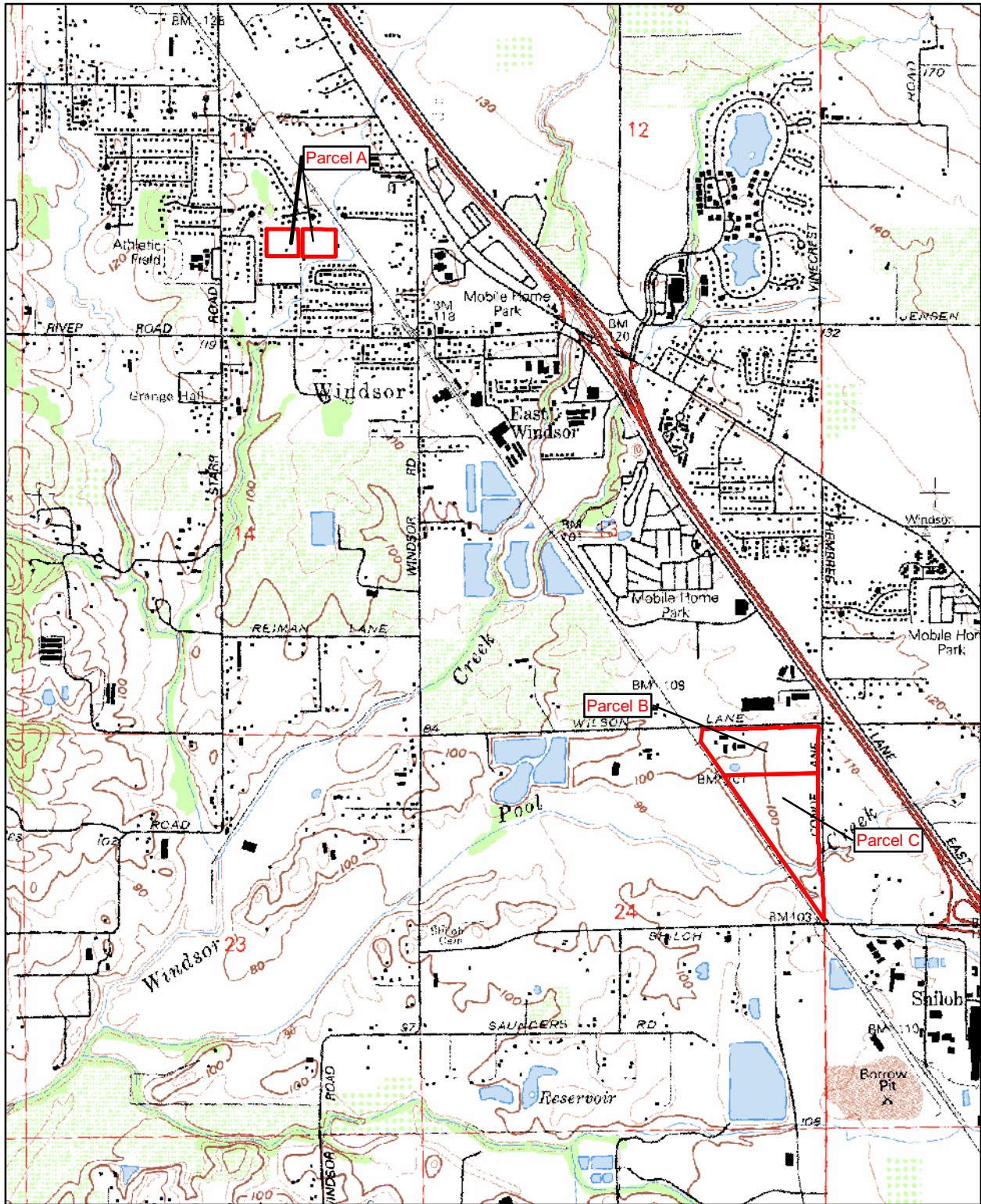
Township 08 N Range 09 W Section(s) 11 and 24

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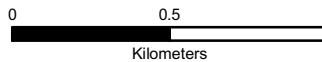
Date Completed _____

Native American Tribal Consultation lists are only applicable for consulting with California Native American tribes per Government Code Section 65352.3.



Healdsburg 7.5 minute quadrangle
T08N 09W secs.11 and 24

 Parcels



STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor

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COMMISSION**915 CAPITOL MALL, ROOM 364
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January 16, 2009

Allika Ruby
Far Western Anthropological Research Group
2828 Del Rio Place, Suite A
Davis, CA 95618Sent by Fax: 530-756-0881
Number of Pages: 3

756-0811

RE: Proposed Windsor Substation Project, Sonoma County

Dear Ms. Ruby:

A record search of the sacred lands file has failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area. The absence of specific site information in the sacred lands file does not indicate the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites.

Enclosed is a list of Native Americans individuals/organizations who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. The Commission makes no recommendation or preference of a single individual, or group over another. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. I suggest you contact all of those indicated, if they cannot supply information, they might recommend others with specific knowledge. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any of these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-4040.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Katy Sanchez".

Katy Sanchez
Program Analyst

Native American Contact
Sonoma County
January 16, 2009

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Patricia Hermosillo, Chairperson
555 South Cloverdale Blvd., Suite A
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Re: Cultural Resources Inventory for Windsor PG&E Substation

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We are contacting you to ask if you know of any cultural resources in or adjacent to the project area, or issues that you would like us to consider. Please contact me at your earliest convenience at (530) 756-3941 or by email, allika@farwestern.com. If we do not hear from you by March 10th 2009, we will assume that you have no concerns to communicate.

Thank you very much for your time and effort.

Sincerely,

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ANTHROPOLOGICAL RESEARCH GROUP, INC.

February 10, 2009

Dry Creek Rancheria of Porno Indians
Harvey Hopkins, Chairperson
P.O. Box 607
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Ya-Ka-Ama
6215 Eastside Road
Forestville, CA 95436

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Dawn S. Getchell
P.O. Box 53
Jenner, CA 95450

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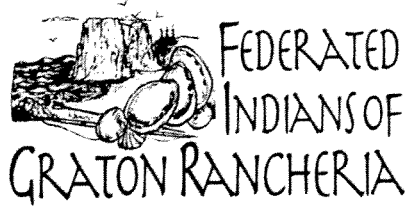
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**Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria
Sacred Sites Protection Committee
6400 Redwood Drive Suite 300
Rohnert Park, CA 94928**

February 17, 2009

Allika Ruby
Far Western
2727 Del Rio Place, Suite A
Davis, CA 95618

RE: Windsor P G & E Substation

Dear Ms. Ruby:

The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria (FIGR), a sovereign government, has received your correspondence of February 10, 2009. The correspondence was regarding a project for a Windsor P G & E Substation. The Tribe appreciates your notification to us of this project.

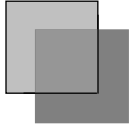
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Please have their representatives contact me to schedule a meeting.

Respectfully,

Nick Tipon
Chairman: Sacred Sites Protection Committee
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February 25, 2009

VIA E-Mail

Allika Ruby
Far Western Anthropological Research Group, Inc.
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Davis, CA 95618

Re: Windsor PG&E Substation

Dear Ms. Ruby:

Our firm represents the Lytton Rancheria of California with respect to cultural resources matters. Thank you for the letter regarding the above-referenced project. While the Tribe has no specific information which it could provide to you for inclusion in your report on this Project, it believes that the project land falls within traditional Southern Pomo territory and, in fact, lies less than ten (10) miles away from the Tribe's historic reservation.

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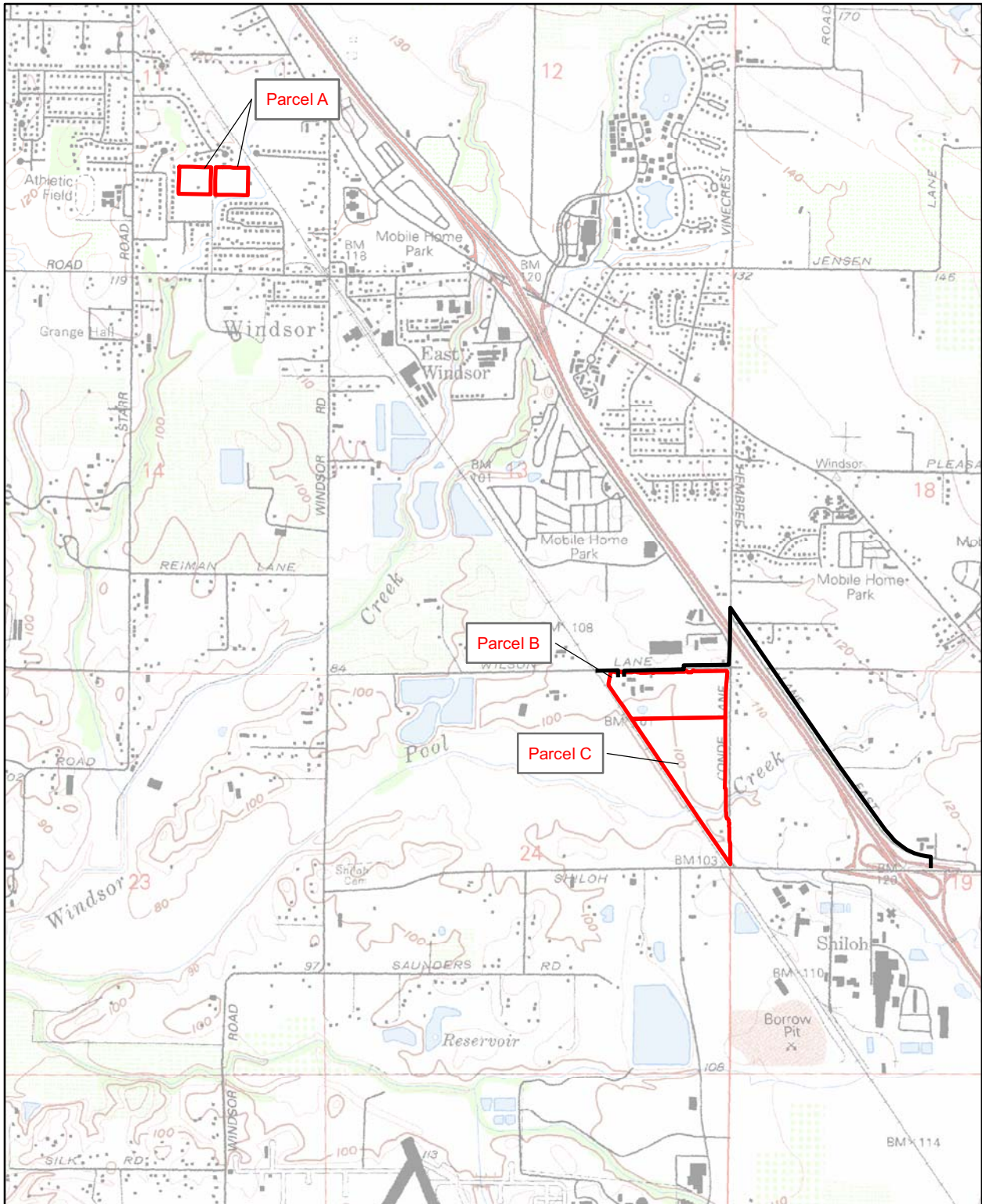
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Very Truly Yours,

TOMARAS & OGAS, LLP

Brenda L. Tomaras

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Attorneys for the Lytton Rancheria



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July 9, 2009

The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria
Gene Buvelot
6400 Redwood Drive, Ste. 300
Rohnert Park, CA 94928

RE: Update on Cultural Resources Study for PG&E Windsor Substation Project, Sonoma County

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July 9, 2009

Lytton Band of Pomo Indians
Margie Mejia, Chairperson
1300 N. Dutton, Suite A
Santa Rosa, CA 95401

RE: Update on Cultural Resources Study for PG&E Windsor Substation Project, Sonoma County

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July 9, 2009

Stewarts Point Rancheria
Ben Ray, Tribal Administrator
3535 Industrial Dr., Suite B2
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

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Sincerely,

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Allika Ruby, Senior Archaeologist

Encl. map.



July 9, 2009

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July 20, 2009

VIA E-MAIL

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Re: PG&E Windsor Substation Project, Sonoma County

Dear Ms. Ruby:

Thank you for your correspondence and the Project update. Our firm represents the Lytton Rancheria of California with respect to cultural resources matters. The Lytton Rancheria is interested in the protection and preservation of Pomo artifacts and sites, and to the extent that any previously unknown sites or artifacts encountered are Pomo sites, the Band would request special care be taken to assure the protection of any such previously undiscovered resources.

PROJECT IMPACTS TO CULTURAL RESOURCES

The Lytton Rancheria's primary concerns stem from the Project's likely impacts on Native American cultural resources. The Lytton Rancheria is concerned about both the protection of unique and irreplaceable cultural resources, such as Pomo village sites, and archaeological items which would be displaced by ground-disturbing work on the Project, and on the proper and lawful treatment of cultural items, Native American human remains and sacred items likely to be discovered in the course of the work.

Further, the Tribe believes that if human remains are discovered, State law would apply and the mitigation measures and conditions of approval for the Projects must account for this. According to the California Public Resources Code, § 5097.98, if Native American human remains are discovered, the Native American Heritage commission must name a "most likely descendant," who shall be consulted as to the appropriate disposition of the remains.

While no cultural resources were encountered during a survey of the property, the Tribe believes that there is still a potential for the discovery of previously unknown subsurface

resources, and possibly additional unknown sites. As such, we would request that your recommendations include the following mitigation measures/conditions for the Project approvals:

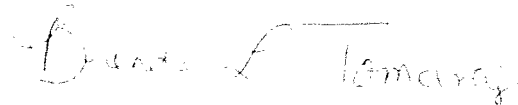
1. If cultural resources are discovered during the Project construction (inadvertent discoveries), all work in the area of the find shall cease, and a qualified archaeologist and representatives of the culturally affiliated tribe shall be retained by the Project sponsor to investigate the find, and make recommendations as to treatment and mitigation of any impacts to those resources.

2. If human remains are encountered, all activity shall stop and the County Coroner must be notified immediately. All activity must cease until the County Coroner has determined the origin and disposition of said remains. The Coroner shall determine if the remains are prehistoric, and shall notify the State Native American Heritage Commission if applicable. Further actions shall be determined by the desires of the Most Likely Descendent.

The Lytton Rancheria appreciates the opportunity to provide comments on the cultural resources evaluations, and looks forward to working further with you to assure the protection of the resources.

Very Truly Yours,

TOMARAS & OGAS, LLP

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Brenda L. Tomaras
Attorneys for the Lytton Rancheria of California