## Appendix A

Ecological Comparison of Two Properties for Land Swap: Slee Property on Honey Springs Road and R.J.E.R. Cemetery Property, Jamul, California

### ECOLOGICAL COMPARISON OF TWO PROPERTIES FOR LAND SWAP: SLEE PROPERTY ON HONEY SPRINGS ROAD AND R.J.E.R. CEMETERY PROPERTY, JAMUL, CALIFORNIA

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

This technical memo provides a brief ecological comparison of two properties in Jamul, California that are being considered for a land swap so that the Jamul Indian Village can utilize the property adjacent to their Reservation for religious and cultural purposes, including potential expansion of the tribal cemetery (see Exhibits). The two properties are:

- the "Slee Property," an unaddressed property located on Honey Springs Road, two 2-acre parcels (APN 600-01-04 and APN 600- 01-05), owned by the Jamul Indian Village
- the "Cemetery Property," an unaddressed triangular parcel located immediately west of the Jamul Indian Village Catholic Cemetery, approximately 1.3 acres (no APN), owned by CDFW and managed as part of the Rancho Jamul Ecological Preserve

### 2. ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

The two properties are located within the "Peninsular Range except San Jacinto Mountains" geographic subregion, which is contained within the Southwestern California geographic subdivision of the larger California Floristic Province (Baldwin et al. 2012). This region has a Mediterranean-type climate, characterized by distinct seasons of hot, dry summers and moderately wet, cool winters. The region is in Climate Zone 21 – "California's Thermal Belts in Southern California's Areas of Occasional Ocean Influence," defined by maritime-influenced climate where temperatures never fall very far below 30 F (Sunset, 2022).

The topography of the Slee Property is a northwest-facing slope of boulder-strewn hills. The elevation ranges from approximately 1,305 feet to 1,470 feet above mean sea level. Drainage runs north and west into an unnamed watercourse, thence Dulzura Creek, and eventually flowing into Jamul Creek and Lower Otay Reservoir. The land uses are undeveloped open space. The surrounding land uses are private estates and wildlife preserves.

The topography of the Cemetery Property is an east-facing ridge and slope of a hill. The elevation ranges from approximately 930 feet to 980 feet above mean sea level. Drainage runs southeast into Willow Creek, then Jamul Creek, which flows to Lower Otay Reservoir. The land uses are undeveloped open space/preserve land. The surrounding land uses are cemetery, gaming facility, private estates, and wildlife preserves.

Conclusion: The two properties have similar environmental settings.

## 3. VEGETATION COMMUNITY TYPES AND SPECIAL-STATUS PLANTS

The Slee Property contains one terrestrial vegetation community: chamise chaparral: The dominant species within the chaparral is chamise (*Adenostoma fasciculatum*) and laurel sumac (*Malosma laurina*). Few grasses and herbs were identifiable under the shrub canopy this late in the season. This vegetation type can be classified as the Holland Type "Chamise Chaparral" or as "37.101.21 *Adenostoma fasciculatum – Malosma laurina*" (CDFW 2022e). The chaparral is mature and undisturbed, and is quite dense, except for occasional game trails and ad hoc hiking trails. Other gaps are created by large boulders. The few gaps in the chaparral canopy contain suitable habitat for a variety of special-status plant species.

The Cemetery Property contains one terrestrial vegetation community: chamise chaparral. Interspersed within this community is another community: non-native annual grassland (42.020.03 *Elymus caput-medusae* or 42.027.00 Wild Oats and Annual Brome Grasslands). The chaparral community is

regenerating from previous land uses, which involved intensive grazing by cattle. The property contains suitable habitat for a variety of special-status plant species, although the dominance of non-native European grasses does diminish the potential for these native species to occur.

Table 1: Comparison of Vegetation Communities on the Properties

Vegetation Community	Cemetery Property	Slee Property
Chamise chaparral	1.3 acres	4 acres

No critical habitat for any federally-listed species occurs within the Slee Property. However, Critical Habitat for listed species is nearby for such species as Quino checkerspot butterfly (*Euphydryas editha quino*) and Hermes copper butterfly (*Lycaena hermes*). No critical habitat for any federally-listed species occurs within the Cemetery Property. However, Critical Habitat for Hermes copper butterfly (*Lycaena hermes*) is adjacent to this property. Spiny redberry, the host plant for the federally threatened Hermes Copper butterfly, does not occur within the Cemetery Property (our 2022 study as well as Montrose Environmental Services 2021).

Neither property contains special-status habitats, according to biological field surveys. The CNDDB does not report any special-status habitats on either property. However, special-status habitats are nearby for both properties: Maritime Succulent Scrub; San Diego Mesa Claypan Vernal Pool; Southern Coast Live Oak Riparian Forest; and Southern Interior Cypress Forest. Neither property contains any water resources: there are no channels or wetlands on either property.

Conclusion: The two properties have similar vegetation communities, but the Slee Property has higher quality community structure. Neither property contains special-status habitats or water resources. Neither property contains designated Critical Habitat for any listed species.

## 4. WILDLIFE HABITAT AND CORRIDORS AND SPECIAL-STATUS ANIMALS

Wildlife habitat types were classified using CDFW's Wildlife Habitat Relationship System. The Slee Property contains two wildlife habitat types: Chamise – Redshank Chaparral; and Barren (rock outcrop). These habitats provide suitable habitat for a variety of special-status animal species. The Slee Property can be considered part of an important animal movement corridor, as it is adjacent to the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area.

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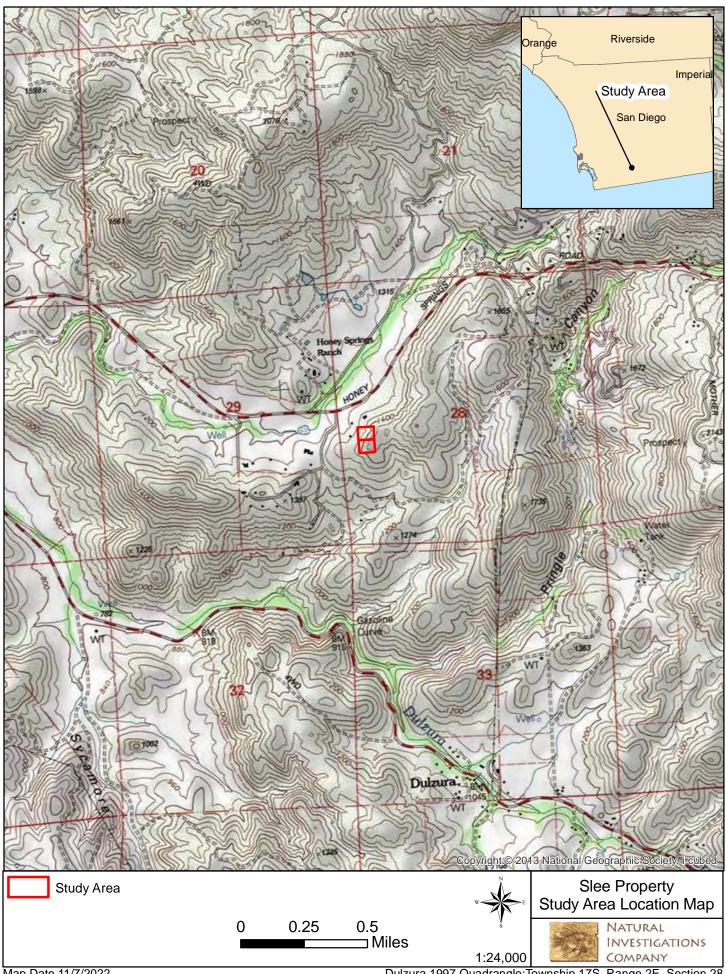
Conclusion: The two properties have similar wildlife habitats, but the Slee Property has higher quality habitats with more complexity, due to the undisturbed nature of the chaparral and the boulder outcrops. The Cemetery Property was subjected to heavy cattle grazing a decade ago.

### 5. SUMMARY

From an ecological perspective, the two properties appear to be suitable for a land swap. Both properties contain similar topography, vegetation communities, and wildlife habitats, and both properties lack water resources. Both properties are adjacent to existing CDFW preserves, and both properties have value as lands bordering large open spaces with functioning wildlife corridors. Both properties are near, but

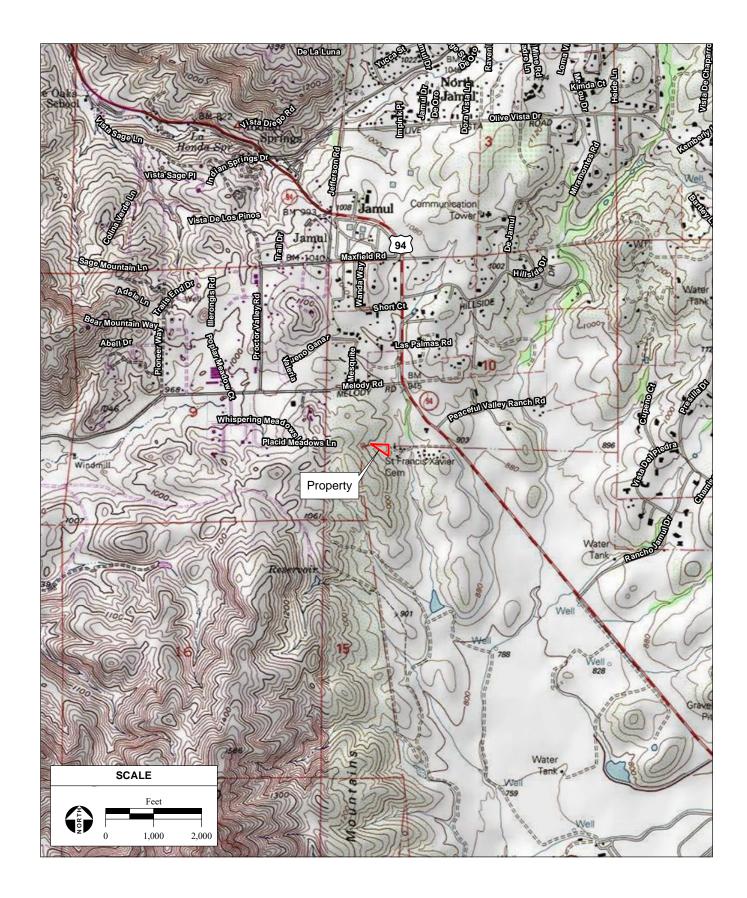
outside of, critical habitat designations for listed species. The Slee Property contains habitats that are more natural and complex than the Cemetery Property. The Slee Property is adjacent to large residential estates that serve as buffers to development, while the Cemetery Property is near an existing intensive commercial development.

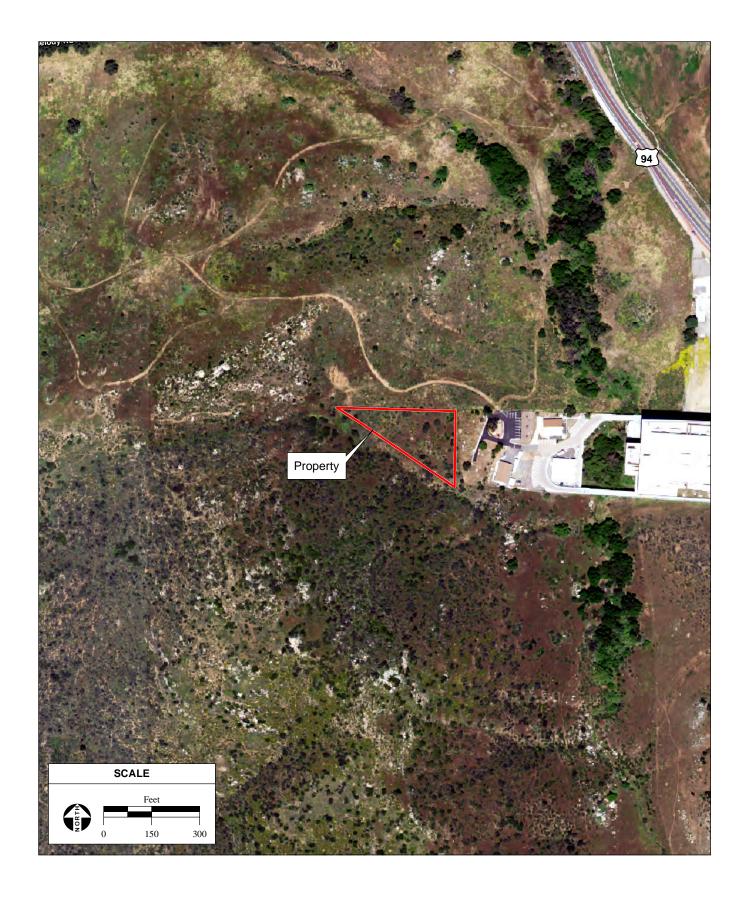
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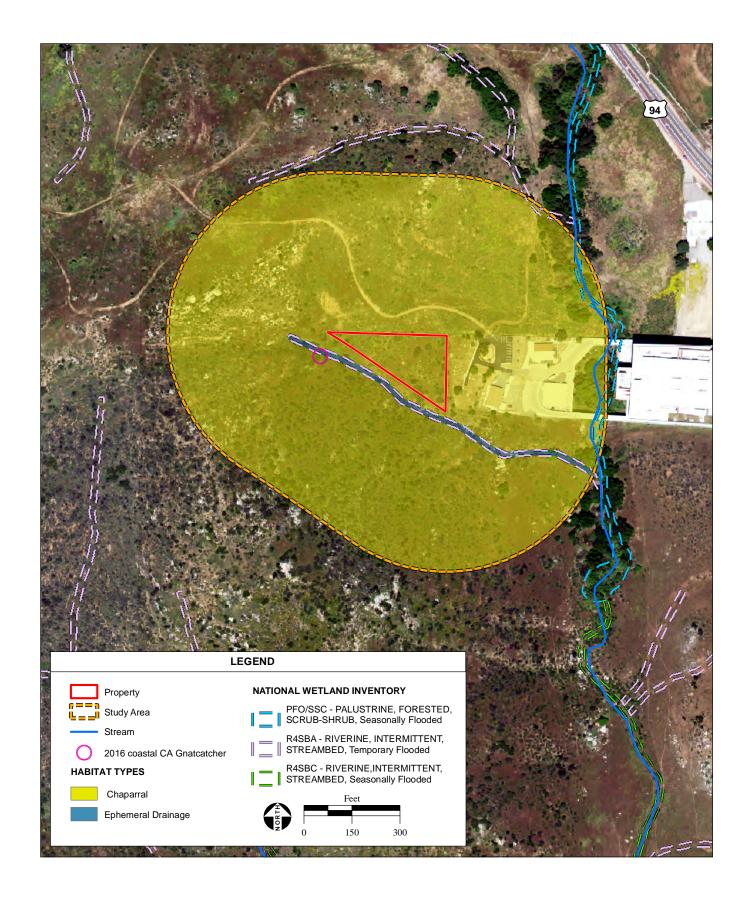


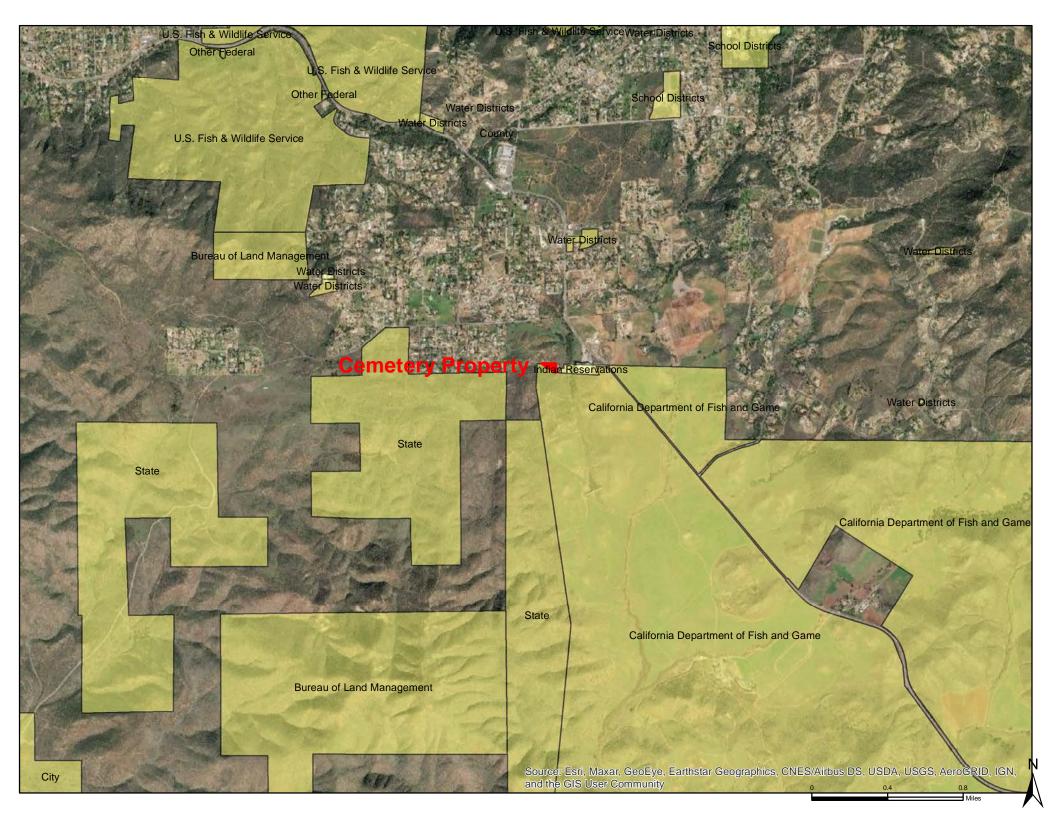


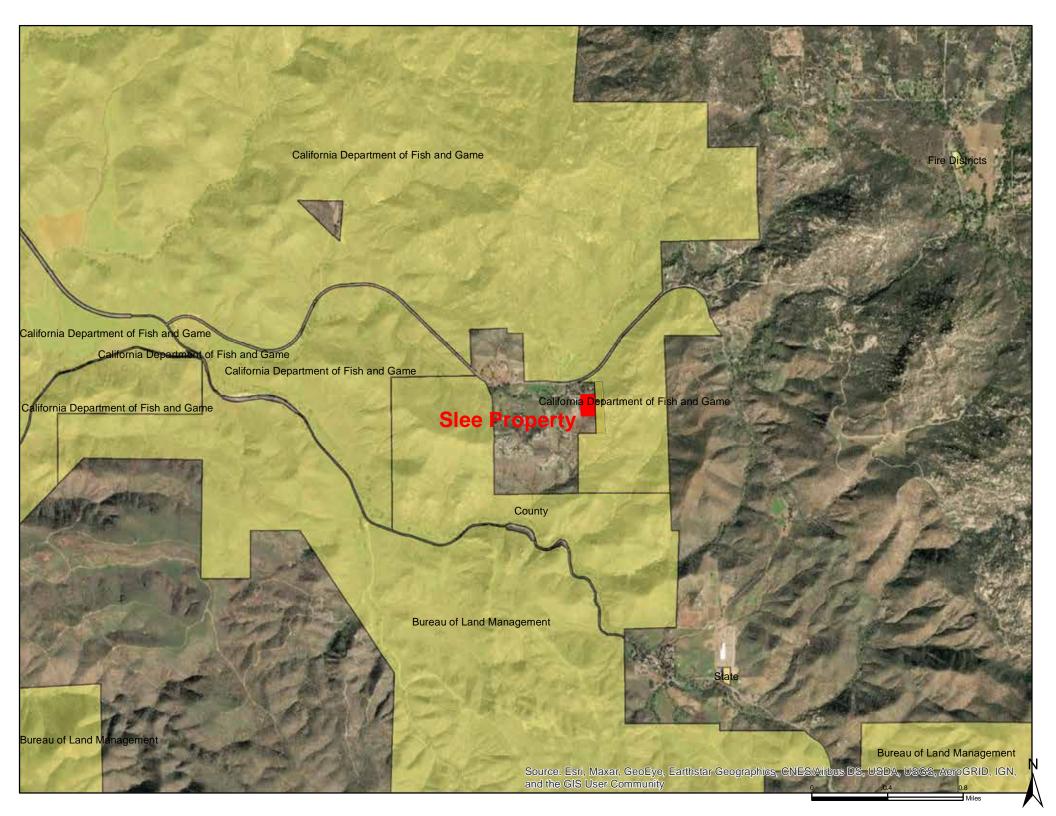








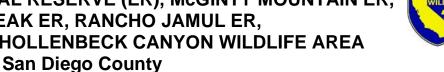


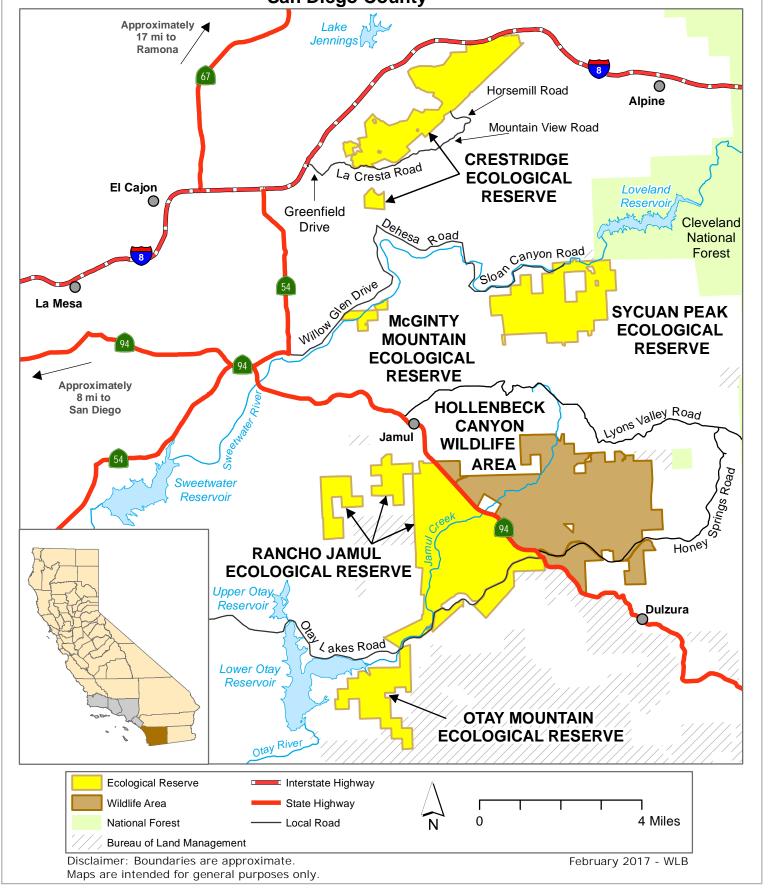


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## **APPENDIX: USFWS SPECIES LIST**



### United States Department of the Interior



### FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

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In Reply Refer To: November 10, 2022

Project Code: 2023-0014037

Project Name: Jamul Indian Village Parcel

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project

location or may be affected by your proposed project

### To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 *et seq.*), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

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Project Code: 2023-0014037

Project Name: Jamul Indian Village Parcel

Project Type: Land Exchange Project Description: Land Exchange

Project Location:

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <a href="https://www.google.com/maps/@32.6636226,-116.78706722102031,14z">https://www.google.com/maps/@32.6636226,-116.78706722102031,14z</a>



Counties: San Diego County, California

### **Endangered Species Act Species**

Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5900">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5900</a>

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### **Flowering Plants**

NAME STATUS

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### Otay Tarplant Deinandra (=Hemizonia) conjugens

Threatened

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### San Diego Ambrosia *Ambrosia pumila*

Endangered

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Threatened

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NAME STATUS

Hermes Copper Butterfly *Lycaena hermes* https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4379#crithab

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# **APPENDIX: SITE PHOTOS OF SLEE PROPERTY**

























# Appendix B

**Biological Memorandum** 



### **BIOLOGICAL MEMORANDUM**

То:	Jamul Indian Village of California
From:	David Pfuhler, Biologist
Project:	Jamul Land Transfer Project
Date:	11/3/2021

#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This memorandum has been prepared for the Jamul Indian Village of California (Tribe) who proposes a land transfer for an approximately one-acre piece of land currently owned by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) located adjacent to and immediately west of existing tribal trust lands in the County of San Diego (Property). In exchange, the Tribe proposes to purchase an off-site parcel of comparable size and habitat for CDFW as a form of repayment/mitigation. The one- acre Property is located at the Jamul Indian Village, immediately west of the Jamul Casino at 14145 Campo Rd, Jamul, CA and a short distance west of Highway 94 (Attachment A Figures 1, 2 and 3). The Property is located in an un-sectioned area within Township 17 South, Range 1 East, as depicted on the Dulzura, CA 7.5' USGS quadrangle map. The southern edge of the Property is adjacent to an ephemeral drainage. The purpose of this assessment is to identify sensitive biological resources within the Property and a 250-foot buffer (Study Area) that may be affected by the Proposed Project.

#### 2.0 METHODOLOGY

The following information was obtained and reviewed:

- Aerial photographs of the Property and surrounding area;
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Information for Planning and Conservation (IPaC) list, updated October 26, 2021 (USFWS, 2021a; Attachment B);
- California Natural Diversity Database (CNDDB) list, updated October 25, 2021 (CDFW, 2021;
   Attachment B);
- California Native Plant Society (CNPS) list, updated October 25, 2021 (CNPS, 2021; Attachment B);
- USFWS National Wetlands Inventory (NWI) map of wetland features, updated November 3,
   2021 (Attachment A Figure 4); and
- Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) custom soils report, updated November 3, 2021 (NRCS, 2021; **Attachment B**).

A biological resources survey was conducted within the Study Area on October 27, 2021. The survey was conducted by walking throughout the entirety of the Study Area. Transects were walked where accessible. Binoculars were used to assist in surveying efforts. Data was collected via a Trimble Geo XH hand-held GPS receiver. Survey goals consisted of identifying habitat types, sensitive habitats, wetlands, and waters of the U.S, and special-status species. Sensitive habitats include those that are designated

by CDFW, considered by local experts to be communities of limited distribution, or likely to be waters of the U.S. or State by the appropriate regulatory agencies. Habitat requirements of special-status species were compared to habitats observed, which were determined based on aerial photographs, ground-truthing, and background data review.

#### 3.0 ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

#### 3.1 SOIL TYPES

The Property is comprised of Las Posas fine sandy loam at 15 to 30 percent slopes, and Cieneba very rocky coarse sandy loam at 30 to 75 percent slopes. Las Posas fine sandy loam is well drained and Cieneba very rocky coarse sandy loam is somewhat excessively drained. A custom soils report for the Property can be found in **Attachment C**.

#### 3.2 Habitat Types

Habitat types identified within the Study Area are shown in **Figure 4**. Chaparral habitat encompasses most of the Property. The NWI classifies the ephemeral drainage that flows to the south of the property as riverine, intermittent, streambed and temporarily flooded habitat and the stream to the east of the Property as palustrine, forested, scrub-shrub, and seasonally flooded habitat (**Figure 4**). Habitat types on the Property are further discussed below.

#### Chaparral

This habitat type occurs throughout the entire Property and is the dominant habitat type throughout the Study Area. At the time of the survey, scattered litter was found throughout the property. The chaparral habitat on the Property occurred on a south facing slope while the remaining portions of the study area were a north facing slope forming a valley which contained the ephemeral drainage described below. The habitat fostered many bird species throughout the shrub layer. Dominant plant species observed include chamise (*Adenostoma fasciclatum*), laurel sumac (*Malosma laurina*), Mediterranean storksbill (*Erodium malacoides*), compact brome (*Bromus madritensis*), *ephedra spp.*, and desert broom (*Baccharis sarothroides*).

#### **Ephemeral drainage**

This habitat type occured along the southern border of the Property. The drainage was approximately 0.5 meters wide where the channel as apparent. The drainage appeared as a swale along most of the property boundary and a defined channel became present as it flowed to the southeast into the riverine system. Chamise, laurel sumac and *mentha spp*. line most of the drainage.

#### Riparian

Riparian corridor bordered the riverine system mapped by NWI and confirmed in the Study Area during the survey. The riparian habitat is dominated by willow (*Salix* sp.), interior live oak (*Quercus wislizeni*), coast live oak (*Quercus agrifolia*), and California willowherb (*Epilobium foliosum*).

#### **Riverine**

A riverine system is located to the east of the property. Wetted portions of this habitat were approximately 1.5 meters in width with an incised channel defining the ordinary high water mark. The trees described within the riparian habitat description shade this system. The system flows from the north to south. The consistent flow of the channel did not allow for plants to establish within the

streambed.

#### 3.3 Special-Status Species

Data review and special-status species searches found 55 special-status plant species and 30 special-status wildlife species with the potential to occur in the region of the Property (**Attachment B**). The name, regulatory status, distribution, habitat requirements, period of identification, and potential to occur for each species are listed in **Table 1**.

Based on the site-specific habitats and special-status species habitat requirements for each species that may occur within the vicinity of the Study Area, as shown in **Table 1**, the Study Area contains suitable habitat to potentially support 31 special-status plant species and 12 special-status animal species. Species with no potential to occur on the Study Area were ruled out based on lack of suitable habitat, soils, elevation, necessary substrate, and negative results during the survey if it coincided with the identifiable bloom period for plant species. The survey was conducted outside the bloom window of the potentially occurring special-status plant species.

Of the species with the potential to occur within the Study Area, the Property contains suitable habitat for the following special status animal species:

- western spadefoot toad (Spea hammondii)
- Coastal California gnatcatcher (Polioptila californica californica)
- Dulzura pocket mouse (Chaetodipus californicus femoralis)
- San Diego desert woodrat (Neotoma lepida intermedia)
- coast horned lizard (Phrynosoma blainvillii)
- Coastal whiptail (Aspidoscelis tigris stejnegri)

The Chaparral habitat found in the Study Area and Property provides suitable habitat and nesting habitat for the coastal California gnatcatcher. California gnatcatcher was not observed during the field survey and there are no recorded occurrences within the Property; however, it was observed within the Study Area (adjacent to the Property) in 2016 (**Figure 4**).

A monarch butterfly was observed on the Property during the survey. Milkweed which is used by the species for egg laying and nectar collection was not observed during the site survey. The species was found flying across the Property and was not observed landing on any particular plants.

#### 3.5 Critical Habitat

Proposed designated critical habitat for the Hermes copper butterfly occurs within the Study Area (USFWS, 2021b; **Attachment B**). Spiny redberry, the host plant for the federally proposed threatened Hermes Copper butterfly, does not occur within the property, but was observed in one location within the Study Area (outside of the Property) south of the riparian habitat area.

#### 3.4 WILDLIFE MOVEMENT

Wildlife movement is currently restricted to the east by development and the north and west by a barbed wire fence. The Property occurs just north of an ephemeral drainage that feeds a riverine system to the southeast of the Property, which may foster wildlife movement along the riparian fringes.

The Property is the northernmost part of the Jamul Ecological Reserve. Fauna observed throughout this habitat included lark sparrow (Chondestes grammacus), coyote (Canis latrans), American crow (Corvus brachyrhynchos), scrub jay (Aphelocoma californica), California towhee (Melozone crissalis), Monarch butterfly (Danaus plexippus), wrentit (Chamaea fasciata), red-tailed hawk (Buteo jamaicensis), raven (Corvus corax), desert cottontail (Sylvilagus audubonii), Costa's hummingbird (*Calypte costae*), and goldfinch (*Spinus tristis*).

**TABLE 1**REGIONALLY OCCURRING SPECIAL-STATUS SPECIES

SCIENTIFIC NAME COMMON NAME	FEDERAL/STATE /CNPS LIST	DISTRIBUTION	HABITAT REQUIREMENTS	PERIOD OF IDENTIFICATION	POTENTIAL TO OCCUR IN STUDY AREA
PLANTS					
Acanthominta ilicifolia San Diego thorn-mint	FT/CE/1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, coastal scrub, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 10-960 meters.	April-June	<b>No</b> , appropriate mesic habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Adolphia californica California adolphia	//2B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, coastal scrub, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. Elevations range from 10-740 meters.	December-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Ambrosia monogyra singlewhorl burrobrush	//2B.2	Known to occur in Orange, Riverside, Kern, San Bernardino, Imperial, and San Diego counties, and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and Sonoran desert scrub habitats. Found in sandy soils. Elevations range from 10-500 meters	August- November	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Ambrosia pumila San Diego ambrosia	FE//1B.1	Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in upper flood plain terraces and in chaparral, coastal scrub, and valley/ foothill grassland often in disturbed areas. Elevations range from 20-415 meters.	May - September	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Arctostaphylos otayensis Otay manzanita	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county.	Found in chaparral and cismontane woodland habitats. Elevations range from 275-1700 meters.	January-April	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Astragalus deanei Dean's milk-vetch	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, cismontane woodland, coastal scrub, riparian habitats. Elevations range from 75-695 meters.	February-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Astragalus oocarpus San Diego milk-vetch	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county.	Found in chaparral and cismontane woodland (openings) habitats. Elevations range from 305-1524 meters.	May-August	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.

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Atriplex pacifica South coast saltscale	//1B.2	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Santa Barbara, and Ventura counties, and Arizona, Baja California, and Sonora, Mexico.	Found in coastal bluff scrub, coastal dunes, coastal scrub, and playas. Elevations range from 0-140 meters.	May-October	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Bloomeria clevelandii San Diego goldenstar	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, coastal scrub, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 50-465 meters.	April-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
<i>Brodiaea orcuttii</i> Orcutt's brodiaea	//1B.1	Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in close-cone coniferous forest, chaparral, cismontane woodland, meadows and seeps, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 30-1692 meters.	May-July	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Calochortus dunnii Dunn's mariposa-lily	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in close-cone coniferous forest, chaparral, and valley and foothill grassland. Elevations range from 185-1830 meters.	April-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Carex obispoensis San Luis Obispo sedge	//1B.2	Known to occur in Monterey, San Diego, and San Luis Obispo counties and Baja California.	Found in close-cone coniferous forest, chaparral, coastal prairie, coastal scrub, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. Elevations range from 10-820 meters.	April-June	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat type is not found within the Study Area.
Ceanothus cyaneus Lakeside ceanothus	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in close-cone coniferous forest and chaparral habitats. Elevations range from 235-755 meters.	April-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Ceanothus otayensis Otay Mountain ceanothus	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral (gabbroic, metavolcanic) habitat. Elevations range from 600-1100 meters.	January-April	<b>No</b> , the Study Area is outside of the elevation range of this species.
Chorizanthe polygonoides var. longispina long-spined spineflower	//1B.2	Known to occur in Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, coastal scrub, meadows and seeps, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 30-1530 meters.	April-July	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.

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Clarkia delicata delicate clarkia	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and cismontane woodland habitats. Elevations range from 235-1000 meters.	April-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Clinopodium chandleri San Miguel savory	//1B.2	Known to occur in Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, cismontane woodland, coastal scrub, riparian woodland, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 120-1075 meters.	March-July	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Comarostaphylis diversifolia ssp. diversifolia summer holly	//1B.2	Known to occur in Orange and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and cismontane woodland habitats. Elevations range from 30-790 meters.	April-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Cordylanthus parviflorus small-flowered bird's- beak	//2B.3	Known to occur in San Bernardino and San Diego counties.	Found in Joshua tree woodland, Mojavean desert scrub, and pinyon and juniper woodland. Elevations range from 700-2200 meters.	August-October	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Corethrogyne filaginifolia var. incana San Diego sand aster	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California from fewer than 10 occurrences.	Found in coastal bluff scrub, chaparral, and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 3-115 meters.	June-September	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Cylindropuntia californica var. californica snake cholla	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 30-150 meters.	April-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Deinandra conjugens Otay tarplant	FT/CE/1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in coastal scrub and valley and foothill grassland habitats. Found in clay soils. Elevations range from 25-300 meters.	April-June	<b>No</b> , appropriate soils or habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Deinandra floribunda Tecate tarplant	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 70-1220 meters.	August-October	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Dicranostegia orcuttiana Orcutt's bird's-beak	//2B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in coastal scrub habitat. Elevations range from 10-350 meters.	April-July	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.

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Dudleya variegate variegated dudleya	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, cismontane woodland, coastal scrub, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 3-580 meters.	April-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Ericameria palmeri var. Palmeri Palmer's goldenbush	//1B.1	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, Kern, San Bernardino, and San Diego counties, and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 30-600 meters.	September- November	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Eryngium aristulatum var. parishii San Diego button- celery	FE/CE/1B.1	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in coastal scrub, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Found in mesic soils. Elevations range from 20-620 meters.	April-June	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Ferocactus viridescens San Diego barrel cactus	//2B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral, coastal scrub, valley and foothill grassland, and vernal pool habitats. Elevations range from 3-450 meters.	May-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
<i>Fraxinus parryi</i> chaparral ash	//2B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral habitat. Elevations range from 213-620 meters.	March-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Fremontodendron mexicanum Mexican flannelbush	FE/CR/1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in closed-coned coniferous forest, chaparral, and cismontane woodland habitats. Elevations range from 10-716 meters.	March-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Galium proliferum desert bedstraw	//2B.2	Known to occur in San Bernardino and San Diego counties.	Found in Joshua tree woodland, Mojavean desert scrub, and pinyon and juniper woodland. Elevations range from 1190-1630 meters.	March-June	<b>No</b> , the Study Area is outside of the elevation range of this species
<i>Grindelia hallii</i> San Diego gumplant	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Bernardino and San Diego counties.	Found in chaparral, lower montane coniferous forest, meadows and seeps, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. Elevations range from 185-1745 meters.	May-October	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Hesperocyparis forbesii Tecate cypress	//1B.1	Known to occur in Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in closed-coned coniferous forest, and chaparral habitats. Elevations range from 80-1500 meters.	Year-round	<b>No</b> , the species was not observed during the site survey.

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<i>Horkelia truncata</i> Ramona horkelia	//1B.3	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and cismontane woodland habitats. Elevations range from 400-1300 meters.	May-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Hosackia crassifolia var. otayensis Otay Mountain lotus	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral (metavolcanics, often disturbed areas) habitat. Elevations range from 213-620 meters.	May-August	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Isocoma menziesii var. decumbens decumbent goldenbush	//1B.1	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties, and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Found in sandy soils, often disturbed areas. Elevations range from 10-135 meters.	April-November	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Iva hayesiana San Diego marsh-elder	//2B.2	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, Santa Barbara, Ventura, and San Diego counties, and Baja California.	Found in marshes, swamps, and playas. Elevations range from 10-500 meters	April-October	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Lasthenia glabrata ssp. coulteri Coulter's goldfields	//1B.1	Known to occur in Colusa, Kern, Los Angeles, Merced, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Solano, Tehama, Tulare, Ventura, and Yolo Counties.	Found in marshes and swamps (coastal salt), playas, and vernal pools. Elevations range from 1-1220 meters.	February-June	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
<i>Lepechinia ganderi</i> Gander's pitcher sage	//1B.3	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California from fewer than 20 occurrences.	Found in close-cone coniferous forest, chaparral, coastal scrub, and valley and foothill grassland habitats. Elevations range from 305-1005 meters.	June-July	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Monardella hypoleuca ssp. Lanata felt-leaved monardella	//1B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and cismontane woodland habitats. Elevations range from 300-1575 meters.	June-August	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Nama stenocarpa mud nama	//2B.2	Known to occur in Imperial, Kings, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties, and Baja California.	Found in marshes and swamps (lake margins, riverbanks). Elevations range from 5-500 meters.	January-July	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Navarretia fossalis spreading navarretia	//1B.1	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Riverside, San Diego, and San Luis Obispo counties, and Baja California.	Found in chenopod scrub, marshes and swamps (shallow freshwater), playas, and vernal pools. Elevations range from 30-655 meters.	April-June	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.

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Nolina interrata Dehesa nolina	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral (gabbroic, metavolcanic, serpentinite) habitat. Elevations range from 185-855 meters.	June-July	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Orcuttia californica California Orcutt grass	//1B.1	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, and Ventura counties, and Baja California.	Found in vernal pools. Elevations range from 15-660 meters.	April-August	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Packera ganderi Gander's ragwort	//1B.2	Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties.	Found in chaparral (burned areas, gabbroic outcrops) habitat. Elevations range from 400-1200 meters.	April-June	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Pogogyne nudiuscula Otay Mesa mint	//1B.1	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in vernal pools. Elevations range from 90-250 meters.	May-July	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
Quercus cedrosensis Cedros Island oak	//2B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in close-cone coniferous forest, chaparral, and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 255-960 meters.	April-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
<i>Quercus dumosa</i> Nuttall's scrub oak	//1B.1	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Santa Barbara, and Ventura counties and Baja California.	Found in closed-coned coniferous forest, chaparral, and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 15-400 meters.	February-August	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Ribes canthariforme Moreno currant	//1B.3	Known to occur in San Diego county.	Found in chaparral and riparian scrub habitats. Elevations range from 340-1200 meters.	February-April	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Salvia munzii Munz's sage	//2B.2	Known to occur in San Diego county and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 115-1065 meters.	February-April	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.

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//2B.2	Known to occur in Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Los Angeles, Merced, Monterey, Orange, Riverside, Santa Barbara, San Benito, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Santa Catalina Island, Santa Cruz Island, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Solano, Santa Rosa Island, and Ventura counties and Baja California.	Sometimes alkaline soils. Chaparral, cismontane woodland, and coastal scrub. Elevations from 15-800 meters.	January-April	<b>Yes,</b> suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
//1B.1	Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 115-1065 meters.	Year-round	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
//2B.1	Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in Sonoran desert scrub (often mesic, sandy) habitat. Elevations range from 180-300 meters.	April-December	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
//1B.2	Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Santa Barbara, and Ventura counties, and Baja California.	Found in marshes and swamps (coastal salt). Elevations range from 0-5 meters.	March-October	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area.
//1B.2	Known to occur in Orange, Riverside, and San Diego counties and Baja California.	Found in chaparral and coastal scrub habitats. Elevations range from 165-1000 meters.	April-May	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
	//2B.2//1B.1//1B.2	Known to occur in Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Los Angeles, Merced, Monterey, Orange, Riverside, Santa Barbara, San Benito, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Santa Catalina Island, Santa Cruz Island, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Solano, Santa Rosa Island, and Ventura counties and Baja California.  Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties and Baja California.  Known to occur in Riverside and San Diego counties and Baja California.  Known to occur in Los Angeles, Orange, San Diego, Santa Barbara, and Ventura counties, and Baja California.  Known to occur in Orange, Riverside, and	Constribution	Known to occur in Alameda, Contra Costa, Fresno, Los Angeles, Merced, Monterey, Orange, Riverside, Santa Barbara, San Benito, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Island, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Solano, Santa Rosa Island, and Ventura counties and Baja California.

ANIMALS

Amphibians

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Anaxyrus californicus Arroyo toad	FE/CSC/	From Monterey County south to San Diego County.	Riparian habitats with a shallow, exposed bank, slow current, and sandy or gravelly substrate. The most favorable breeding habitat for arroyo toads consists of slow-moving streams with shallow pools, nearby sandbars, and adjacent stream terraces. Outside of the breeding season, arroyo toads are essentially terrestrial and are known to use a variety of upland habitats including but not limited to: sycamore-cottonwood woodlands, oak woodlands, coastal sage scrub, chaparral, and grassland.	March – July	<b>No,</b> appropriate riverine conditions were not observed during the survey.		
Spea hammondii western spadefoot toad	/CSC/	Known to occur from the north end of California's great central valley near Redding, south, east of the Sierras and the deserts, into northwest Baja California.	Mostly below 3,000 feet in elevation. Their aquatic habitat is vernal pools, temporary wetlands, rivers creeks, or temporary rain pools. Their terrestrial habitat is typically lowland habitats such as washes, river floodplains, alluvial fans, playas, alkali flats, foothills, or mountains. They prefer sandy or gravelly soil with open vegetation and short grasses (often in valley and foothill grasslands, open chaparral, and pine-oak woodland) (Butte HCP, 2011).	November- March	<b>Yes,</b> suitable habitat may be found within those observed on the Study Area.		
Birds	Birds						
Buteo swainsoni Swainson's hawk	/CT/	In California, breeds in the Central Valley, Klamath Basin, Northeastern Plateau, Lassen County, and Mojave Desert. Very limited breeding reported from Lanfair Valley, Owens Valley, Fish Lake Valley, Antelope Valley, and in eastern San Luis Obispo County.	Breeds in stands with few trees in junipersage flats, riparian areas, and in oak savannah. Requires adjacent suitable foraging areas such as grasslands, alfalfa, or grain fields supporting rodent populations.	March – October	<b>No,</b> suitable foraging habitat was not observed during the survey.		

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Empidonax traillii extimus southwestern willow flycatcher	FE/CE/	Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, and Santa Barbara counties. Breeding range occurs in California south of the Santa Ynez River.	Breeds in dense riparian habitats along rivers, streams, or other wetlands. The vegetation can be dominated by dense growths of willows or other shrubs and medium-sized trees. There may be an overstory of cottonwood, tamarisk, or other large trees. One of the most important characteristics of the habitat appears to be the presence of dense vegetation, usually throughout all vegetation layers present. Almost all Southwestern Willow Flycatcher breeding habitats are within close proximity (less than 60 feet) of water or very saturated soil. This water may be in the form of large rivers, smaller streams, springs, or marshes.	April-September	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the riparian habitat of the Study Area.
Polioptila californica californica Coastal California gnatcatcher	FT/CSC/	Occurs in coastal southern California south of Los Angeles. Also known to occur in Mexico.	Prefers coastal sage scrub, but is occasionally found in chaparral, riparian and grassland habitats adjacent to coastal sage scrub.	March - August	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral areas observed on the Study Area.
Vireo bellii pusillus least Bell's vireo	FE/CE/	Known to occur in Butte, Fresno, Imperial, Inyo, Kern, Los Angeles, Mariposa, Merced, Monterey, Orange, Riverside, Sacramento, San Benito, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehama, Ventura, Yolo, and Yuba counties. However some counties only have one occurrence.	Summer resident of Southern California in low riparian in vicinity of water or in dry river bottoms; below 2000 ft. Nests placed along margins of bushes or on twigs projecting into pathways, usually willow, Baccharis, mesquite. Found in riparian forest, riparian scrub, and riparian woodland.	All Year	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the riparian habitat of the Study Area.

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Setophaga petechia yellow warbler	/CSC/	Extends from southern California, north along the coast into northern California counties, from Mendocino to Lassen, and in the eastern counties. Sparse populations occur within the Central Valley.	Relatively low, open-canopy riparian woodlands (willow-cottonwood) or in montane chaparral situations in open conifer forest. In migration, it visits woodland, forests and shrublands.	Year round	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
<i>Icteria virens</i> yellow-breasted chat	-/CSC/-	Erratic and localized in occurrence. Common along western edge of southern deserts, in Santa Clara Co. and on coastal slope from Monterey Co. south; uncommon in foothills surrounding Central Valley. Winters in southern coastal lowlands, Colorado River Valley; and in Northern California in small numbers.	Nests in dense riparian habitats. Typical N CA habitats include valley foothill hardwood and valley foothill hardwood- conifer.	March - August	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Campylorhynchus brunneicapilus sandiegensis Coastal cactus wren	-/csc/-	Coastal populations of the Cactus Wren occur from southern Ventura county, southeast to the Baldwin Hills and the Palos Verdes Peninsula in Los Angeles County, and east along the southern flank of the San Gabriel and San Bernardino mountains from the northern San Fernando Valley in Los Angeles County to Mentone in San Bernardino County. Populations also extend south along the coastal slopes and interior valleys west of the Peninsular ranges in western Riverside, Orange, and San Diego counties to extreme northwestern Baja California, Mexico, in the vicinity of Tijuana and Valle de las Palmas	Coastal populations of the Cactus Wren are obligate inhabitants of coastal sage scrub, a natural vegetation community of low, semi-woody vegetation found only in coastal and near-coastal portions of the state, generally below 3000 ft While some coastal birds have been observed using riparian woodland areas below 2000 ft., it is unlikely that this habitat type is used for nesting.	All Year	<b>No,</b> appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Agelaius tricolor Tricolored blackbird	/CT, CSC/	California and Baja California, Mexico.	Nests in dense thickets of cattails, tules, willow, blackberry, wild rose, and other tall herbs near fresh water.	All Year	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Invertebrates					

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Branchinecta sandiegonensis San Diego fairy shrimp	FE//	The February 3, 1997, listing rule states that San Diego fairy shrimp were known to inhabit a minimum of 25 vernal pool complexes in coastal areas of San Diego, Orange, and Santa Barbara counties, and northwestern Baja California, Mexico (62 FR 4925).	San Diego fairy shrimp are generally restricted to vernal pools and other non-vegetated ephemeral (i.e., containing water a short time) basins 2 to 12 inches in depth in coastal southern California and northwestern Baja California, Mexico.	Consult Agency	No, appropriate ephemeral conditions were not observed during the survey.
Lycaena hermes Hermes copper butterfly	FC//	The Hermes copper ranges over 150 miles, from the vicinity of Fallbrook in northern San Diego County south to near Santo Tomás in Baja California, Mexico.	Found in coastal sage scrub and southern mixed chaparral habitats. Eggs are lain on the spiny redberry ( <i>Rhamnus crocea</i> ). Adults feed almost exclusively on nectar from California buckwheat ( <i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> ). For unknown reasons, the butterfly is restricted to only a small portion of the redberry range. It generally appears to utilize redberry stands growing in deeper, well-drained soils of canyon bottoms and north-facing hillsides, with host and nectar plants intermixed or in close proximity.	Consult Agency	Yes, the host plant for this species, the spiny redberry, was observed within the Study Area (not on the Property)
Danus plexippus Monarch butterfly	FC//	Known to occur in Mexico and north America. Populations that occur where winter conditions are not suitable travel along well-established migratory routes to overwintering areas. Overwintering sites are known to occur in Mexico and coastal California.	Migratory populations begin migration in the fall and can be found along established migratory routes where nectar sources are available. During breeding (typically February to March), monarch butterflies require milkweed to lay their eggs on. Overwintering monarchs require sites with sufficient roosts for the population (such as eucalyptus trees) that provide appropriate sunlight and shelter from the wind. Where climate is suitable for year round habitation, monarchs are found in areas with nectar sources and milkweed as breeding can occur year round.	Year round	Yes, A monarch butterfly was observed during the survey. Milkweeds were not observed during the survey.

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Euphydryas editha quino Quino checkerspot butterfly	FE//	This species is currently known only from western Riverside County, southern San Diego County, and northern Baja California, Mexico.	Adults tend to occur in barren spots amidst low growing vegetation and avoid densely wooded areas and other types of closed canopy vegetation. Common host plant in this part of San Diego County is Plantago erecta, Plantago erecta occurs in southern California within annual forbland, scrub, grassland, and open chaparral plant communities. It can be found on soils with or without cryptogamic crusts (a thin organic crust composed of cyanobacteria, lichens, mosses, and fungi), and is often associated with fine-textured clay soils.	Consult Agency	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Mammals					
<i>Lasiurus blossevillii</i> western red bat	/CSC/	Occurs from Shasta County to the Mexican border, west of the Sierra Nevada/Cascade crest and deserts.	The winter range includes western lowlands and coastal regions south of San Francisco Bay. Roosting habitat includes forests and woodlands from sea level up through mixed conifer forests. Roosts primarily in trees (less often in shrubs) along the edge of habitats adjacent to streams, fields or urban areas. Foraging habitats occurs in open areas. They may be found in unusual habitats during migration.	Year Round (spring migrations March to May AND autumn migrations September to October)	<b>No</b> , appropriate roosting habitat is not found within the Study Area
Lasiurus xanthihus western yellow bat	/CSC/	The western yellow bat is uncommon in California, known only in Los Angeles and San Bernardino Cos. south to the Mexican border.	This species has been recorded below 600 m (2000 ft) in valley foothill riparian, desert riparian, desert wash, and palm oasis habitats.	All Year	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the riparian habitat within the Study Area.

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Corynorhinus townsendii Townsend's big-eared bat	/CSC/	Known to occur throughout California, excluding subalpine and alpine habitats. Its range extends through Mexico to British Columbia and the Rocky Mountain states. Also occurs in several regions of the central Appalachians.	Requires caves, mines, tunnels, buildings, or other cave analog structures such as hallowed out redwoods for roosting. Hibernation sites must be cold, but above freezing.	Year-round	<b>No</b> , appropriate roosting habitat is not found within the Study Area
Antrozous pallidus pallid bat	/CSC/	Locally common species at low elevations. It occurs throughout California except for the high Sierra Nevada from Shasta to Kern counties, and the northwestern corner of the state from Del Norte and western Siskiyou counties to northern Mendocino county.	Habitats occupied include grasslands, shrublands, woodlands, and forests from sea level up through mixed conifer forests, generally below 2,000 meters. The species is most common in open, dry habitats with rocky areas for roosting. Roosts also include cliffs, abandoned buildings, bird boxes, under exfoliating bark, and under bridges.	Year-round	<b>No</b> , appropriate roosting habitat is not found within the Study Area
Eumops perotis californicus western mastiff bat	/CSC/	From central California, southward to central Mexico. In California, they have been recorded from Butte County southward in the western lowlands through the southern California coastal basins and the western portions of the southeastern desert region.	Favor rugged, rocky areas where suitable crevices are available for day-roosts. Characteristically, day-roosts are located in large cracks in exfoliating slabs of granite or sandstone.	All year	No, appropriate roosting habitat is not found within the Study Area
Nyctinomops macrotis big free-tailed bat	/CSC/	Rare in California. Records of the species are from urban areas of San Diego Co., and vagrants found in fall and winter. A probable vagrant was collected in Alameda Co., but this record is suspect.	Big free-tailed bats in other areas prefer rugged, rocky terrain. Found to 2500 m (8000 ft) in New Mexico, southern Arizona, and Texas. Roosts in buildings, caves, and occasionally in holes in trees. Also roosts in crevices in high cliffs or rock outcrop. Probably does not breed in California.	May - September	<b>No</b> , appropriate roosting habitat is not found within the Study Area
Nyctinomops femorosaccus pocketed free-tailed bat	/CSC/	It inhabits the southwestern United States and northwestern Mexico. The bat has been seen in southern Arizona, southern California, southeastern New Mexico, western Texas, and into Mexico to the state of Michoacan.	Pocketed Free-tailed Bats are primarily desert bats, found in the southwestern United States and western Mexico. They roost in crevices of cliffs and rocky outgroups, in groups numbering up to about 100 individuals.	All year	<b>No</b> , appropriate roosting habitat is not found within the Study Area

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Lepus californicus bennettii San Diego black-tailed jackrabbit	/CSC/	Ranges from Los Padres National Forest southward and west of the peninsular range into northwestern Baja California, Mexico	Preferred habitats include open grasslands, agricultural fields, and sparse coastal scrub. Not typically found in high grass or dense brush. Nesting sites are generally under bushes or shrubs that have shallow depressions and are occasionally lined with fur.	All year	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Chaetodipus californicus femoralis Dulzura pocket mouse	/CSC/	Common resident of sandy herbaceous areas, usually in association with rocks or course gravel in southwestern California. In San Diego Co., occurs mainly in arid coastal and desert border areas. Range also includes portions of Riverside and San Bernardino cos.	Elevational range is from sea level to 1350 m (4500 ft) (Santa Rosa Mts., Riverside Co.) and 1800 m (6000 ft) (Cactus Flat, north slope San Bernardino Mts.). Habitats of the San Diego pocket mouse include coastal scrub, chamise-redshank chaparral, mixed chaparral, sagebrush, desert wash, desert scrub, desert succulent shrub, pinyon-juniper, and annual grassland.	All Year	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
Neotoma lepida intermedia San Diego desert woodrat	/CSC/	It is found in northeastern California in Great Basin areas of eastern Modoc Co. to southeastern Lassen Co. Inhabits virtually all of southern California, with range extending northward along the coast to Monterey Co., and along the Coast Range to San Francisco Bay. In southeastern California, found from southern Mono Co. south throughout the Mojave Desert and from north-central Tulare Co. south through the Tehachapi and San Bernardino Mts.	Common to abundant in Joshua tree, pinyon-juniper, mixed and chamiseredshank chaparral, sagebrush, and most desert habitats. Also found in a variety of other habitats. Most abundant in rocky areas with Joshua trees. Elevational range from sea level to 2600 m (8500 ft). Northern and elevational distribution may be limited by temperature	All Year	<b>Yes,</b> suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.
<i>Taxidea taxus</i> American badger	/CSC/	Found throughout most of California in suitable habitat.	Suitable habitat occurs in the drier open stages of most shrub, forest, and herbaceous habitats with friable soils. Badgers are generally associated with treeless regions, prairies, parklands, and cold desert areas.	All Year	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area

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Reptiles								
Emys marmorata western pond turtle	/CSC/	Distribution ranges from Washington to northern Baja California.	Inhabit rivers, streams, lakes, ponds, reservoirs, stock ponds, and permanent wetland habitats with basking sites.	Year-round	No, appropriate habitat to provide a permanently wet condition was not found within the Study Area			
Anniella stenninsi Southern legless lizard	/CSC/	Found throughout Southern California south of the Transverse Ranges into northern Baja California, Mexico	Occurs in moist warm loose soil with plant cover. Moisture is essential. Occurs in sparsely vegetated areas of beach dunes, chaparral, pine-oak woodlands, desert scrub, sandy washes, and stream terraces with sycamores, cottonwoods, or oaks. Leaf litter under trees and bushes in sunny areas and dunes stabilized with bush lupine and mock heather often indicate suitable habitat. Often can be found under surface objects such as rocks, boards, driftwood, and logs.	All Year	No, appropriate habitat to provide mesic conditions was not found within the Study Area			
Phrynosoma blainvillii coast horned lizard	/CSC/	Found in parts of the historical range spanning from the Baja California border west of the deserts and Sierra Nevada, north to the Bay Area and inland as far north as the Shasta Reservoir. Onto the Kern Plateau east of the crest of the Sierra Nevada.	Open areas of sandy soil and low vegetation in valleys, foothills, and semiarid mountains. Also grasslands, coniferous forests, woodlands, and chaparral, with open patches of loose soil. Also lowlands along sandy washes with scattered shrubs and along dirt roads or near ant hills.	Spring-Early Fall	Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.			
Aspidoscelis tigris stejnegri Coastal whiptail	/CSC/	This subspecies is found in coastal Southern California, mostly west of the Peninsular Ranges and south of the Transverse Ranges, and north into Ventura County. Ranges south into Baja California.	t of the the the to		Yes, suitable habitat may be found within the chaparral habitat within the Study Area.			

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Masticophis fuliginosus Baja California coachwhip	/CSC/	Occurs in California only in a small area of southern San Diego County limited to 6 miles (10km) north of the Baja California border	A habitat generalist in Baja California, inhabiting scrub, coastal sand dunes, rocky arroyos, thorn forests, marshlands, and sandy flats. In California, found mainly in open areas such as grassland, shrubland, and coastal sand dunes.	April- August	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area
Thamnophis hammondii Two-striped gartersnake	/CSC/	Ranges continuously from near Salinas in Monterey County south along the coast mostly west of the south Coast Ranges, to southern California where it ranges east through the Transverse Ranges, and south through the coastal area and the Peninsular Ranges into northern Baja California. Occurs in some perennial desert slope streams north of the Transverse Ranges and east of the Peninsular Ranges, and into the Mohave Desert in Victorville. Also occurs on Catalina Island.	Among the most aquatic of the gartersnakes. Generally found near water sources - pools, creeks, cattle tanks, and others, often in rocky areas. Associated vegetation: oak woodland, willow, coastal sage scrub, scrub oak, sparse pine, chaparral, and brushland.	Late March- October	<b>Yes,</b> suitable habitat may be found within the riparian habitat within the Study Area.
Crotalus ruber Red-diamond rattlesnake	/CSC/	Found in southwestern California, from the Morongo Valley west to the coast and south along the peninsular ranges to mid Baja California.	Inhabits arid scrub, coastal chaparral, oak and pine woodlands, rocky grassland, cultivated areas. On the desert slopes of the mountains, it ranges into rocky desert flats.	July-September	<b>No</b> , appropriate habitat is not found within the Study Area

#### STATUS CODES:

FEDERAL: United States Fish and Wildlife Service

FE Federally Endangered FT Federally Threatened

FC Candidate for Federal Listing

STATE: California Department of Fish and Game

CE California Listed Endangered

CT California Listed Threatened

CSC California Species of Special Concern

CNPS: California Native Plant Society (California Rare Plant Rank [CRPR])

- 1A Plants Presumed Extinct in California
- 1B Plants Rare, Threatened, or Endangered in California and Elsewhere
- 2B Plants Rare, Threatened, or Endangered in California, But More Common Elsewhere
- 3 Plants About Which We Need More Information A Review List
- 4 Plants of Limited Distribution A Watch List

#### **CNPS Threat Ranks:**

- 0.1 Seriously Threatened in California (Over 80% of occurrences threatened/high degree and immediacy of threat)
- 0.2 Fairly Threatened in California (20-80% occurrences threatened/moderate degree and immediacy of threat)
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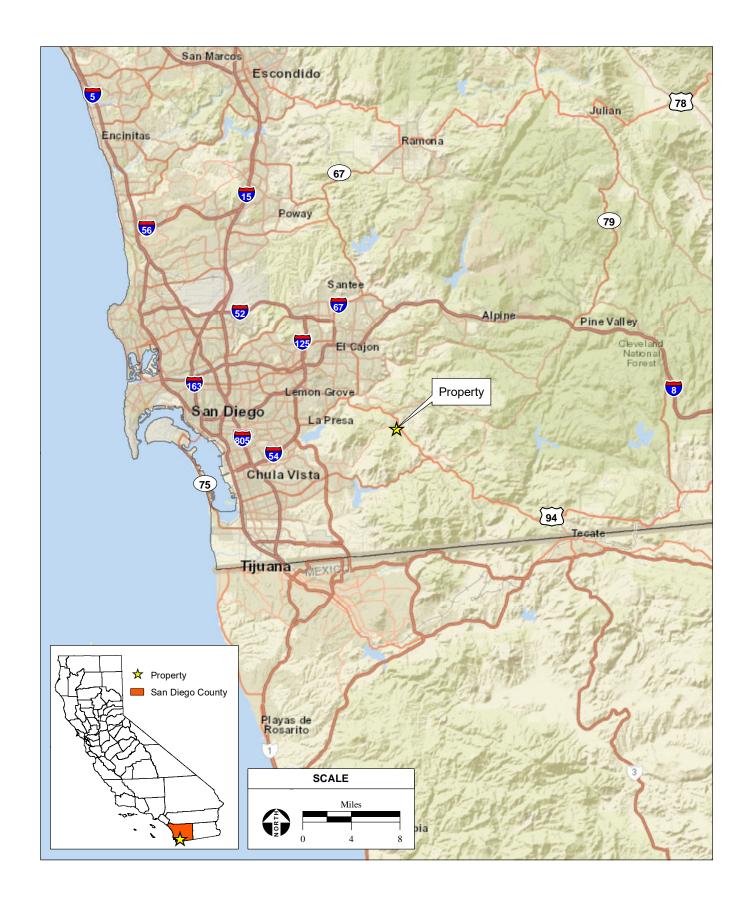
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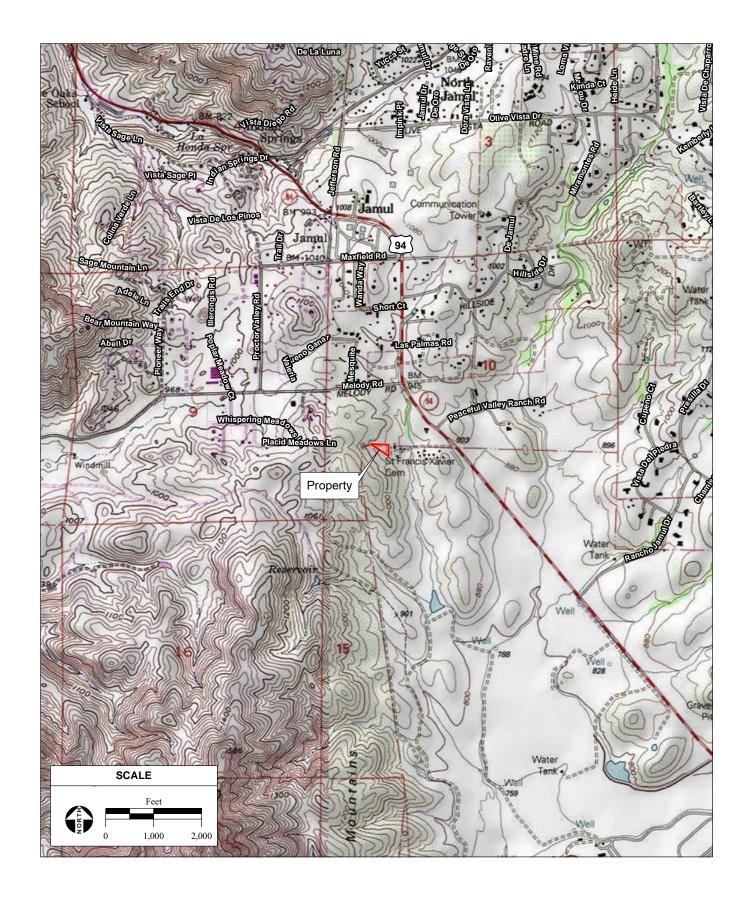
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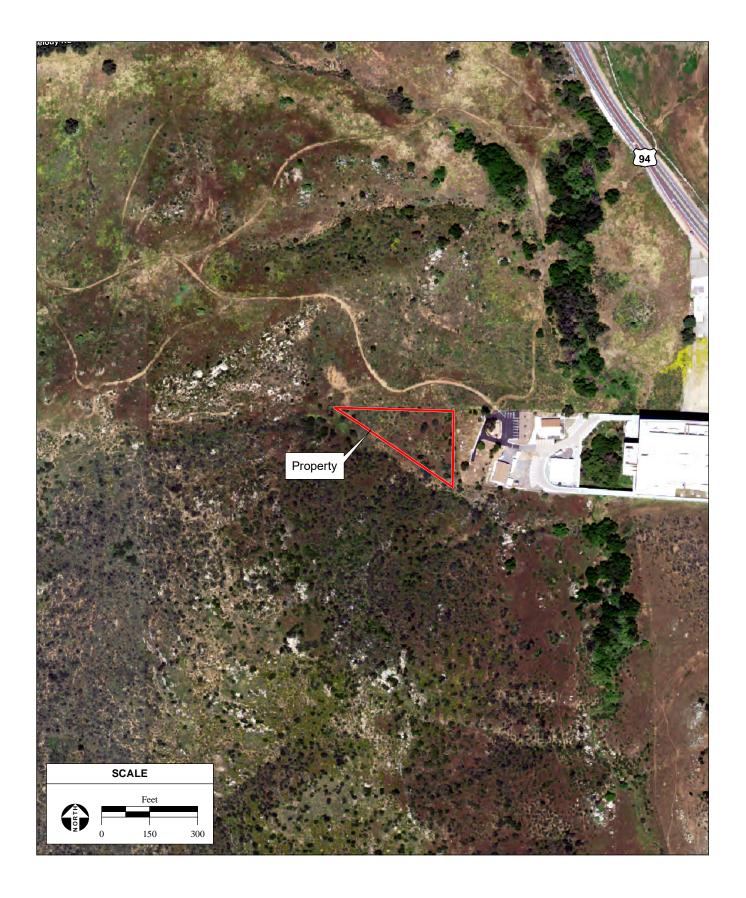
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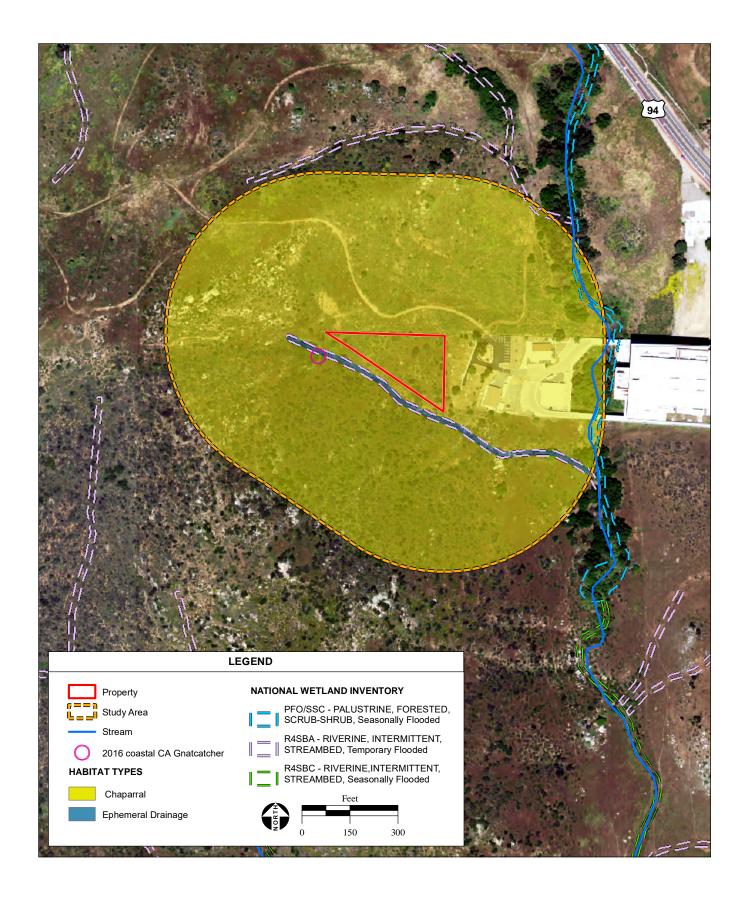
## ATTACHMENT A

MAPS









### ATTACHMENT B

Species SEARCH RESULTS



# California Department of Fish and Wildlife California Natural Diversity Database



Query Criteria: Quad<span style='color:Red'> IS </span>(Dulzura (3211667)<span style='color:Red'> OR </span>Jamul Mountains (3211668))

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		hoary bat					
western red bat	AMACC05060	Lasiurus blossevillii	None	None	G4	S3	SSC
		western red bat					





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AMACC05070	Lasiurus xanthinus	None	None	G4G5	S3	SSC
7 11111 10 00001 0	western yellow bat	110110	110110	0.00	00	000
AMACC08010	Corynorhinus townsendii	None	None	G4	S2	SSC
	Townsend's big-eared bat					
AMACC10010	Antrozous pallidus	None	None	G4	S3	SSC
	pallid bat					
AMACD02011	Eumops perotis californicus	None	None	G4G5T4	S3S4	SSC
	western mastiff bat					
AMACD04010	Nyctinomops femorosaccus	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
	pocketed free-tailed bat					
AMACD04020	Nyctinomops macrotis	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
	big free-tailed bat					
AMAEB03051	Lepus californicus bennettii	None	None	G5T3T4	S3S4	SSC
	San Diego black-tailed jackrabbit					
AMAFD05021	Chaetodipus californicus femoralis	None	None	G5T3	S3	SSC
	Dulzura pocket mouse					
AMAFF08041	Neotoma lepida intermedia	None	None	G5T3T4	S3S4	SSC
	San Diego desert woodrat					
AMAJF04010	Taxidea taxus	None	None	G5	S3	SSC
	American badger					
ARAAD02030	Emys marmorata	None	None	G3G4	S3	SSC
	western pond turtle					
ARACC01060	Anniella stebbinsi	None	None	G3	S3	SSC
	Southern California legless lizard					
ARACF12100	Phrynosoma blainvillii	None	None	G3G4	S3S4	SSC
	coast horned lizard					
ARACH01114	Plestiodon skiltonianus interparietalis	None	None	G5T5	S2S3	WL
	Coronado skink					
ARACJ02060	Aspidoscelis hyperythra	None	None	G5	S2S3	WL
	orange-throated whiptail					
ARACJ02143	Aspidoscelis tigris stejnegeri	None	None	G5T5	S3	SSC
	coastal whiptail					
ARADB1001A	Diadophis punctatus similis	None	None	G5T4Q	S2?	
	San Diego ringneck snake					
ARADB21026	Masticophis fuliginosus	None	None	G5	S1S2	SSC
	Baja California coachwhip					
ARADB36160	Thamnophis hammondii	None	None	G4	S3S4	SSC
	two-striped gartersnake					
ARADE02090	Crotalus ruber	None	None	G4	S3	SSC
	red-diamond rattlesnake			_		
CTT44322CA	San Diego Mesa Claypan Vernal Pool	None	None	G2	S2.1	
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CTT61310CA	Southern Coast Live Oak Riparian Forest Southern Coast Live Oak Riparian Forest	None	None	G4	S4	,
CTT83230CA	Southern Interior Cypress Forest Southern Interior Cypress Forest	None	None	G2	S2.1	
ICBRA03060	Branchinecta sandiegonensis San Diego fairy shrimp	Endangered	None	G2	S2	
IICOLX8010	Deltaspis ivae marsh-elder long-horned beetle	None	None	G1	S1	
IIHYM24480	Bombus crotchii Crotch bumble bee	None	None	G3G4	S1S2	
IILEPC1160	Lycaena hermes Hermes copper butterfly	Proposed Threatened	None	G1	S1	
IILEPE2150	Callophrys thornei Thorne's hairstreak	None	None	G1	S2	
IILEPK405L	Euphydryas editha quino quino checkerspot butterfly	Endangered	None	G5T1T2	S1S2	
NBHEP35030	Sphaerocarpos drewiae bottle liverwort	None	None	G1	S1	1B.1
PDAPI0Z042	Eryngium aristulatum var. parishii San Diego button-celery	Endangered	Endangered	G5T1	S1	1B.1
PDAST0C0M0	Ambrosia pumila San Diego ambrosia	Endangered	None	G1	S1	1B.1
PDAST0S160	Artemisia palmeri San Diego sagewort	None	None	G3?	S3?	4.2
PDAST2M025	Corethrogyne filaginifolia var. incana San Diego sand aster	None	None	G4T1Q	S1	1B.1
PDAST3L0C1	Ericameria palmeri var. palmeri Palmer's goldenbush	None	None	G4T2?	S2	1B.1
PDAST470D4	Grindelia hallii San Diego gumplant	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
PDAST4R070	<b>Deinandra conjugens</b> Otay tarplant	Threatened	Endangered	G1	S1	1B.1
PDAST4R0B0	<b>Deinandra floribunda</b> Tecate tarplant	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
PDAST50010	Ambrosia monogyra singlewhorl burrobrush	None	None	G5	S2	2B.2
PDAST57091	Isocoma menziesii var. decumbens decumbent goldenbush	None	None	G3G5T2T3	S2	1B.2
PDAST580A0	Iva hayesiana San Diego marsh-elder	None	None	G3	S2	2B.2
PDAST5L0A1	Lasthenia glabrata ssp. coulteri Coulter's goldfields	None	None	G4T2	S2	1B.1





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PDAST8H060	Senecio aphanactis	None	None	G3	S2	2B.2
. 27101011000	chaparral ragwort				02	
PDAST8H1F0	Packera ganderi	None	Rare	G2	S2	1B.2
	Gander's ragwort					
PDBOR0H010	Harpagonella palmeri	None	None	G4	S3	4.2
	Palmer's grapplinghook					
PDBRA1M114	Lepidium virginicum var. robinsonii	None	None	G5T3	S3	4.3
	Robinson's pepper-grass					
PDBRA2G060	Streptanthus bernardinus	None	None	G3G4	S3S4	4.3
	Laguna Mountains jewelflower					
PDCAC08060	Ferocactus viridescens	None	None	G3?	S2S3	2B.1
	San Diego barrel cactus					
PDCAC0D2Y1	Cylindropuntia californica var. californica	None	None	G3T2	S1	1B.1
	snake cholla					
PDCHE041C0	Atriplex pacifica	None	None	G4	S2	1B.2
	south coast saltscale					
PDCHE0P0D0	Suaeda esteroa	None	None	G3	S2	1B.2
	estuary seablite					
PDCRA040R0	Dudleya variegata	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
	variegated dudleya					
PDERI040Y0	Arctostaphylos otayensis	None	None	G1	S1	1B.2
	Otay manzanita					
PDERI0B011	Comarostaphylis diversifolia ssp. diversifolia	None	None	G3T2	S2	1B.2
	summer holly					
PDEUP1C010	Tetracoccus dioicus	None	None	G2G3	S2	1B.2
	Parry's tetracoccus					
PDFAB0F2R0	Astragalus deanei	None	None	G1	S1	1B.1
DDE 4 D0 E0 D0	Dean's milk-vetch	Ness	Mana	000	000	40.0
PDFAB0F6B0	Astragalus oocarpus San Diego milk-vetch	None	None	G2?	S2?	1B.2
PDFAG050D0	Quercus dumosa	None	None	G3	<b>S</b> 3	1B.1
PDFAG050D0	Nuttall's scrub oak	None	none	GS	33	ID.I
PDFAG05650	Quercus cedrosensis	None	None	G3	S1	2B.2
1 DI AG03030	Cedros Island oak	None	None	03	31	20.2
PDGRO02070	Ribes canthariforme	None	None	G2	S2	1B.3
1 201(002070	Moreno currant	None	None	02	O2	15.0
PDHYD0A0H0	Nama stenocarpa	None	None	G4G5	S1S2	2B.2
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PDLAM01010	Acanthomintha ilicifolia	Threatened	Endangered	G1	S1	1B.1
	San Diego thorn-mint		3-1	-	-	
PDLAM08030	Clinopodium chandleri	None	None	G3	S2	1B.2
	San Miguel savory					





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PDLAM0V040	Lepechinia ganderi Gander's pitcher sage	None	None	G3	S3	1B.3
PDLAM180A2	Monardella hypoleuca ssp. lanata felt-leaved monardella	None	None	G4T3	S3	1B.2
PDLAM1S140	Salvia munzii Munz's sage	None	None	G2	S2	2B.2
PDOLE040K0	Fraxinus parryi chaparral ash	None	None	G3?	S1	2B.2
PDONA050D0	Clarkia delicata delicate clarkia	None	None	G3	<b>S</b> 3	1B.2
PDPGN040K1	Chorizanthe polygonoides var. longispina long-spined spineflower	None	None	G5T3	S3	1B.2
PDPLM0C080	Navarretia fossalis spreading navarretia	Threatened	None	G2	S2	1B.1
PDRAN0H031	Myosurus minimus ssp. apus little mousetail	None	None	G5T2Q	S2	3.1
PDRHA01010	Adolphia californica California adolphia	None	None	G3	S2	2B.1
PDRHA04070	Ceanothus cyaneus Lakeside ceanothus	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2
PDRHA04430	Ceanothus otayensis Otay Mountain ceanothus	None	None	G1G2	S1	1B.2
PDROS0W0G0	Horkelia truncata  Ramona horkelia	None	None	G3	S3	1B.3
PDRUB0N1V0	Galium proliferum desert bedstraw	None	None	G5	S2	2B.2
PDSCR0J0G0	Dicranostegia orcuttiana Orcutt's bird's-beak	None	None	G2G3	S1	2B.1
PDSCR1U010	Stemodia durantifolia purple stemodia	None	None	G5	S2	2B.1
PDSTE03020	Fremontodendron mexicanum  Mexican flannelbush	Endangered	Rare	G2	S1	1B.1
PGCUP040C0	Hesperocyparis forbesii Tecate cypress	None	None	G2	S2	1B.1
PMAGA08070	Nolina interrata  Dehesa nolina	None	Endangered	G2	S2	1B.1
PMCYP039J0	Carex obispoensis San Luis Obispo sedge	None	None	G3?	S3?	1B.2
PMLIL0C0B0	Brodiaea orcuttii Orcutt's brodiaea	None	None	G2	S2	1B.1
PMLIL0D0C0	Calochortus dunnii  Dunn's mariposa-lily	None	Rare	G2G3	S2S3	1B.2



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PMLIL1H010	Bloomeria clevelandii	None	None	G2	S2	1B.1
	San Diego goldenstar					
PMPOA4G010	Orcuttia californica	Endangered	Endangered	G1	S1	1B.1
	California Orcutt grass					

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<u>Acanthomintha</u> <u>ilicifolia</u>	San Diego thorn-mint	Lamiaceae	annual herb	Apr-Jun	FT	CE	G1	S1	1B.1	No Photo
Adolphia californica	California adolphia	Rhamnaceae	perennial deciduous shrub	Dec-May	None	None	G3	S2	2B.1	No Phot Available
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<u>Ambrosia pumila</u>	San Diego ambrosia	Asteraceae	perennial rhizomatous herb	Apr-Oct	FE	None	G1	S1	1B.1	No Phot
Arctostaphylos otayensis	Otay manzanita	Ericaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Jan-Apr	None	None	G1	S1	1B.2	No Phot Available
<u>Astragalus deanei</u>	Dean's milk- vetch	Fabaceae	perennial herb	Feb-May	None	None	G1	S1	1B.1	No Phot
<u>Astragalus oocarpus</u>	San Diego milk-vetch	Fabaceae	perennial herb	May-Aug	None	None	G2?	S2?	1B.2	No Phot
<u>Atriplex pacifica</u>	south coast saltscale	Chenopodiaceae	annual herb	Mar-Oct	None	None	G4	S2	1B.2	No Phot
<u>Bloomeria</u> clevelandii	San Diego goldenstar	Themidaceae	perennial bulbiferous herb	Apr-May	None	None	G2	S2	1B.1	No Phot
Brodiaea orcuttii	Orcutt's brodiaea	Themidaceae	perennial bulbiferous herb	May-Jul	None	None	G2	S2	1B.1	No Pho
Calochortus dunnii	Dunn's mariposa-lily	Liliaceae	perennial bulbiferous herb	(Feb)Apr- Jun	None	CR	G2G3	S2S3	1B.2	No Phot
Carex obispoensis	San Luis Obispo sedge	Cyperaceae	perennial cespitose herb	Apr-Jun	None	None	G3?	S3?	1B.2	No Pho
Ceanothus cyaneus	Lakeside ceanothus	Rhamnaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Apr-Jun	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	No Phot

<u>Ceanothus otayensis</u>	Otay Mountain ceanothus	Rhamnaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Jan-Apr	None	None	G1G2	S1	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Chorizanthe</u> <u>polygonoides var.</u> <u>longispina</u>	long-spined spineflower	Polygonaceae	annual herb	Apr-Jul	None	None	G5T3	S3	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Clarkia delicata</u>	delicate clarkia	Onagraceae	annual herb	Apr-Jun	None	None	G3	S3	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Clinopodium</u> <u>chandleri</u>	San Miguel savory	Lamiaceae	perennial shrub	Mar-Jul	None	None	G3	S2	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Comarostaphylis</u> <u>diversifolia ssp.</u> <u>diversifolia</u>	summer holly	Ericaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Apr-Jun	None	None	G3T2	S2	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Cordylanthus</u> <u>parviflorus</u>	small- flowered bird's-beak	Orobanchaceae	annual herb (hemiparasitic)	Aug-Oct	None	None	G4	S2	2B.3	No Photo Available
<u>Corethrogyne</u> <u>filaginifolia var. incana</u>	San Diego sand aster	Asteraceae	perennial herb	Jun-Sep	None	None	G4T1Q	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Cylindropuntia</u> californica var. californica	snake cholla	Cactaceae	perennial stem	Apr-May	None	None	G3T2	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
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<u>Dudleya variegata</u>	variegated dudleya	Crassulaceae	perennial herb	Apr-Jun	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Ericameria palmeri</u> var. palmeri	Palmer's goldenbush	Asteraceae	perennial evergreen shrub	(Jul)Sep- Nov	None	None	G4T2?	S2	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Eryngium</u> aristulatum var. parishii	San Diego button-celery	Apiaceae	annual/perennial herb	Apr-Jun	FE	CE	G5T1	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
Ferocactus viridescens	San Diego barrel cactus	Cactaceae	perennial stem	May-Jun	None	None	G3?	S2S3	2B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Fraxinus parryi</u>	chaparral ash	Oleaceae	perennial shrub	Mar-May	None	None	G3?	S1	2B.2	No Photo

Fremontodendron mexicanum	Mexican flannelbush	Malvaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Mar-Jun	FE	CR	G2	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Galium proliferum</u>	desert bedstraw	Rubiaceae	annual herb	Mar-Jun	None	None	G5	S2	2B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Grindelia hallii</u>	San Diego gumplant	Asteraceae	perennial herb	May-Oct	None	None	G2	S2	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Hesperocyparis</u> f <u>orbesii</u>	Tecate cypress	Cupressaceae	perennial evergreen tree		None	None	G2	S2	1B.1	No Photo Available
Horkelia truncata	Ramona horkelia	Rosaceae	perennial herb	May-Jun	None	None	G3	S3	1B.3	No Photo Available
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<u>Iva hayesiana</u>	San Diego marsh-elder	Asteraceae	perennial herb	Apr-Oct	None	None	G3	S2	2B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Lasthenia glabrata</u> <u>ssp. coulteri</u>	Coulter's goldfields	Asteraceae	annual herb	Feb-Jun	None	None	G4T2	S2	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Lepechinia ganderi</u>	Gander's pitcher sage	Lamiaceae	perennial shrub	Jun-Jul	None	None	G3	S3	1B.3	No Photo Available
<u>Monardella</u> <u>hypoleuca ssp.</u> <u>lanata</u>	felt-leaved monardella	Lamiaceae	perennial rhizomatous herb	Jun-Aug	None	None	G4T3	S3	1B.2	No Photo Available
Nama stenocarpa	mud nama	Namaceae	annual/perennial herb	Jan-Jul	None	None	G4G5	S1S2	2B.2	No Photo Available
Navarretia fossalis	spreading navarretia	Polemoniaceae	annual herb	Apr-Jun	FT	None	G2	S2	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Nolina interrata</u>	Dehesa nolina	Ruscaceae	perennial herb	Jun-Jul	None	CE	G2	S2	1B.1	No Photo Available
Orcuttia californica	California Orcutt grass	Poaceae	annual herb	Apr-Aug	FE	CE	G1	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Packera ganderi</u>	Gander's ragwort	Asteraceae	perennial herb	Apr-Jun	None	CR	G2	S2	1B.2	No Photo

<u>Pogogyne</u> <u>nudiuscula</u>	Otay Mesa mint	Lamiaceae	annual herb	May-Jul	FE	CE	G1	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
Quercus cedrosensis	Cedros Island oak	Fagaceae	perennial evergreen tree	Apr-May	None	None	G3	S1	2B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Quercus dumosa</u>	Nuttall's scrub oak	Fagaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Feb- Apr(May- Aug)	None	None	G3	S3	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Ribes canthariforme</u>	Moreno currant	Grossulariaceae	perennial deciduous shrub	Feb-Apr	None	None	G2	S2	1B.3	No Photo Available
<u>Salvia munzii</u>	Munz's sage	Lamiaceae	perennial evergreen shrub	Feb-Apr	None	None	G2	S2	2B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Senecio aphanactis</u>	chaparral ragwort	Asteraceae	annual herb	Jan- Apr(May)	None	None	G3	S2	2B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Sphaerocarpos</u> <u>drewiae</u>	bottle liverwort	Sphaerocarpaceae	ephemeral liverwort		None	None	G1	S1	1B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Stemodia</u> <u>durantifolia</u>	purple stemodia	Plantaginaceae	perennial herb	(Jan)Apr- Dec	None	None	G5	S2	2B.1	No Photo Available
<u>Suaeda esteroa</u>	estuary seablite	Chenopodiaceae	perennial herb	(Jan- May)Jul- Oct	None	None	G3	S2	1B.2	No Photo Available
<u>Tetracoccus dioicus</u>	Parry's tetracoccus	Picrodendraceae	perennial deciduous shrub	Apr-May	None	None	G2G3	S2	1B.2	No Photo Available

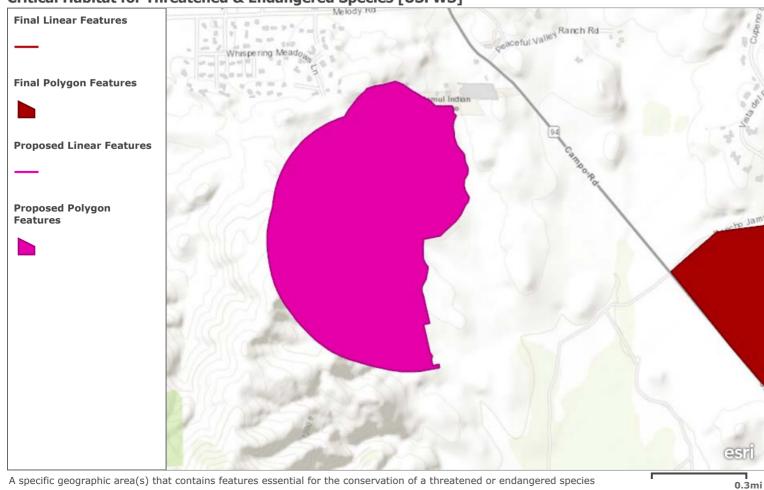
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Project Name: Jamul

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project

location or may be affected by your proposed project

#### To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, and proposed species, designated critical habitat, and candidate species that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 *et seq.*), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

A Biological Assessment is required for construction projects (or other undertakings having similar physical impacts) that are major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment as defined in the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4332(2) (c)). For projects other than major construction activities, the Service suggests that a biological evaluation similar to a Biological Assessment be prepared to determine whether the project may affect listed or proposed species and/or designated or proposed critical habitat. Recommended contents of a Biological Assessment are described at 50 CFR 402.12.

If a Federal agency determines, based on the Biological Assessment or biological evaluation, that listed species and/or designated critical habitat may be affected by the proposed project, the agency is required to consult with the Service pursuant to 50 CFR 402. In addition, the Service recommends that candidate species, proposed species and proposed critical habitat be addressed within the consultation. More information on the regulations and procedures for section 7 consultation, including the role of permit or license applicants, can be found in the "Endangered Species Consultation Handbook" at:

http://www.fws.gov/endangered/esa-library/pdf/TOC-GLOS.PDF

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(http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/eagle\_guidance.html). Additionally, wind energy projects should follow the wind energy guidelines (http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/) for minimizing impacts to migratory birds and bats.

Guidance for minimizing impacts to migratory birds for projects including communications towers (e.g., cellular, digital television, radio, and emergency broadcast) can be found at: http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/towers.htm; http://www.towerkill.com; and http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/comtow.html.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. The Service encourages Federal agencies to include conservation of threatened and endangered species into their project planning to further the purposes of the Act. Please include the Consultation Tracking Number in the header of this letter with any request for consultation or correspondence about your project that you submit to our office.

#### Attachment(s):

Official Species List

## **Official Species List**

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

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## **Project Summary**

Consultation Code: 08ECAR00-2022-SLI-0088

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Project Name: Jamul

Project Type: DEVELOPMENT Project Description: Development

Project Location:

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <a href="https://www.google.com/maps/@32.7032625,-116.87235928804115,14z">https://www.google.com/maps/@32.7032625,-116.87235928804115,14z</a>



Counties: San Diego County, California

### **Endangered Species Act Species**

There is a total of 10 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list.

Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species.

IPaC does not display listed species or critical habitats under the sole jurisdiction of NOAA Fisheries<sup>1</sup>, as USFWS does not have the authority to speak on behalf of NOAA and the Department of Commerce.

See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

1. <u>NOAA Fisheries</u>, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

#### **Birds**

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NAME	STATUS
California Condor <i>Gymnogyps californianus</i> Population: U.S.A. only, except where listed as an experimental population There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8193">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8193</a>	Endangered
Coastal California Gnatcatcher <i>Polioptila californica californica</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8178">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8178</a>	Threatened
Least Bell's Vireo <i>Vireo bellii pusillus</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5945">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5945</a>	Endangered
Southwestern Willow Flycatcher <i>Empidonax traillii extimus</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.  Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6749	Endangered

#### **Insects**

NAME STATUS

#### Monarch Butterfly *Danaus plexippus*

Candidate

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9743">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9743</a>

#### Quino Checkerspot Butterfly *Euphydryas editha quino (=E. e. wrighti)*

Endangered

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5900

#### Flowering Plants

NAME STATUS

#### Mexican Flannelbush Fremontodendron mexicanum

Endangered

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/7495">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/7495</a>

#### Otay Tarplant Deinandra (=Hemizonia) conjugens

Threatened

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5687">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5687</a>

#### San Diego Ambrosia Ambrosia pumila

Endangered

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available.

Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8287

#### San Diego Thornmint Acanthomintha ilicifolia

Threatened

There is **final** critical habitat for this species. The location of the critical habitat is not available. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/351">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/351</a>

#### **Critical habitats**

There is 1 critical habitat wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction.

NAME STATUS

#### Hermes Copper Butterfly *Lycaena hermes*

Proposed

For information on why this critical habitat appears for your project, even though Hermes Copper Butterfly is not on the list of potentially affected species at this location, contact the local field office. <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4379#crithab">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4379#crithab</a>

# U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service National Wetlands Inventory

## Jamul Ecological Reserve



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#### Wetlands

Estuarine and Marine Deepwater

Estuarine and Marine Wetland

Freshwater Emergent Wetland

Freshwater Forested/Shrub Wetland

Freshwater Pond

Lake

Other

Riverine

Other

This map is for general reference only. The US Fish and Wildlife Service is not responsible for the accuracy or currentness of the base data shown on this map. All wetlands related data should be used in accordance with the layer metadata found on the Wetlands Mapper web site.

# Appendix C

Biological Resources Assessment for the Slee Property on Honey Springs Road, Jamul, California

## BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES ASSESSMENT FOR THE SLEE PROPERTY ON HONEY SPRINGS ROAD, JAMUL, CALIFORNIA



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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1. PROJECT LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION

A biological resources assessment was conducted on the "Slee Property," located on Honey Springs Road in Jamul, California. The unaddressed, 4-acre property consists of two, 2-acre parcels: APN 600-01-04 and APN 600-01-05 (see Exhibits). For this assessment, the Study Area was defined as the entire 4-acre property. The Slee Property is proposed as part of a land exchange between CDFW and the Jamul Indian Village (the Project). The Slee Property would be transferred from the Jamul Indian Village to CDFW and then preserved as part of the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area, which is adjacent to the site. No physical improvements or land disturbance is proposed as part of the Project and thus there would be no physical environmental impacts.

#### 1.2. SCOPE OF ASSESSMENT

This assessment provides information about the biological resources within the Study Area, and the regulatory environment affecting such resources. As no physical changes to the Slee Property are proposed there would be no impacts and no need for mitigation. The specific scope of services performed for this assessment consisted of the following tasks:

- Compile all readily-available historical biological resource information about the Study Area;
- Spatially query state and federal databases for any occurrences of special-status species or habitats within the Study Area and vicinity;
- Perform a reconnaissance-level field survey of the Study Area, including photographic documentation;
- Inventory all flora and fauna observed during the field survey;
- Characterize and map the habitat types present within the Study Area, including any potentiallyjurisdictional water resources;
- Evaluate the likelihood for the occurrence of any special-status species;
- Prepare and submit a report summarizing all of the above tasks.

#### 1.3. REGULATORY SETTING

The following section summarizes some applicable regulations of biological resources on real property in California.

#### 1.3.1. Special-status Species Regulations

The United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and the National Marine Fisheries Service implement the Federal Endangered Species Act of 1973 (FESA) (16 USC §1531 et seq.). Threatened and endangered species on the federal list (50 CFR §17.11, 17.12) are protected from "take" (direct or indirect harm), unless a FESA Section 10 Permit is granted or a FESA Section 7 Biological Opinion with incidental take provisions is rendered. Pursuant to the requirements of FESA, an agency reviewing a proposed project within its jurisdiction must determine whether any federally listed species may be present in the project area and determine whether the proposed project will have a potentially significant impact upon such species. Under FESA, habitat loss is considered to be an impact to the species. In addition, the agency is required to determine whether the project is likely to jeopardize the continued existence of any species proposed to be listed under FESA or result in the destruction or adverse modification of critical habitat proposed to be designated for such species (16 USC §1536[3], [4]). Therefore, project-related impacts to these species or their habitats would be considered significant and would require mitigation. Species that are candidates for listing are not protected under FESA; however,

USFWS advises that a candidate species could be elevated to listed status at any time, and therefore, applicants should regard these species with special consideration.

The California Endangered Species Act of 1970 (CESA) (California Fish and Game Code §2050 *et seq.*, and CCR Title 14, §670.2, 670.51) prohibits "take" (defined as hunt, pursue, catch, capture, or kill) of species listed under CESA. A CESA permit must be obtained if a project will result in take of listed species, either during construction or over the life of the project. Section 2081 establishes an incidental take permit program for state-listed species. Under CESA, California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has the responsibility for maintaining a list of threatened and endangered species designated under state law (CFG Code 2070). CDFW also maintains lists of species of special concern, which serve as "watch lists." Pursuant to requirements of CESA, an agency reviewing proposed projects within its jurisdiction must determine whether any state-listed species may be present in the Study Area and determine whether the proposed project will have a potentially significant impact upon such species. Project-related impacts to species on the CESA list would be considered significant and would require mitigation.

California Fish and Game Code Sections 4700, 5050, and 5515 designates certain mammal, amphibian, and reptile species "fully protected", making it unlawful to take, possess, or destroy these species except under issuance of a specific permit. The California Native Plant Protection Act of 1977 (CFG Code §1900 *et seq.*) requires CDFW to establish criteria for determining if a species or variety of native plant is endangered or rare. Section 19131 of the code requires that landowners notify CDFW at least 10 days prior to initiating activities that will destroy a listed plant to allow the salvage of plant material.

Many bird species, especially those that are breeding, migratory, or of limited distribution, are protected under federal and state regulations. Under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act of 1918 (16 USC §703-711), migratory bird species and their nests and eggs that are on the federal list (50 CFR §10.13) are protected from injury or death, and project-related disturbances must be reduced or eliminated during the nesting cycle. California Fish and Game Code (§3503, 3503.5, and 3800) prohibits the possession, incidental take, or needless destruction of any bird nests or eggs. Fish and Game Code §3511 designates certain bird species "fully protected", making it unlawful to take, possess, or destroy these species except under issuance of a specific permit. The Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 USC §668) specifically protects bald and golden eagles from harm or trade in parts of these species.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code §15380) defines "rare" in a broader sense than the definitions of threatened, endangered, or fully protected. Under the CEQA definition, CDFW can request additional consideration of species not otherwise protected. CEQA requires that the impacts of a project upon environmental resources must be analyzed and assessed using criteria determined by the lead agency. Sensitive species that would qualify for listing but are not currently listed may be afforded protection under CEQA. The CEQA Guidelines (§15065) require that a substantial reduction in numbers of a rare or endangered species be considered a significant effect. CEQA Guidelines (§15380) provide for assessment of unlisted species as rare or endangered under CEQA if the species can be shown to meet the criteria for listing. Plant species on the California Native Plant Society (CNPS) Lists 1A, 1B, or 2 are typically considered rare under CEQA. California "Species of Special Concern" is a category conferred by CDFW on those species that are indicators of regional habitat changes or are considered potential future protected species. While they do not have statutory protection, Species of Special Concern are typically considered rare under CEQA and thereby warrant specific protection measures.

#### 1.3.2. Water Resource Protection

Real property that contains water resources are subject to various federal and state regulations and activities occurring in these water resources may require permits, licenses, variances, or similar authorization from federal, state and local agencies, as described next.

The Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972 (as amended), commonly known as the Clean Water Act (CWA), established the basic structure for regulating discharges of pollutants into "waters of the United States". Waters of the US includes essentially all surface waters, all interstate waters and their tributaries, all impoundments of these waters, and all wetlands adjacent to these waters. CWA Section 404 requires approval prior to dredging or discharging fill material into any waters of the US, especially wetlands. The permitting program is designed to minimize impacts to waters of the US, and when impacts cannot be avoided, requires compensatory mitigation. The US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) is responsible for administering Section 404 regulations. Substantial impacts to jurisdictional wetlands may require an Individual Permit. Small-scale projects may require only a Nationwide Permit, which typically has an expedited process compared to the Individual Permit process. Mitigation of wetland impacts is required as a condition of the CWA Section 404 Permit and may include on-site preservation, restoration, or enhancement and/or off-site restoration or enhancement. The characteristics of the restored or enhanced wetlands must be equal to or better than those of the affected wetlands to achieve no net loss of wetlands.

Under CWA Section 401, every applicant for a federal permit or license for any activity which may result in a discharge to a water body must obtain State Water Quality Certification that the proposed activity will comply with State water quality standards. The California State Water Resources Control Board is responsible for administering CWA Section 401 regulations.

Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899 requires approval from USACE prior to the commencement of any work in or over navigable Waters of the US, or which affects the course, location, condition or capacity of such waters. Navigable waters of the United States are defined as waters that have been used in the past, are now used, or are susceptible to use, as a means to transport interstate or foreign commerce up to the head of navigation. Rivers and Harbors Act Section 10 permits are required for construction activities in these waters.

California Fish and Game Code (§1601 - 1607) protects fishery resources by regulating "any activity that may substantially divert or obstruct the natural flow or substantially change the bed, channel, or bank of any river, stream, or lake." CDFW requires notification prior to commencement, and issuance of a Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement, if a proposed project will result in the alteration or degradation of "waters of the State". The limit of CDFW jurisdiction is subject to the judgment of the Department; currently, this jurisdiction is interpreted to be the "stream zone", defined as "that portion of the stream channel that restricts lateral movement of water" and delineated at "the top of the bank or the outer edge of any riparian vegetation, whichever is more landward". CDFW reviews the proposed actions and, if necessary, submits to the applicant a proposal for measures to protect affected fish and wildlife resources. The final proposal that is mutually agreed upon by the CDFW and the applicant is the Streambed Alteration Agreement. Projects that require a Streambed Alteration Agreement may also require a CWA 404 Section Permit and/or CWA Section 401 Water Quality Certification.

For construction projects that disturb one or more acres of soil, the landowner or developer must obtain coverage under the General Permit for Discharges of Storm Water Associated with Construction Activity (Construction General Permit, 2009-0009-DWQ).

#### 2. ENVIRONMENTAL SETTING

The Study Area is located within the "Peninsular Range except San Jacinto Mountains" geographic subregion, which is contained within the Southwestern California geographic subdivision of the larger California Floristic Province (Baldwin et al. 2012). This region has a Mediterranean-type climate, characterized by distinct seasons of hot, dry summers and moderately wet, cool winters. The Study Area and vicinity is in Climate Zone 21 – "California's Thermal Belts in Southern California's Areas of Occasional Ocean Influence," defined by maritime-influenced climate where temperatures never fall very far below 30 F (Sunset, 2022). The topography of the Study Area is a northwest-facing slope of boulder-strewn hills. The elevation ranges from approximately 1,305 feet to 1,470 feet above mean sea level. Drainage runs north and west into an unnamed watercourse, thence Dulzura Creek, and eventually flowing into Jamul Creek and Lower Otay Reservoir. The land uses of the Study Area are undeveloped open space. The surrounding land uses are private estates and wildlife preserves.

#### 3. METHODOLOGY

#### 3.1. PRELIMINARY DATA GATHERING AND RESEARCH

Prior to conducting the field survey, the following information sources were reviewed:

- Any readily-available previous biological resource studies pertaining to the Study Area or vicinity
- Aerial photography of the Study Area (current and historical)
- United States Geologic Service 7.5 degree-minute topographic quadrangles of the Study Area and vicinity
- USFWS National Wetland Inventory
- USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service soil survey maps
- California Natural Diversity Database (CNDDB), electronically updated monthly by subscription
- USFWS species list (IPaC Trust Resources Report).

#### 3.2. FIELD SURVEY

Consulting biologist Dr. Geo Graening conducted a reconnaissance-level field survey on November 8, 2022, 2021. Weather conditions were cool with rain. A variable-intensity pedestrian survey was performed, and modified to account for differences in terrain, vegetation density, and visibility. All visible fauna and flora observed were recorded in a field notebook, and identified to the lowest possible taxon. Survey efforts emphasized the search for any special-status species that had documented occurrences in the CNDDB within the vicinity of the Study Area and those species on the USFWS species list (Appendix 1).

When a specimen could not be identified in the field, a photograph or voucher specimen (depending upon permit requirements) was taken and identified in the laboratory using a dissecting scope where necessary. Dr. Graening holds the following scientific collection permits: CDFW Scientific Collecting Permit No. SC-006802; and CDFW Plant Voucher Specimen Permit 09004. Taxonomic determinations were facilitated by referencing museum specimens or by various texts, including the following: Powell and Hogue (1979); Pavlik (1991); (1993); Brenzel (2012); Stuart and Sawyer (2001); Lanner (2002); Sibley (2003); Baldwin et al. (2012); Calflora (2021); CDFW (2021b,c); NatureServe 2021; and University of California at Berkeley (2021a,b).

The locations of any special-status species sighted were marked on aerial photographs and/or georeferenced with a geographic positioning system (GPS) receiver. Habitat types occurring in the Study Area were mapped on aerial photographs, and information on habitat conditions and the suitability of the habitats to support special-status species was also recorded. The Study Area was also informally

assessed for the presence of potentially-jurisdictional water features, including riparian zones, isolated wetlands and vernal pools, and other biologically-sensitive aquatic habitats

#### 3.3. MAPPING AND OTHER ANALYSES

Locations of species' occurrences and habitat boundaries within the Study Area were digitized to produce the final habitat maps. The boundaries of potentially jurisdictional water resources within the Study Area were identified and measured in the field, and similarly digitized to calculate acreage and to produce informal delineation maps. Geographic analyses were performed using geographical information system software (ArcGIS 10, ESRI, Inc.). Vegetation communities (assemblages of plant species growing in an area of similar biological and environmental factors), were classified by Vegetation Series (distinctive associations of plants, described by dominant species and particular environmental setting) using the CNPS Vegetation Classification system (Sawyer and Keeler-Wolf, 1995). Informal wetland delineation methods consisted of an abbreviated, visual assessment of the three requisite wetland parameters (hydrophytic vegetation, hydric soils, hydrologic regime) defined in the US Army Corps of Engineers Wetlands Delineation Manual (Environmental Laboratory, 1987). Wildlife habitats were classified according to the CDFW's California Wildlife Habitat Relationships System (CDFW, 2021c). Species' habitat requirements and life histories were identified using the following sources: Baldwin et al. (2012); CNPS (2021), Calflora (2021); CDFW (2021a,b,c); and University of California at Berkeley (2021a,b).

#### 4. RESULTS

#### 4.1. VEGETATION COMMUNITIES AND WILDLIFE HABITAT TYPES

#### 4.1.1. Terrestrial Vegetation Communities

The Study Area contains one terrestrial vegetation community: chamise chaparral (see Exhibits). Chamise chaparral habitat is found throughout the Study Area. The dominant species within the chaparral is chamise (*Adenostoma fasciculatum*) and laurel sumac (*Malosma laurina*). Few grasses and herbs were identifiable under the shrub canopy this late in the season. This vegetation type can be classified as the Holland Type "Chamise Chaparral" or as "37.101.21 *Adenostoma fasciculatum – Malosma laurina*" (CDFW 2022e).

#### 4.1.2. Wildlife Habitat Types

Wildlife habitat types were classified using CDFW's Wildlife Habitat Relationship System. The Study Area contains the following wildlife habitat types: Chamise – Redshank Chaparral; and Barren (rock outcrop).

#### 4.1.3. Critical Habitat and Special-status Habitat

No critical habitat for any federally-listed species occurs within the Study Area. However, Critical Habitat for Quino checkerspot butterfly (*Euphydryas editha quino*) and Hermes copper butterfly (*Lycaena hermes*) is found approximately 0.25 mile northwest of the Study Area. The CNDDB reported the following special-status habitats in a 10-mile radius outside of the Study Area: Maritime Succulent Scrub; San Diego Mesa Claypan Vernal Pool; Southern Coast Live Oak Riparian Forest and Southern Interior Cypress Forest. No special-status habitats were detected within the Study Area during the field survey.

#### 4.1.4. Habitat Plans and Wildlife Corridors

Wildlife movement corridors link remaining areas of functional wildlife habitat that are separated primarily by human disturbance, but natural barriers such as rugged terrain and abrupt changes in vegetation cover are also possible. Wilderness and open lands have been fragmented by urbanization, which can disrupt migratory species and separate interbreeding populations. Corridors allow migratory movements and act as links between these separated populations.

No designated wildlife corridors exist within the Study Area, but the Study Area is adjacent to wildlife preserve lands. No fishery resources exist in or near the Study Area because there are no persistent water resources; the nearest fisher resource is Lower Otay Lake. The Study Area is located within the plan boundaries of the San Diego Multiple Species Conservation Program.

#### 4.2. LISTED SPECIES AND OTHER SPECIAL-STATUS SPECIES

For the purposes of this assessment, "special status" is defined to be species that are of management concern to state or federal natural resource agencies, and include those species that are:

- Listed as endangered, threatened, proposed, or candidate for listing under the Federal Endangered Species Act;
- Listed as endangered, threatened, rare, or proposed for listing, under the California Endangered Species Act of 1970;
- Designated as endangered or rare, pursuant to California Fish and Game Code (§1901);
- Designated as fully protected, pursuant to California Fish and Game Code (§3511, §4700, or §5050);
- Designated as a species of special concern by CDFW;
- Plants considered to be rare, threatened or endangered in California by the California Native Plant Society (CNPS); this consists of species on Lists 1A, 1B, and 2 of the CNPS Ranking System; or

Plants listed as rare under the California Native Plant Protection Act.

#### 4.2.1. Reported Occurrences of Listed Species and Other Special-status Species

A list of special-status plant and animal species that have occurred within the Study Area and vicinity was compiled based upon the following:

- Any previous and readily-available biological resource studies pertaining to the Study Area;
- Informal consultation with USFWS by generating an electronic Species List (Information for Planning and Conservation website at https://ecos.fws.gov/ipac/); and
- A spatial query of the CNDDB using the standard 9 quadrangle boundary
- A query of the California Native Plant Society's database *Inventory of Rare and Endangered Plants of California* (online edition).

The CNDDB was queried and any reported occurrences of special-status species were plotted in relation to the Study Area boundary using GIS software (see exhibits). The CNDDB reported the following special-status species occurrences within the Study Area.

- Thorne's hairstreak (Callophrys thornei)
- Pallid bat (Antrozous pallidus)
- Townsend's big-eared bat (Corynorhinus townsendii)
- Western small-footed myotis (*Myotis ciliolabrum*)
- Long-eared myotis (Myotis evotis)
- Yuma myotis (Myotis yumanensis)

These occurrences are an artifact of the mapping process. The CDFW has obscured the precise location of these occurrences. Habitat for the Thorne's hairstreak (the host plant Tecate Cypress [Cupressus forbesii]) is not present within the Study Area. Habitat for various bat species is present in the rock outcrops of the Study Area. Within a 10-mile buffer of the Study Area boundary, the CNDDB reported several special-status species occurrences, summarized in the table in Appendix 3 along with any additional CNPS species.

A USFWS species list was generated online using the USFWS' IPaC Trust Resource Report System (see Appendix 1). This list is generated using a regional and/or watershed approach and does not necessarily indicate that the Study Area provides suitable habitat. The list identified the following species:

- Coastal California Gnatcatcher (Polioptila californica californica) Threatened
- Least Bell's Vireo (Vireo bellii pusillus) Endangered
- Southwestern willow flycatcher (Empidonax traillii extimus) Endangered
- Hermes Copper Butterfly (Lycaena hermes) Threatened
- Monarch Butterfly (Danaus plexippus) Candidate
- Quino checkerspot butterfly (Euphydryas editha quino (+ E. e. wrighti) Endangered
- Mexican flannelbush (Fremontodendron mexicanum) Endangered
- Otay tarplant (*Deinandra* (=*Hemizonia*) *conjugens*) Threatened
- San Diego Ambrosia (Ambrosia pumila) Endangered
- San Diego Thornmint (Acanthomintha ilicifolia) Threatened

Migratory birds should be considered for the potential to occur within the Study Area and immediate vicinity.

#### 4.2.2. Listed Species or Special-status Species Observed During Field Survey

During the field survey, no federally-listed species or special-status species were detected within the Study Area. The following common wildlife were detected within the Study Area during the field survey: shoulderband snail (*Monadenia*); scat of coyote (*Canis latrans*); middens of woodrat (*Neotoma* sp.); hermit thrush (*Catharus guttatus*); and common songbirds.

## 4.2.3. Potential for Listed Species or Special-status Species to Occur in the Study Area

See Appendix 3 for a complete table of Special-status Species and their potential to occur in the Study Area. The listed species and special-status species identified in database searches were further assessed for their likelihood to occur within the Study Area based upon previously documented occurrences, field surveys, their habitat requirements, and the quality and extent of any suitable habitat within the Study Area.

#### 4.3. POTENTIALLY-JURISDICTIONAL WATER RESOURCES

The USFWS National Wetland Inventory reported one water feature within the Study Area (see Exhibits): a riverine feature. However, the field survey determined that the Study Area does not contain any channels or wetlands (see Exhibits). The channel that was identified by the UFSWS National Wetland Inventory begins approximately 500 feet west of the northwestern corner of the Study Area. There are no vernal pools or other isolated wetlands in the Study Area.

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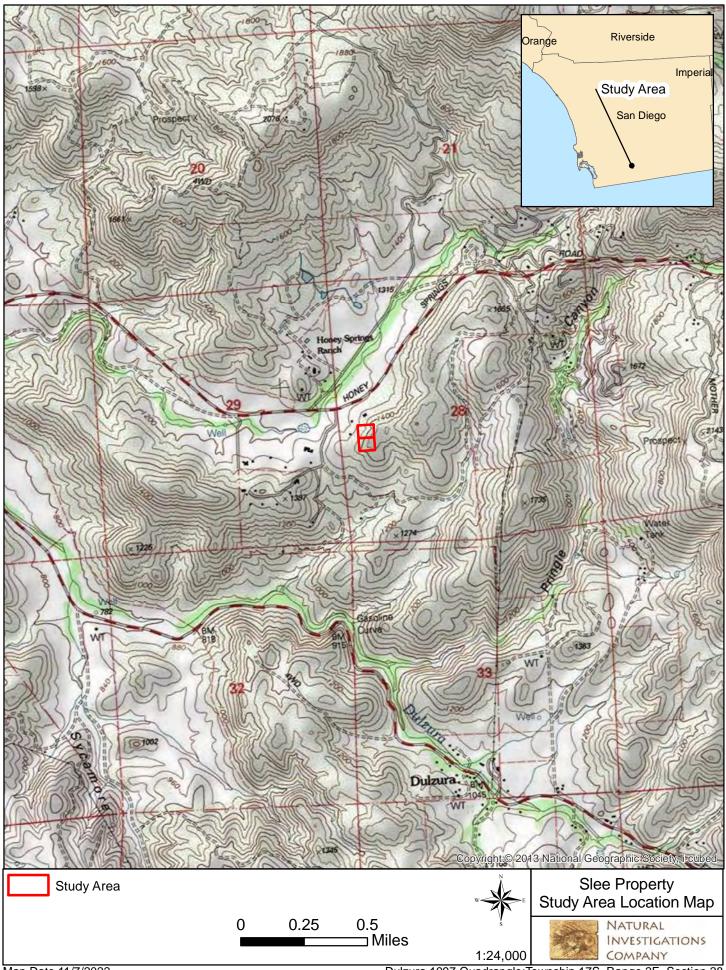
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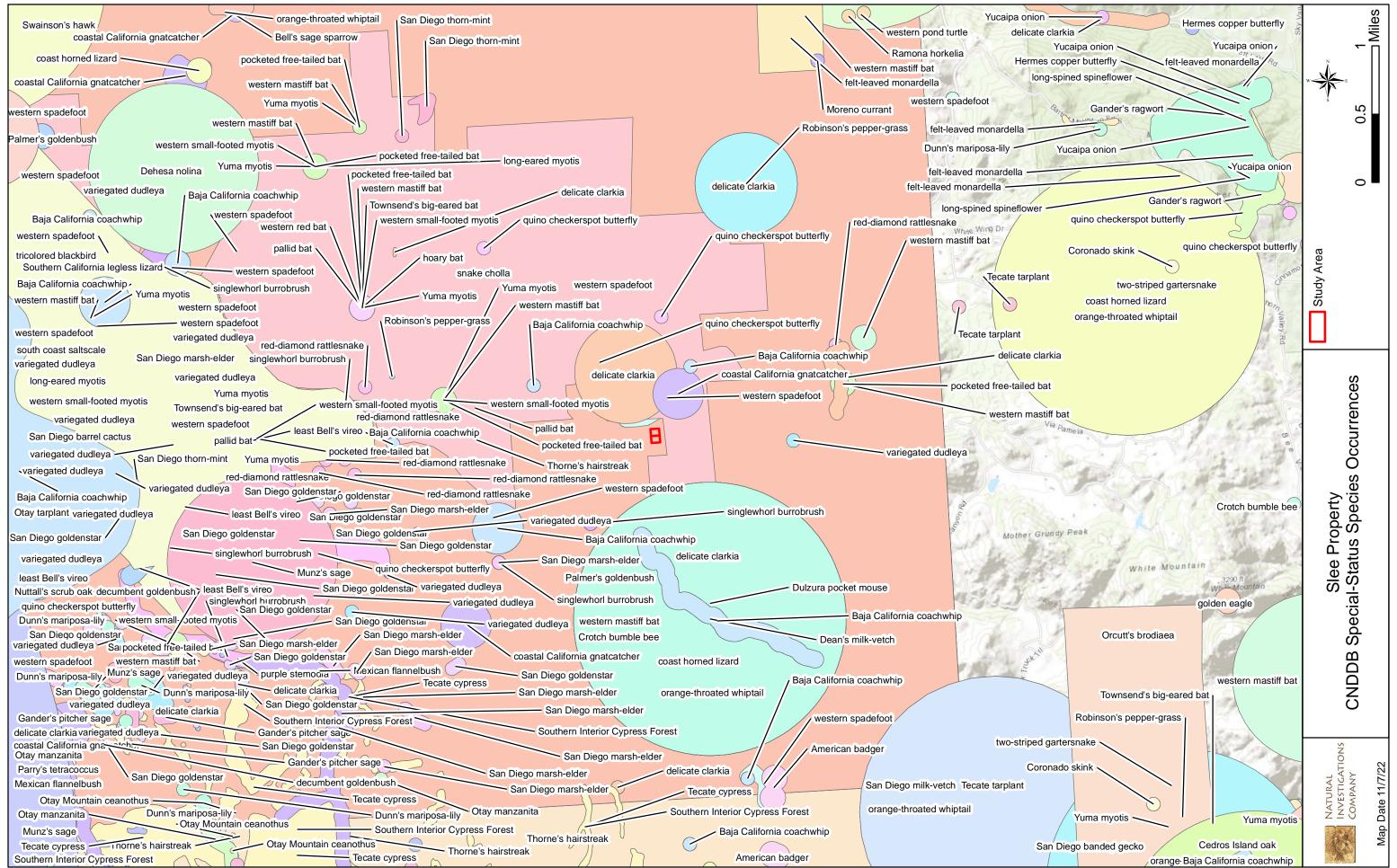
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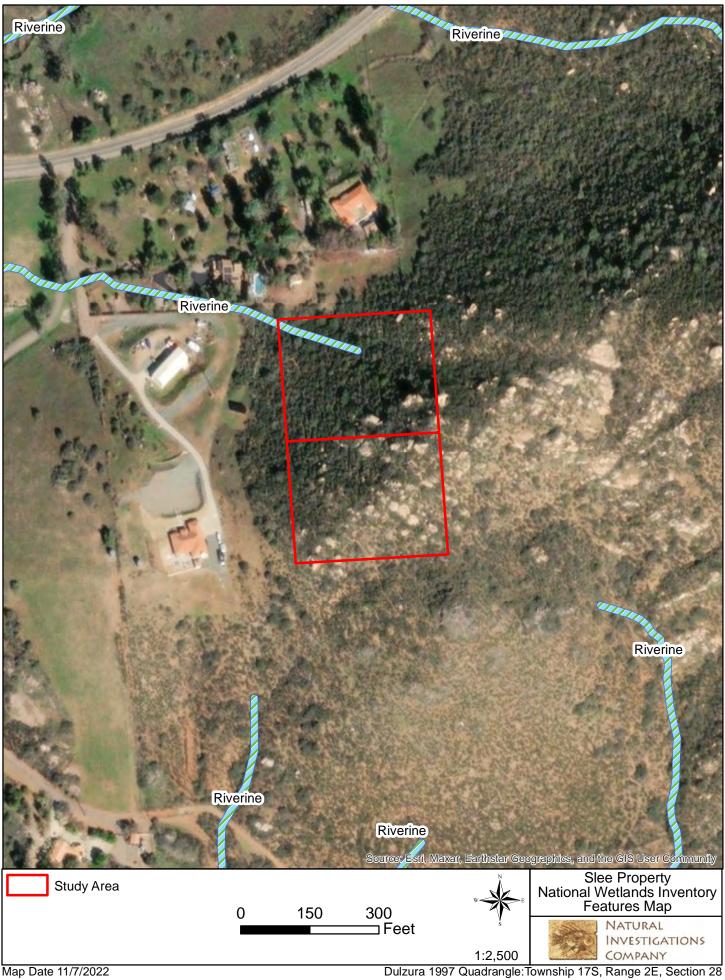
## **EXHIBITS**













## **APPENDIX 1: USFWS SPECIES LIST**



## United States Department of the Interior



#### FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

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In Reply Refer To: November 10, 2022

Project Code: 2023-0014037

Project Name: Jamul Indian Village Parcel

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project

location or may be affected by your proposed project

#### To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 *et seq.*), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

A biological assessment is required for construction projects (or other undertakings having similar physical impacts) that are major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment as defined in the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4332(2) (c)). For projects other than major construction activities, the Service suggests that a biological

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evaluation similar to a biological assessment be prepared to determine whether the project may affect listed or proposed species and/or designated or proposed critical habitat. Recommended contents of a biological assessment are described at 50 CFR 402.12.

If a Federal agency determines, based on the Biological Assessment or biological evaluation, that listed species and/or designated critical habitat may be affected by the proposed project, the agency is required to consult with the Service pursuant to 50 CFR 402. In addition, the Service recommends that candidate species, proposed species and proposed critical habitat be addressed within the consultation. More information on the regulations and procedures for section 7 consultation, including the role of permit or license applicants, can be found at the Fish and Wildlife Service's Endangered Species Consultation website at:

https://www.fws.gov/endangered/what-we-do/faq.html

**Migratory Birds**: In addition to responsibilities to protect threatened and endangered species under the Endangered Species Act (ESA), there are additional responsibilities under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA) and the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (BGEPA) to protect native birds from project-related impacts. Any activity, intentional or unintentional, resulting in take of migratory birds, including eagles, is prohibited unless otherwise permitted by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (50 C.F.R. Sec. 10.12 and 16 U.S.C. Sec. 668(a)). For more information regarding these Acts see https://www.fws.gov/birds/policies-and-regulations.php.

The MBTA has no provision for allowing take of migratory birds that may be unintentionally killed or injured by otherwise lawful activities. It is the responsibility of the project proponent to comply with these Acts by identifying potential impacts to migratory birds and eagles within applicable NEPA documents (when there is a federal nexus) or a Bird/Eagle Conservation Plan (when there is no federal nexus). Proponents should implement conservation measures to avoid or minimize the production of project-related stressors or minimize the exposure of birds and their resources to the project-related stressors. For more information on avian stressors and recommended conservation measures see https://www.fws.gov/birds/bird-enthusiasts/threats-to-birds.php.

In addition to MBTA and BGEPA, Executive Order 13186: *Responsibilities of Federal Agencies to Protect Migratory Birds*, obligates all Federal agencies that engage in or authorize activities that might affect migratory birds, to minimize those effects and encourage conservation measures that will improve bird populations. Executive Order 13186 provides for the protection of both migratory birds and migratory bird habitat. For information regarding the implementation of Executive Order 13186, please visit https://www.fws.gov/birds/policies-and-regulations/executive-orders/e0-13186.php.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. The Service encourages Federal agencies to include conservation of threatened and endangered species into their project planning to further the purposes of the Act. Please include the Consultation Code in the header of this letter with any request for consultation or correspondence about your project that you submit to our office.

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Official Species List

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# **Official Species List**

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

This species list is provided by:

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# **Project Summary**

Project Code: 2023-0014037

Project Name: Jamul Indian Village Parcel

Project Type: Land Exchange Project Description: Land Exchange

Project Location:

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: <a href="https://www.google.com/maps/@32.6636226,-116.78706722102031,14z">https://www.google.com/maps/@32.6636226,-116.78706722102031,14z</a>



Counties: San Diego County, California

#### **Endangered Species Act Species**

Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5900">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5900</a>

There is a total of 10 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list.

Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species.

IPaC does not display listed species or critical habitats under the sole jurisdiction of NOAA Fisheries<sup>1</sup>, as USFWS does not have the authority to speak on behalf of NOAA and the Department of Commerce.

See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

1. <u>NOAA Fisheries</u>, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

#### **Birds**

NAME	STATUS
Coastal California Gnatcatcher <i>Polioptila californica californica</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8178">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8178</a>	Threatened
Least Bell's Vireo <i>Vireo bellii pusillus</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat.  Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5945">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5945</a>	Endangered
Southwestern Willow Flycatcher <i>Empidonax traillii extimus</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6749">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/6749</a>	Endangered
Insects NAME	STATUS
Hermes Copper Butterfly <i>Lycaena hermes</i> There is <b>final</b> critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4379">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/4379</a>	Threatened
Monarch Butterfly <i>Danaus plexippus</i> No critical habitat has been designated for this species.  Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9743">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9743</a>	Candidate

#### **Flowering Plants**

NAME **STATUS** Mexican Flannelbush Fremontodendron mexicanum Endangered There is **final** critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/7495">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/7495</a> Threatened Otay Tarplant Deinandra (=Hemizonia) conjugens There is **final** critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5687">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/5687</a> San Diego Ambrosia *Ambrosia pumila* Endangered There is **final** critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8287">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/8287</a> San Diego Thornmint *Acanthomintha ilicifolia* Threatened There is **final** critical habitat for this species. Your location does not overlap the critical habitat. Species profile: <a href="https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/351">https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/351</a>

#### **Critical habitats**

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA UNDER THIS OFFICE'S JURISDICTION.

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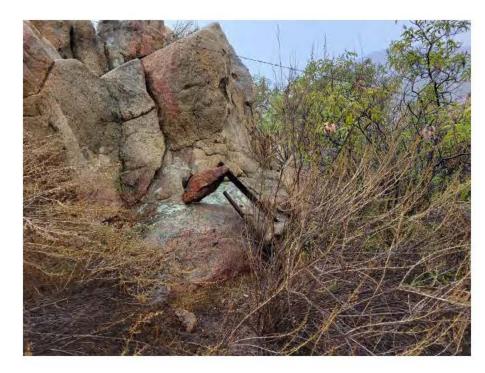
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# **APPENDIX 2: SITE PHOTOS**

















# APPENDIX 3: SPECIAL-STATUS SPECIES TABLE AND POTENTIAL TO OCCUR

# Special-status Species Reported by CNDDB and CNPS in the Vicinity of the Study Areas

Common Name	Scientific Name	Status*	General Habitat**	Microhabitat**	Potential to Occur in Project Area***
ANIMALS					
Arroyo toad	Anaxyrus californicus	FE/CSSC	Desert wash; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland; South coast flowing waters; South coast standing waters	Rivers with sandy banks, willows, cottonwoods, and sycamores; loose, gravelly areas of streams in drier parts of range.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Western spadefoot	Spea hammondii	CSSC	Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	Vernal pools are essential for breeding and egg-laying.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Double-crested cormorant	Nannopterum auritum	CWL	Riparian forest; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland	Nests along coast on sequestered islets, usually on ground with sloping surface, or in tall trees along lake margins.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Northern harrier	Circus hudsonius	CSSC	Coastal scrub; Great Basin grassland; Marsh & swamp; Riparian scrub; Valley & foothill grassland; Wetland	Nests on ground in shrubby vegetation, usually at marsh edge; nest built of a large mound of sticks in wet areas.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Cooper's hawk	Accipiter cooperii	CWL	Cismontane woodland; Riparian forest; Riparian woodland; Upper montane coniferous forest	Nest sites mainly in riparian growths of deciduous trees, as in canyon bottoms on river flood-plains; also, live oaks.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Swainson's hawk	Buteo swainsoni	СТ	Great Basin grassland; Riparian forest; Riparian woodland; Valley & foothill grassland	Requires adjacent suitable foraging areas such as grasslands, or alfalfa or grain fields supporting rodent populations.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Golden eagle	Aquila chrysaetos	CFP/CWL	Broadleaved upland forest; Cismontane woodland; Coastal prairie; Great Basin grassland; Great Basin scrub; Lower montane coniferous forest; Pinon & juniper woodlands; Upper montane coniferous forest; Valley & foothill grassland	Cliff-walled canyons provide nesting habitat in most parts of range; also, large trees in open areas.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Prairie falcon	Falco mexicanus	CWL	Great Basin grassland; Great Basin scrub; Mojavean desert scrub; Sonoran desert scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Breeding sites located on cliffs. Forages far afield, even to marshlands and ocean shores.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Yellow rail	Coturnicops noveboracensis	CSSC	Freshwater marsh; Meadow & seep	Freshwater marshlands.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Western yellow-billed cuckoo	Coccyzus americanus occidentalis	FT/CE	Riparian forest	Nests in riparian jungles of willow, often mixed with cottonwoods, with lower story of blackberry, nettles, or wild grape.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Burrowing owl	Athene cunicularia	CSSC	Coastal prairie; Coastal scrub; Great Basin grassland; Great Basin scrub; Mojavean desert scrub; Sonoran desert scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Subterranean nester, dependent upon burrowing mammals, most notably, the California ground squirrel.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Southwestern willow flycatcher	Empidonax traillii extimus	FE/CE	Riparian woodland	Riparian woodlands in Southern California.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
California horned lark	Eremophila alpestris actia	CWL	Meadow & seep; Marine intertidal & splash zone communities	Short-grass prairie, "bald" hills, mountain meadows, open coastal plains, fallow grain fields, alkali flats.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Coastal cactus wren	Campylorhynchus brunneicapillus sandiegensis	CSSC	Coastal scrub	Wrens require tall <i>Opuntia</i> cactus for nesting and roosting.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Coastal California gnatcatcher	Polioptila californica californica	FT/CSSC	Coastal bluff scrub; Coastal scrub	Low, coastal sage scrub in arid washes, on mesas and slopes. Not all areas classified as coastal sage scrub are occupied.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Least Bell's vireo	Vireo bellii pusillus	FE/CE	Riparian forest; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland	Nests placed along margins of bushes or on twigs projecting into pathways, usually willow, baccharis, mesquite.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Yellow warbler	Setophaga petechia	CSSC	Riparian forest; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland	Frequently found nesting and foraging in willow shrubs and thickets, and in other riparian plants including cottonwoods, sycamores, ash, and alders.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Yellow-breasted chat	Icteria virens	CSSC	Riparian forest; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland	Nests in low, dense riparian, consisting of willow, blackberry, wild grape; forages and nests within 10 ft of ground.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Southern California rufous- crowned sparrow	Aimophila ruficeps canescens	CWL	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Frequents relatively steep, often rocky hillsides with grass and forb patches.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Bell's sage sparrow	Artemisiospiza belli belli	CWL	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Nest located on the ground beneath a shrub or in a shrub 6-18 inches above ground. Territories about 50 yds apart.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Grasshopper sparrow	Ammodramus savannarum	CCSSC	Valley & foothill grassland	Favors native grasslands with a mix of grasses, forbs and scattered shrubs. Loosely colonial when nesting.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Tricolored blackbird	Agelaius tricolor	CT/CSSC	Freshwater marsh; Marsh & swamp; Swamp; Wetland	Requires open water, protected nesting substrate, and foraging area with insect prey within a few km of the colony.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
California leaf-nosed bat	Macrotus californicus	CSSC	Riparian scrub; Sonoran desert scrub	Needs rocky, rugged terrain with mines or caves for roosting.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Mexican long-tongued bat	Choeronycteris mexicana	CSSC	Pinon & juniper woodlands; Riparian scrub; Sonoran thorn woodland	Feeds on nectar and pollen of night-blooming succulents. Roosts in relatively well-lit caves, and in and around buildings.	Absent: No habitat onsite.

Cope's leopard lizard	Gambelia copeii	CSSC	Chaparral; Sonoran desert scrub	Open flat areas within vegetation.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego banded gecko	Coleonyx variegatus abbotti	CSSC	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Found in granite or rocky outcrops in coastal scrub and chaparral habitats.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Southern California legless lizard	Anniella stebbinsi	CSSC	Broadleaved upland forest; Chaparral; Coastal dunes; Coastal scrub	Variety of habitats; generally in moist, loose soil. They prefer soils with a high moisture content.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Western pond turtle	Emys marmorata	CSSC	Aquatic; Artificial flowing waters; Klamath/North coast flowing waters; Klamath/North coast standing waters; Marsh & swamp; South coast flowing waters; South coast standing waters; Sacramento/San Joaquin flowing waters; Sacramento/San Joaquin standing wa	Needs basking sites and suitable (sandy banks or grassy open fields) upland habitat up to 0.5 km from water for egg-laying.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
American badger	Taxidea taxus	CSSC	Alkali marsh; Alpine dwarf scrub; Alpine; Alkali playa; Bog & fen; Brackish marsh; Broadleaved upland forest; Coastal bluff scrub; Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Chenopod scrub; Cismontane woodland; Coastal dunes; Coastal prairie; Coastal scru	Needs sufficient food, friable soils and open, uncultivated ground. Preys on burrowing rodents. Digs burrows.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego desert woodrat	Neotoma lepida intermedia	CSSC	Coastal scrub	Moderate to dense canopies preferred. They are particularly abundant in rock outcrops, rocky cliffs, and slopes.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Northwestern San Diego pocket mouse	Chaetodipus fallax fallax	CSSC	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Sandy, herbaceous areas, usually in association with rocks or coarse gravel.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Dulzura pocket mouse	Chaetodipus californicus femoralis	CSSC	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Attracted to grass-chaparral edges.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego black-tailed jackrabbit	Lepus californicus bennettii		Coastal scrub	Coastal sage scrub habitats in Southern California.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Big free-tailed bat	Nyctinomops macrotis	CSSC		Need high cliffs or rocky outcrops for roosting sites. Feeds principally on large moths.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Pocketed free-tailed bat	Nyctinomops femorosaccus	CSSC	Joshua tree woodland; Pinon & juniper woodlands; Riparian scrub; Sonoran desert scrub	Rocky areas with high cliffs.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Western mastiff bat	Eumops perotis californicus	CSSC	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Roosts in crevices in cliff faces, high buildings, trees and tunnels.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Pallid bat	Antrozous pallidus	CSSC	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Desert wash; Great Basin grassland; Great Basin scrub; Mojavean desert scrub; Riparian woodland; Sonoran desert scrub; Upper montane coniferous forest; Valley & foothill grassland	Roosts must protect bats from high temperatures. Very sensitive to disturbance of roosting sites.	Potential to occur: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area or nearby. Suitable habitat observed onsite.
Townsend's big-eared bat	Corynorhinus townsendii	CSSC	Broadleaved upland forest; Chaparral; Chenopod scrub; Great Basin grassland; Great Basin scrub; Joshua tree woodland; Lower montane coniferous forest; Mojavean desert scrub; Meadow & seep; Riparian forest; Riparian woodland; Sonoran desert scrub; Sonoran	Roosts in the open, hanging from walls and ceilings. Roosting sites limiting. Extremely sensitive to human disturbance.	Potential to occur: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area or nearby. Suitable habitat observed onsite.
Western yellow bat	Lasiurus xanthinus	CSSC	Desert wash	Roosts in trees, particularly palms. Forages over water and among trees.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Hoary bat	Lasiurus cinereus		Broadleaved upland forest; Cismontane woodland; Lower montane coniferous forest; North coast coniferous forest	Roosts in dense foliage of medium to large trees. Feeds primarily on moths. Requires water.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Western small-footed myotis	Myotis ciliolabrum			Prefers open stands in forests and woodlands. Requires drinking water. Feeds on a wide variety of small flying insects.	Potential to occur: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area or nearby. Suitable habitat observed onsite.
Long-eared myotis	Myotis evotis			Nursery colonies in buildings, crevices, spaces under bark, and snags. Caves used primarily as night roosts.	Potential to occur: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area or nearby. Suitable habitat observed onsite.
Yuma myotis	Myotis yumanensis		Lower montane coniferous forest; Riparian forest; Riparian woodland; Upper montane coniferous forest	Distribution is closely tied to bodies of water. Maternity colonies in caves, mines, buildings or crevices.	Potential to occur: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area or nearby. Suitable habitat observed onsite.

Coast horned lizard	Phrynosoma blainvillii	CSSC	Coastal bluff scrub; Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Desert wash; Pinon & juniper woodlands; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland; Valley & foothill grassland	Open areas for sunning, bushes for cover, patches of loose soil for burial, and abundant supply of ants and other insects.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Coronado skink	Plestiodon skiltonianus interparietalis	CWL	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Pinon & juniper woodlands	Prefers early successional stages or open areas. Found in rocky areas close to streams and on dry hillsides.	Low potential to occur:  Marginal habitat is present.
Orange-throated whiptail	Aspidoscelis hyperythra	CWL	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub	Prefers washes and other sandy areas with patches of brush and rocks. Perennial plants necessary for its major food: termites.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Coastal whiptail	Aspidoscelis tigris stejnegeri	CSSC		Ground may be firm soil, sandy, or rocky.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
California glossy snake	Arizona elegans occidentalis	CSSC		Generalist reported from a range of scrub and grassland habitats, often with loose or sandy soils.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego ringneck snake	Diadophis punctatus similis			Prefer areas with surface litter or herbaceous vegetation. Often in somewhat moist areas near intermittent streams.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Baja California coachwhip	Masticophis fuliginosus	CSSC		Open areas in grassland and coastal sage scrub.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Coast patch-nosed snake	Salvadora hexalepis virgultea	CSSC	Coastal scrub	Require small mammal burrows for refuge and overwintering sites.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Two-striped gartersnake	Thamnophis hammondii	CSSC	Marsh & swamp; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland; Wetland	Highly aquatic, found in or near permanent fresh water. Often along streams with rocky beds and riparian growth.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Red-diamond rattlesnake	Crotalus ruber	CSSC	Chaparral; Mojavean desert scrub; Sonoran desert scrub	Occurs in rocky areas and dense vegetation. Needs rodent burrows, cracks in rocks or surface cover objects.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego fairy shrimp	Branchinecta sandiegonensis	FE	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Vernal pool; Wetland	Vernal pools.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Riverside fairy shrimp	Streptocephalus woottoni	FE	Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	Inhabit seasonally astatic pools filled by winter/spring rains. Hatch in warm water later in the season.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Western tidal-flat tiger beetle	Habroscelimorpha gabbii		Estuary; Mud shore/flats	Generally found on dark-colored mud in the lower zone; occasionally found on dry saline flats of estuaries.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Marsh-elder long-horned beetle	Deltaspis ivae			Found in a few scattered locations in San Diego and Riverside counties; larva breeds in <i>Iva hayesiana</i> root collars.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Crotch bumble bee	Bombus crotchii			Food plant genera include <i>Antirrhinum</i> , <i>Phacelia</i> , <i>Clarkia</i> , <i>Dendromecon</i> , <i>Eschscholzia</i> , and <i>Eriogonum</i> .	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Haromonius halictid bee	Halictus harmonius			Known only from the foothills of the San Bernardino Mts., possibly also the San Jacinto Mts.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Hermes copper butterfly	Lycaena hermes	FT	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Host plant is <i>Rhamnus crocea</i> . Although <i>R. Crocea</i> is widespread throughout the coast range, <i>Lycaena hermes</i> is not.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Thorne's hairstreak	Callophrys thornei		Alpine boulder & rock field	Only known from vicinity of Otay mountain.	Present: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area. No habitat observed onsite.
Quino checkerspot butterfly	Euphydryas editha quino	FE	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Hills and mesas near the coast. Need high densities of food plants <i>Plantago erecta</i> , <i>P. insularis</i> , and <i>Orthocarpus purpurescens</i> .	Absent: No habitat onsite.
PLANTS					Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego thorn-mint	Acanthomintha ilicifolia	FT/CE/1B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	Endemic to active vertisol clay soils of mesas and valleys. Usually on clay lenses within grassland or chaparral communities. 25-945 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
California adolphia	Adolphia californica	2B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	From sandy/gravelly to clay soils within grassland, coastal sage scrub, or chaparral; various exposures. 5-335 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Yucaipa onion	Allium marvinii	1B.2	Chaparral	In openings on clay soils. 850-1070 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego bur-sage	Ambrosia chenopodiifolia	2B.1	Coastal scrub		Absent: No habitat onsite.
Singlewhorl burrobrush	Ambrosia monogyra	2B.2	Chaparral; Sonoran desert scrub	Sandy soils. 5-475 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego ambrosia	Ambrosia pumila	FE/1B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Sandy loam or clay soil; sometimes alkaline. In valleys; persists where disturbance has been superficial. Sometimes on margins or near vernal pools. 3-580 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Otay manzanita	Arctostaphylos otayensis	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland	Metavolcanic soils with other chaparral associates. 75-1040 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego sagewort	Artemisia palmeri	4.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Riparian forest; Riparian scrub; Riparian woodland	In drainages and riparian areas in sandy soil within chaparral and other habitats. 15-915 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.

Western spleenwort	Asplenium vespertinum	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub	Rocky	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Dean's milk-vetch	Astragalus deanei	1B.1	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Riparian forest	Open, brushy south-facing slopes in Diegan coastal sage, sometimes on recently burned- over hillsides. 70-795 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Jacumba milk-vetch	Astragalus douglasii var. perstrictus	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Pinon & juniper woodlands; Riparian scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Stony hillsides and gravelly or sandy flats in open oak woodland. 500-1375 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego milk-vetch	Astragalus oocarpus	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland	Openings in chaparral or on gravelly flats and slopes in thin oak woodland. 120-1795 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
South coast saltscale	Atriplex pacifica	1B.2	Alkali playa; Coastal bluff scrub; Coastal dunes; Coastal scrub	Alkali soils. 1-400 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Encinitas baccharis	Baccharis vanessae	FT/CE/1B.1	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland	On sandstone soils in steep, open, rocky areas with chaparral associates. 60-900 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Golden-spined cereus	Bergerocactus emoryi	2B.2	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Limited to the coastal belt. 3-520 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego goldenstar	Bloomeria clevelandii	1B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	Mesa grasslands, scrub edges; clay soils. Often on mounds between vernal pools in fine, sandy loam. 60-465 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Orcutt's brodiaea	Brodiaea orcuttii	1B.1	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Meadow & seep; Ultramafic; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	Mesic, clay habitats; usually in vernal pools and small drainages. 30-1615 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Brewer's calandrinia	Calandrinia breweri	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub	Burned areas, Disturbed areas, Loam (sometimes), Sandy (sometimes)	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Dunn's mariposa-lily	Calochortus dunnii	CR/1B.2	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Ultramafic; Valley & foothill grassland	On gabbro or metavolcanic soils; also known from sandstone; often associated with chaparral. 255-1615 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Lewis' evening-primrose	Camissoniopsis lewisii	3	Cismontane woodland, Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland	Clay (sometimes), Sandy (sometimes)	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Luis Obispo sedge	Carex obispoensis	1B.2	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Coastal prairie; Coastal scrub; Ultramafic; Valley & foothill grassland	Usually in transition zone on sand, clay, serpentine, or gabbro. In seeps. 5-845 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Mojave paintbrush	Castilleja plagiotoma	4.3	Great Basin scrub, Joshua tree "woodland", Lower montane coniferous forest, Pinyon and juniper woodland		Absent: No habitat onsite.
Payson's jewelflower	Caulanthus simulans	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub	Granitic, Sandy	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Lakeside ceanothus	Ceanothus cyaneus	1B.2	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral	195-1040 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Viejas Mountain ceanothus	Ceanothus foliosus var. viejasensis	1B.2	Chaparral; Ultramafic	Gabbro. 785-1370 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Vine Hill ceanothus	Ceanothus foliosus var. vineatus	1B.1	Chaparral		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Otay Mountain ceanothus	Ceanothus otayensis	1B.2	Chaparral; Ultramafic	Metavolcanic or gabbroic soils. 75-1160 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Smooth tarplant	Centromadia pungens ssp. laevis	1B.1	Alkali playa; Chenopod scrub; Meadow & seep; Riparian woodland; Valley & foothill grassland; Wetland	Alkali meadow, alkali scrub; also in disturbed places. 5-1170 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Southern mountain misery	Chamaebatia australis	4.2	Chaparral		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Peninsular spineflower	Chorizanthe leptotheca	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Lower montane coniferous forest	Granitic	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Long-spined spineflower	Chorizanthe polygonoides var. longispina	1B.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Meadow & seep; Ultramafic; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool	Gabbroic clay. 30-1630 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Seaside cistanthe	Cistanthe maritima	4.2	Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland	Sandy	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Delicate clarkia	Clarkia delicata	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Ultramafic	Often on gabbro soils. 95-1800 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
San Miguel savory	Clinopodium chandleri	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Riparian woodland; Ultramafic; Valley & foothill grassland	Rocky, gabbroic or metavolcanic substrate. 120-975 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Summer holly	Comarostaphylis diversifolia ssp. diversifolia	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland	Often in mixed chaparral in California, sometimes post-burn. 30-855 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.

Small-flowered morning-glory	Convolvulus simulans	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland	Clay, Seeps, Serpentinite	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Small-flowered bird's-beak	Cordylanthus parviflorus	2B.3	Joshua tree "woodland", Mojavean desert scrub, Pinyon and juniper woodland		Absent: No habitat onsite.
Short-bracted bird's-beak	Cordylanthus rigidus ssp. brevibracteatus	4.3	Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest, Pinyon and juniper woodland, Upper montane coniferous forest	Granitic, Openings	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego sand aster	Corethrogyne filaginifolia var. incana	1B.1	Coastal bluff scrub; Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Most sites are disturbed, so hard to tell. Possibly in disturbed sites and ecotones. 35-275 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Snake cholla	Cylindropuntia californica var. californica	1B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	15-290 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Otay tarplant	Deinandra conjugens	FT/CE/1B.1	Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Coastal plains, mesas, and river bottoms; often in open, disturbed areas; clay soils. 60-275 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Tecate tarplant	Deinandra floribunda	1B.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Often in little drainages or disturbed areas. 150-1330 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Paniculate tarplant	Deinandra paniculata	4.2	Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools	Sandy (sometimes), Vernally Mesic (usually)	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Colorado Desert larkspur	Delphinium parishii ssp. subglobosum	4.3	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Pinyon and juniper woodland, Sonoran desert scrub		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
North island bush-poppy	Dendromecon harfordii var. harfordii	3.2	Chaparral, Closed-cone coniferous forest	Rocky	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Western dichondra	Dichondra occidentalis	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Orcutt's bird's-beak	Dicranostegia orcuttiana	2B.1	Coastal scrub	Found in coastal scrub associations on slopes; also reported from intermittently moist swales, and in washes. 0-200 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Cleveland's bush monkeyflower	Diplacus clevelandii	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Lower montane coniferous forest	Disturbed areas (often), Gabbroic, Openings, Rocky	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Variegated dudleya	Dudleya variegata	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	In rocky or clay soils; sometimes associated with vernal pool margins. 3-550 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Palmer's goldenbush	Ericameria palmeri var. palmeri	1B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	On granitic soils, on steep hillsides. Mesic sites. 5-625 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Vanishing wild buckwheat	Eriogonum evanidum	1B.1	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Lower montane coniferous forest; Pinon & juniper woodlands	Sandy sites. 975-2240 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego button-celery	Eryngium aristulatum var. parishii	FE/CE/1B.1	Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	San Diego mesa hardpan and claypan vernal pools and southern interior basalt flow vernal pools; usually surrounded by scrub. 15-880 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Palomar monkeyflower	Erythranthe diffusa	4.3	Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest	Gravelly (sometimes), Sandy (sometimes)	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Abrams' spurge	Euphorbia abramsiana	2B.2	Mojavean desert scrub; Sonoran desert scrub	Sandy sites45-1445 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Cliff spurge	Euphorbia misera	2B.2	Coastal bluff scrub; Coastal scrub; Mojavean desert scrub	Rocky sites. 3-430 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego barrel cactus	Ferocactus viridescens	2B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Often on exposed, level or south-sloping areas; often in coastal scrub near crest of slopes. 3-490 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Chaparral ash	Fraxinus parryi	2B.2	Chaparral	Open mixed chaparral and in the chaparral-sage scrub interface in California. 213-620 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Mexican flannelbush	Fremontodendron mexicanum	FE/CR/1B.1	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Ultramafic	Usually scattered along the borders of creeks or in dry canyons; found on gabbro, serpentine, or metavolcanics. 300-490 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Desert bedstraw	Galium proliferum	2B.2	Joshua tree woodland; Limestone; Mojavean desert scrub; Pinon & juniper woodlands	Rocky, limestone substrate. 105-1695 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Sticky geraea	Geraea viscida	2B.2	Chaparral	Loamy coarse sand to gravelly sand soils; often in post burned areas and in bulldozed areas. 500-1645 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Mission Canyon bluecup	Githopsis diffusa ssp. filicaulis	3.1	Chaparral		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego gumplant	Grindelia hallii	1B.2	Chaparral; Lower montane coniferous forest; Meadow & seep; Valley & foothill grassland	Frequently occurs in low moist areas in meadows. Associated species commonly include <i>Wyethia, Ranunculus, Sidalcea.</i> 180-1810 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Palmer's grapplinghook	Harpagonella palmeri	4.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Valley & foothill grassland	Clay soils; open grassy areas within shrubland. 20-955 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.

Hogwallow starfish	Hesperevax caulescens	4.2	Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools	Alkaline (sometimes)	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Tecate cypress	Hesperocyparis forbesii	1B.1	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral	Primarily on north-facing slopes; groves often associated with chaparral. On clay or gabbro. 60-1650 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Graceful tarplant	Holocarpha virgata ssp. elongata	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Vernal barley	Hordeum intercedens	3.2	Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools		Absent: No habitat onsite.
Ramona horkelia	Horkelia truncata	1B.3	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Ultramafic	Habitats in California include: mixed chaparral, vernal streams, and disturbed areas near roads. Clay soil; at least sometimes on gabbro. 380-1190 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Otay Mountain lotus	Hosackia crassifolia var. otayensis	1B.1	Chaparral	Metavolcanic, often in disturbed areas. 380-1005 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego sunflower	Hulsea californica	1B.3	Chaparral; Lower montane coniferous forest; Upper montane coniferous forest	Burns, clearings, or openings in chaparral and pine-oak woodland. 365-1860 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Decumbent goldenbush	Isocoma menziesii var. decumbens	1B.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Sandy soils; often in disturbed sites. 1-915 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
San Diego marsh-elder	Iva hayesiana	2B.2	Alkali playa; Marsh & swamp; Wetland	Riverwashes. 1-430 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Southern California black walnut	Juglans californica	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Riparian woodland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Southwestern spiny rush	Juncus acutus ssp. leopoldii	4.2	Coastal dunes, Marshes and swamps, Meadows and seeps		Absent: No habitat onsite.
Coulter's goldfields	Lasthenia glabrata ssp. coulteri	1B.1	Alkali playa; Marsh & swamp; Salt marsh; Vernal pool; Wetland	Usually found on alkaline soils in playas, sinks, and grasslands. 1-1375 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Pride-of-California	Lathyrus splendens	4.3	Chaparral		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Gander's pitcher sage	Lepechinia ganderi	1B.3	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Ultramafic; Valley & foothill grassland	Usually found in chaparral or coastal scrub; sometimes in Tecate cypress woodland. Gabbro or metavolcanic substrate. 300-1005 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Robinson's pepper-grass	Lepidium virginicum var. robinsonii	4.3	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Dry soils, shrubland. 4-1435 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Humboldt lily	Lilium humboldtii ssp. humboldtii	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Lower montane coniferous forest	Openings	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Ocellated Humboldt lily	Lilium humboldtii ssp. ocellatum	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Lower montane coniferous forest, Riparian woodland	Openings	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
California box-thorn	Lycium californicum	4.2	Coastal bluff scrub, Coastal scrub		Absent: No habitat onsite.
Small-flowered microseris	Microseris douglasii ssp. platycarpha	4.2	Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools	Clay	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Felt-leaved monardella	Monardella hypoleuca ssp. lanata	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland	Occurs in understory in mixed chaparral, chamise chaparral, and southern oak woodland; sandy soil. 425-1585 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Jennifer's monardella	Monardella stoneana	1B.2	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Riparian scrub	Usually found in rocky, intermittent streambeds. 170-795 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
California spineflower	Mucronea californica	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal dunes, Coastal scrub, Valley and foothill grassland	Sandy	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Little mousetail	Myosurus minimus ssp. apus	3.1	Valley & foothill grassland; Vernal pool; Wetland	Alkaline soils. 20-640 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Mud nama	Nama stenocarpa	2B.2	Marsh & swamp; Wetland	Lake shores, river banks, intermittently wet areas. 15-815 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Spreading navarretia	Navarretia fossalis	FT/1B.1	Alkali playa; Chenopod scrub; Marsh & swamp; Vernal pool; Wetland	San Diego hardpan and San Diego claypan vernal pools; in swales and vernal pools, often surrouded by other habitat types. 15-850 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Chaparral nolina	Nolina cismontana	1B.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Ultramafic	Primarily on sandstone and shale substrates; also known from gabbro. 140-1100 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Dehesa nolina	Nolina interrata	CE/1B.1	Chaparral; Ultramafic	Typically on rocky hillsides or ravines on ultramafic soils (gabbro, serpentine, or metavolcanic). 255-735 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
California adder's-tongue	Ophioglossum californicum	4.2	Chaparral, Valley and foothill grassland, Vernal pools	Mesic	Absent: No habitat onsite.

California Orcutt grass	Orcuttia californica	FE/CE/1B.1	Vernal pool; Wetland	10-660 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Baja California birdbush	Ornithostaphylos oppositifolia	CE/2B.1	Chaparral		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Gander's ragwort	Packera ganderi	CR/1B.2	Chaparral; Ultramafic	Recently burned sites and gabbro outcrops. 485-1070 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Golden-rayed pentachaeta	Pentachaeta aurea ssp. aurea	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Coastal scrub, Lower montane coniferous forest, Riparian woodland, Valley and foothill grassland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Woolly chaparral-pea	Pickeringia montana var. tomentosa	4.3	Chaparral	Clay, Gabbroic, Granitic	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Coleman's rein orchid	Piperia colemanii	4.3	Chaparral, Lower montane coniferous forest	Sandy (often)	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Chaparral rein orchid	Piperia cooperi	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Valley and foothill grassland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Narrow-petaled rein orchid	Piperia leptopetala	4.3	Cismontane woodland, Lower montane coniferous forest, Upper montane coniferous forest		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Otay Mesa mint	Pogogyne nudiuscula	FE/CE/1B.1	Vernal pool; Wetland	Dry beds of vernal pools and moist swales with <i>Eryngium aristulatum</i> var. <i>parishii</i> and <i>Orcuttia californica</i> . 135-165 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Fish's milkwort	Polygala cornuta var. fishiae	4.3	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Riparian woodland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
White rabbit-tobacco	Pseudognaphalium leucocephalum	2B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub; Riparian woodland	Sandy, gravelly sites. 35-515 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Cedros Island oak	Quercus cedrosensis	2B.2	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Coastal scrub	130-975 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Nuttall's scrub oak	Quercus dumosa	1B.1	Closed-cone coniferous forest; Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Generally on sandy soils near the coast; sometimes on clay loam. 15-640 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Engelmann oak	Quercus engelmannii	4.2	Chaparral, Cismontane woodland, Riparian woodland, Valley and foothill grassland		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Moreno currant	Ribes canthariforme	1B.3	Chaparral; Riparian scrub	Among boulders in oak-manzanita thickets; shaded or partially shaded sites. 30-1430 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Coulter's matilija poppy	Romneya coulteri	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub	Burned areas (often)	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Munz's sage	Salvia munzii	2B.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Rolling hills and slopes, in rocky soil. 35-575 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Tracy's sanicle	Sanicula tracyi	4.2	Cismontane woodland, Lower montane coniferous forest, Upper montane coniferous forest	Openings	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Southern mountains skullcap	Scutellaria bolanderi ssp. austromontana	1B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Lower montane coniferous forest	In gravelly soils on streambanks or in mesic sites in oak or pine woodland. 425-2000 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Ashy spike-moss	Selaginella cinerascens	4.1	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Chaparral ragwort	Senecio aphanactis	2B.2	Chaparral; Cismontane woodland; Coastal scrub	Drying alkaline flats. 20-1020 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Cove's cassia	Senna covesii	2B.2	Desert wash; Sonoran desert scrub	Dry, sandy desert washes, slopes. 255-1295 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Hammitt's clay-cress	Sibaropsis hammittii	1B.2	Chaparral; Valley & foothill grassland	Mesic microsites in open areas on clay soils in <i>Stipa</i> grassland. Often surrounded by <i>Adenostoma</i> chaparral. 715-1040 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Bottle liverwort	Sphaerocarpos drewiae	1B.1	Chaparral; Coastal scrub	Liverwort in openings; on soil. 60-585 m.	Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Purple stemodia	Stemodia durantifolia	2B.1	Sonoran desert scrub	Sandy soils; mesic sites. 35-385 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego County needle grass	Stipa diegoensis	4.2	Chaparral, Coastal scrub	Mesic (often), Rocky	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.

Laguna Mountains jewelflower	Streptanthus bernardinus	4.3	Chaparral; Lower montane coniferous forest; Upper montane coniferous forest	Clay or decomposed granite soils; sometimes in disturbed areas such as streamsides or roadcuts. 1440-2500 m.	Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
Estuary seablite	Suaeda esteroa	1B.2	Marsh & swamp; Salt marsh; Wetland	Coastal salt marshes in clay, silt, and sand substrates. 0-80 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
Parry's tetracoccus	Tetracoccus dioicus	1B.2	Chaparral; Coastal scrub; Ultramafic	Stony, decomposed gabbro soil. 135-705 m.	Absent: No habitat onsite.
San Diego County viguiera	Viguiera laciniata	4.3	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
Rush-like bristleweed	Xanthisma junceum	4.3	Chaparral, Coastal scrub		Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.

\*Definitions of Status Codes: FE = Federally listed as endangered; FT = Federally proposed for listing as threatened; FC = Candidate for Federal listing; MB = Migratory Bird Act; CE = California State listed as endangered; CT = California State listed as threatened; CSSC = California species of special concern; CR = California fully protected species; CRPR (California Rare Plants presumed extinct in California by; CRPR List 1B = Plants designated rare, threatened or endangered in California and elsewhere; CRPR List 2A = Plants presumed extirpated in California; but more common elsewhere; CRPR 3 Review List: Plants about which more information is needed and CRPR 4 = Watch List: Plants of limited distribution. CRPR Threat Ranks: 0.1 = seriously threatened in California; S3 = not very threatened in California.

#### \*\*\*Definitions of Occurrence Probability Rankings:

- Present: Species was observed during site visit. Or
- Present: Species has been previously documented to occur within the Study Area.
- Potential to occur: Suitable habitat present.
- Low potential to occur: Marginal habitat is present.
- Absent: No habitat onsite.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Copied verbatim from CNDDB, unless otherwise noted.

# Appendix D

**CEQA Checklist** 

# **CEQA Checklist**

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED:**

The environmental factors checked below would be potentially affected by this project, involving at least one impact that is a "Potentially Significant Impact" as indicated by the checklist on the following pages. Where noted below with a checked box for yes, the topic with a potentially significant impact will be addressed in an environmental impact report.

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☐ Aesthetics	☐ Hazards / Hazardous Materials	☐ Transportation
☐ Agriculture and Forest Resour	ces   Hydrology / Water Quality	☐ Tribal Cultural Resources
☐ Air Quality	☐ Land Use / Planning	☐ Utilities / Service Systems
☐ Biological Resources	☐ Mineral Resources	☐ Wildfire
☐ Cultural Resources	☐ Noise	☐ Mandatory Findings of
☐ Energy	☐ Population / Housing	Significance —
☐ Geology / Soils	☐ Public Services	⊠ None
☐ Greenhouse Gas Emissions	☐ Recreation	☐ None with Mitigation Incorporated

#### **DETERMINATION** (To be completed by the Lead Agency)

On the basis of this initial evaluation:

- Yes I find that the proposed project could not have a significant effect on the environment, and a **NEGATIVE DECLARATION** will be prepared.
- No I find that although the proposed project COULD have a significant effect on the environment, there WILL NOT be a significant effect in this case because revisions in the project have been made by or agreed to by the project proponent. A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION will be prepared.
- No I find that the proposed project MAY have a significant effect on the environment, and an ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required.
- No I find that the proposed project MAY have a "potentially significant impact" or "potentially significant unless mitigated" impact on the environment, but at least one effect 1) has been adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and 2) has been addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis as described on attached sheets. An ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT is required, but it must analyze only the effects that remain to be addressed.
- No
  I find that although the proposed project could have a significant effect on the environment, because all potentially significant effects (a) have been analyzed adequately in an earlier EIR or NEGATIVE DECLARATION pursuant to applicable standards, and (b) have been avoided or mitigated pursuant to that earlier EIR or NEGATIVE DECLARATION, including revisions or mitigation measures that are imposed upon the proposed project, nothing further is required.

Signature Signature AD7D070BCB66466	Date 7/28/2025
Printed Name	Title_Environmental Program Manager
Agency California Department of Fish and Wildlife	

#### **EVALUATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS**

- 1. A brief explanation is required for all answers except "No Impact" answers that are adequately supported by the information sources a lead agency cites in the parentheses following each question. A "No Impact" answer is adequately supported if the referenced information sources show that the impact simply does not apply to projects like the one involved (e.g., the project falls outside a fault rupture zone). A "No Impact" answer should be explained where it is based on project-specific factors as well as general standards (e.g., the project will not expose sensitive receptors to pollutants, based on a project-specific screening analysis).
- 2. All answers must take account of the whole action involved, including off-site as well as on-site, cumulative as well as project-level, indirect as well as direct, and construction as well as operational impacts.
- 3. Once the lead agency has determined that a particular physical impact may occur, then the checklist answers must indicate whether the impact is potentially significant, less than significant with mitigation, or less than significant. "Potentially Significant Impact" is appropriate if there is substantial evidence that an effect may be significant. If there are one or more "Potentially Significant Impact" entries when the determination is made, an EIR is required.
- 4. "Negative Declaration: Less Than Significant With Mitigation Incorporated" applies where the incorporation of mitigation measures has reduced an effect from "Potentially Significant Impact" to a "Less Than Significant Impact." The lead agency must describe the mitigation measures, and briefly explain how they reduce the effect to a less than significant level (mitigation measures from "Earlier Analyses," as described in (5) below, may be cross-referenced).
- 5. Earlier analyses may be used where, pursuant to the tiering, program EIR, or other CEQA process, an effect has been adequately analyzed in an earlier EIR or negative declaration. Section 15063(c)(3)(D). In this case, a brief discussion should identify the following:
  - a) Earlier Analysis Used. Identify and state where they are available for review.
  - b) Impacts Adequately Addressed. Identify which effects from the above checklist were within the scope of and adequately analyzed in an earlier document pursuant to applicable legal standards, and state whether such effects were addressed by mitigation measures based on the earlier analysis.
  - c) Mitigation Measures. For effects that are "Less than Significant with Mitigation Measures Incorporated," describe the mitigation measures which were incorporated or refined from the earlier document and the extent to which they address site-specific conditions for the project.
- 6. Lead agencies are encouraged to incorporate into the checklist references to information sources for potential impacts (e.g., general plans, zoning ordinances). Reference to a previously prepared or outside document should, where appropriate, include a reference to the page or pages where the statement is substantiated.
- 7. Supporting Information Sources: A source list should be attached, and other sources used or individuals contacted should be cited in the discussion.
- 8. This is only a suggested form, and lead agencies are free to use different formats; however, lead agencies should normally address the questions from this checklist that are relevant to a project's environmental effects in whatever format is selected.
- 9. The explanation of each issue should identify:
  - a) the significance criteria or threshold, if any, used to evaluate each question; and
  - b) the mitigation measure identified, if any, to reduce the impact to less than significance.

# I. AESTHETICS

ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
I. Aesthetics.  Except as provided in Public Resources Code section 21099 (where aesthetic impacts shall not be considered significant for qualifying residential, mixed-use residential, and employment centers), would the project:				
a) Have a substantial adverse effect on a scenic vista?				$\boxtimes$
b) Substantially damage scenic resources, including, but not limited to, trees, rock outcroppings, and historic buildings within a state scenic highway?				
c) In non-urbanized areas, substantially degrade the existing visual character or quality of public views of the site and its surroundings? (Public views are those that are experienced from publicly accessible vantage points.) If the project is in an urbanized area, would the project conflict with applicable zoning and other regulations governing scenic quality?				
d) Create a new source of substantial light or glare which would adversely affect day or nighttime views in the area?				$\boxtimes$

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.1, Aesthetics, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### II. AGRICULTURE AND FOREST RESOURCES

	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
In coare reference when the coare reference with the coare reference with the coare reference re	Agriculture and Forest Resources. determining whether impacts to agricultural resources significant environmental effects, lead agencies may er to the California Agricultural Land Evaluation and Assessment Model (1997, as updated) prepared by California Department of Conservation as an optional del to use in assessing impacts on agriculture and mland. Determining whether impacts to forest resources, uding timberland, are significant environmental ects, lead agencies may refer to information compiled the California Department of Forestry and Fire tection regarding the state's inventory of forest land, uding the Forest and Range Assessment Project and Forest Legacy Assessment project; and forest carbon assurement methodology provided in Forest Protocols opted by the California Air Resources Board. Would the eject:				
a)	Convert Prime Farmland, Unique Farmland, or Farmland of Statewide Importance (Farmland), as shown on the maps prepared pursuant to the Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program of the California Resources Agency, to non-agricultural use?				
b)	Conflict with existing zoning for agricultural use or a Williamson Act contract?				
c)	Conflict with existing zoning for, or cause rezoning of, forest land (as defined in Public Resources Code section 12220(g)), timberland (as defined by Public Resources Code section 4526), or timberland zoned Timberland Production (as defined by Government Code section 51104(g))?				
d)	Result in the loss of forest land or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?				
e)	Involve other changes in the existing environment, which, due to their location or nature, could result in conversion of Farmland to non-agricultural use or conversion of forest land to non-forest use?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.2, Agriculture and Forestry Services, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### III. AIR QUALITY

	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
Wh the pol	Air Quality. ere available, the significance criteria established by applicable air quality management district or air lution control district may be relied on to make the owing determinations.				
dist	significance criteria established by the applicable air rict available to rely on for significance erminations? Would the project:				
a)	Conflict with or obstruct implementation of the applicable air quality plan?				$\boxtimes$
b)	Result in a cumulatively considerable net increase of any criteria pollutant for which the project region is non-attainment under an applicable federal or state ambient air quality standard?				
c)	Expose sensitive receptors to substantial pollutant concentrations?				$\boxtimes$
d)	Result in other emissions (such as those leading to odors) adversely affecting a substantial number of people?				$\boxtimes$

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.3, Air Quality, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### IV. BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES

	ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
	Biological Resources.  ould the project:				
a)	Have a substantial adverse effect, either directly or through habitat modifications, on any species identified as a candidate, sensitive, or special-status species in local or regional plans, policies, or regulations, or by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife or the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?				
b)	Have a substantial adverse effect on any riparian habitat or other sensitive natural community identified in local or regional plans, policies, or regulations or by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife or the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service?				
c)	Have a substantial adverse effect on state or federally protected wetlands (including, but not limited to, marsh, vernal pool, coastal, etc.) through direct removal, filling, hydrological interruption, or other means?				
d)	Interfere substantially with the movement of any native resident or migratory fish or wildlife species or with established native resident or migratory wildlife corridors, or impede the use of native wildlife nursery sites?				
e)	Conflict with any local policies or ordinances protecting biological resources, such as a tree preservation policy or ordinance?				$\boxtimes$
f)	Conflict with the provisions of an adopted Habitat Conservation Plan, Natural Community Conservation Plan, or other approved local, regional, or state habitat conservation plan?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.4, Biological Resources, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# V. CULTURAL RESOURCES

	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
	Cultural Resources.  ould the project:				
a)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource pursuant to Section 15064.5?				
b)	Cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource pursuant to Section 15064.5?				
c)	Substantially disturb human remains, including those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries?				$\boxtimes$

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.5, Cultural Resources, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### VI. ENERGY

VI. Energy. Would the project:	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
<ul> <li>a) Result in potentially significant environmental impact due to wasteful, inefficient, or unnecessary consumption of energy resources, during project construction or operation?</li> </ul>				
b) Conflict with or obstruct a state or local plan for renewable energy or energy efficiency?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.6, Energy for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# VII. GEOLOGY AND SOILS

		ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
		ology and Soils.				
		the project:				
a)	adv	ectly or indirectly cause potential substantial verse effects, including the risk of loss, injury, or ath involving:				
	i)	Rupture of a known earthquake fault, as delineated on the most recent Alquist-Priolo Earthquake Fault Zoning Map issued by the State Geologist for the area or based on other substantial evidence of a known fault? (Refer to California Geological Survey Special Publication 42.)				
	ii)	Strong seismic ground shaking?				$\boxtimes$
	iii)	Seismic-related ground failure, including liquefaction?				
	iv)	Landslides?				$\boxtimes$
b)	Res	sult in substantial soil erosion or the loss of topsoil?				$\boxtimes$
c)						
d)	B o cre	located on expansive soil, as defined in Table 18-1- if the Uniform Building Code (1994, as updated), ating substantial direct or indirect risks to life or operty?				
e)	of s	ve soils incapable of adequately supporting the use septic tanks or alternative waste water disposal tems where sewers are not available for the posal of waste water?				
f)		ectly or indirectly destroy a unique paleontological ource or site or unique geologic feature?				$\boxtimes$

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.7, Geology and Soils, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### VIII. GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
VIII. Greenhouse Gas Emissions. Would the project:				
a) Generate greenhouse gas emissions, either directly or indirectly, that may have a significant impact on the environment?				
b) Conflict with an applicable plan, policy or regulation adopted for the purpose of reducing the emissions of greenhouse gases?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.8, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### IX. HAZARDS AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

	ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
	Hazards and Hazardous Materials. buld the project:				
a)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through the routine transport, use, or disposal of hazardous materials?				
b)	Create a significant hazard to the public or the environment through reasonably foreseeable upset and/or accident conditions involving the release of hazardous materials into the environment?				
c)	Emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or acutely hazardous materials, substances, or waste within one-quarter mile of an existing or proposed school?				
d)	Be located on a site which is included on a list of hazardous materials sites compiled pursuant to Government Code Section 65962.5 and, as a result, would it create a significant hazard to the public or the environment?				
e)	For a project located within an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project result in a safety hazard or excessive noise for people residing or working in the project area?				
f)	Impair implementation of or physically interfere with an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?				
g) 	Expose people or structures, either directly or indirectly, to a significant risk of loss, injury, or death involving wildland fires?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.9, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### X. HYDROLOGY AND WATER QUALITY

		ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
	•	drology and Water Quality. the project:				
a)	req	late any water quality standards or waste discharge uirements or otherwise substantially degrade face or groundwater quality?				
b)	inte tha	ostantially decrease groundwater supplies or erfere substantially with groundwater recharge such t the project may impede sustainable groundwater nagement of the basin?				
c)	site cou	estantially alter the existing drainage pattern of the error or area, including through the alteration of the urse of a stream or river or through the addition of pervious surfaces, in a manner which would:				
	i)	Result in substantial on- or offsite erosion or siltation;				$\boxtimes$
	ii)	Substantially increase the rate or amount of surface runoff in a manner which would result in flooding on- or offsite;				
	iii)	Create or contribute runoff water which would exceed the capacity of existing or planned stormwater drainage systems or provide substantial additional sources of polluted runoff; or				
	iv)	Impede or redirect flood flows?				$\boxtimes$
d)		flood hazard, tsunami, or seiche zones, risk release pollutants due to project inundation?				
e)	qua	nflict with or obstruct implementation of a water ality control plan or sustainable groundwater nagement plan?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.10, Hydrology/Water Quality, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XI. LAND USE AND PLANNING

	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
	Land Use and Planning. ould the project:				
a)	Physically divide an established community?				$\boxtimes$
b)	Cause a significant environmental impact due to a conflict with any land use plan, policy, or regulation adopted for the purpose of avoiding or mitigating an environmental effect?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.11, Land Use and Planning, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XII. MINERAL RESOURCES

ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XII. Mineral Resources. Would the project:				
a) Result in the loss of availability of a known mineral resource that would be of value to the region and the residents of the state?				
b) Result in the loss of availability of a locally important mineral resource recovery site delineated on a local general plan, specific plan, or other land use plan?	t 🗆			

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.12, Mineral Resources, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### XIII. NOISE

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact		
XIII.Noise. Would the project result in:						
Generation of a substantial temporary or permanent increase in ambient noise levels in the vicinity of the project in excess of standards established in the local general plan or noise ordinance, or applicable standards of other agencies, or a substantial temporary or permanent increase in noise levels above existing ambient levels that could result in an adverse effect on humans?						
Generation of excessive groundborne vibration or groundborne noise levels?						
For a project located within the vicinity of a private airstrip or an airport land use plan or, where such a plan has not been adopted, within two miles of a public airport or public use airport, would the project expose people residing or working in the project area to excessive noise levels?						

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.13, Noise, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

#### XIV. POPULATION AND HOUSING

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XIV. Population and Housing. Would the project:				
a) Induce substantial unplanned population growth in an area, either directly (for example, by proposing new homes and businesses) or indirectly (for example, through extension of roads or other infrastructure)?				
b) Displace substantial numbers of existing people or housing, necessitating the construction of replacement housing elsewhere?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.14, Population and Housing, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XV. PUBLIC SERVICES

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XV. Public Services. Would the project:				
a) Result in substantial adverse physical impacts associated with the provision of new or physically altered governmental facilities, or the need for new or physically altered governmental facilities, the construction of which could cause significant environmental impacts, in order to maintain acceptable service ratios, response times, or other performance objectives for any of the public services:				
Fire protection?				$\boxtimes$
Police protection?				$\boxtimes$
Schools?				$\boxtimes$
Parks?				$\boxtimes$
Other public facilities?				$\boxtimes$

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.15, Public Services, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XVI. RECREATION

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XVI. Recreation. Would the project:				
a) Increase the use of existing neighborhood and regional parks or other recreational facilities such that substantial physical deterioration of the facility would occur or be accelerated?				
b) Include recreational facilities or require the construction or expansion of recreational facilities that might have an adverse physical effect on the environment?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.16, Recreation, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XVII. TRANSPORTATION

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XVII. Transportation. Would the project:				
a) Conflict with a program, plan, ordinance or policy addressing the circulation system, including transit, roadway, bicycle, and pedestrian facilities?				
b) Conflict or be inconsistent with CEQA Guidelines section 15064.3, subdivision (b)?				
c) Substantially increase hazards due to a geometric design feature (e.g., sharp curves or dangerous intersections) or incompatible uses (e.g., farm equipment)?				
d) Result in inadequate emergency access?				$\boxtimes$

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.17, Transportation, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XVIII. TRIBAL CULTURAL RESOURCES

ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XVIII. Tribal Cultural Resources. Has a California Native American Tribe requested consultation in accordance with Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1(b)?				
Would the project cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a tribal cultural resource, defined in Public Resources Code section 21074 as either a site, feature, place, cultural landscape that is geographically defined in terms of the size and scope of the landscape, sacred place, or object with cultural value to a California Native American tribe, and that is:				
a) Listed or eligible for listing in the California Register of Historical Resources, or in a local register of historical resources as defined in Public Resources Code section 5020.1(k)?				
b) A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion and supported by substantial evidence, to be significant pursuant to criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resources Code Section 5024.1. In applying the criteria set forth in subdivision (c) of Public Resource Code Section 5024.1, the lead agency shall consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American tribe?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.18, Tribal Cultural Resources, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XIX. UTILITIES AND SERVICE SYSTEMS

	ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XIX Wo	. Utilities and Service Systems. uld the project:				
a)	Require or result in the relocation or construction of construction of new or expanded water, wastewater treatment or stormwater drainage, electric power, natural gas, or telecommunication facilities, the construction or relocation of which could cause significant environmental effects?				
b)	Have insufficient water supplies available to serve the project and reasonably foreseeable future development during normal, dry and multiple dry years?				
c)	Result in a determination by the wastewater treatment provider that serves or may serve the project that it has inadequate capacity to serve the project's projected demand, in addition to the provider's existing commitments?				
d)	Generate solid waste in excess of State or local standards, or in excess of the capacity of local infrastructure, or otherwise impair the attainment of solid waste reduction goals?				
e)	Fail to comply with federal, state, and local management and reduction statutes and regulations related to solid waste?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.19, Utilities and Service Systems, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XX. WILDFIRE

	ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
Is to or If Ideal	he project located in or near state responsibility areas lands classified as high fire hazard severity zones? ocated in or near state responsibility areas or lands ssified as very high fire hazard severity zones, would exproject:				
a)	Substantially impair an adopted emergency response plan or emergency evacuation plan?				$\boxtimes$
b)	Due to slope, prevailing winds, and other factors, exacerbate wildfire risks, and thereby expose project occupants to pollutant concentrations from a wildfire or the uncontrolled spread of a wildfire?				
c)	Require the installation of associated infrastructure (such as roads, fuel breaks, emergency water sources, power lines or other utilities) that may exacerbate fire risk or that may result in temporary or ongoing impacts to the environment?				
d)	Expose people or structures to significant risks, including downslope or downstream flooding or landslides, as a result of runoff, post-fire slope instability, or drainage changes?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.20, Wildfire, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# XXI. MANDATORY FINDINGS OF SIGNIFICANCE

	ENVIRONMENTALISSUES	Potentially Significant Impact	Less Than Significant with Mitigation Incorporated	Less Than Significant Impact	No Impact
XX	. Mandatory Findings of Significance.				
a)	Does the project have the potential to substantially degrade the quality of the environment, substantially reduce the habitat of a fish or wildlife species, cause a fish or wildlife population to drop below self-sustaining levels, threaten to eliminate a plant or animal community, substantially reduce the number or restrict the range of an endangered, rare, or threatened species, or eliminate important examples of the major periods of California history or prehistory?				
b)	Does the project have impacts that are individually limited, but cumulatively considerable? ("Cumulatively considerable" means that the incremental effects of a project are considerable when viewed in connection with the effects of past projects, the effects of other current projects, and the effects of probable future projects.)				
c)	Does the project have environmental effects that will cause substantial adverse effects on human beings, either directly or indirectly?				

Please refer to EA/IS Section 4.2.21, Mandatory Findings of Significance, for the analysis. There would be no impact.

# Appendix E

Cultural Resources Study and Technical Review

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## INTRODUCTION

The Jamul Indian Village of California (JIV or Tribe) is seeking to acquire a 1.1-acre portion of the Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve (RJER) from the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) to support the future expansion of its cemetery. To facilitate this request, CDFW is proposing to dispose of the 1.1-acre segment of RJER (the "Disposal Property") in exchange for the approximately 4.0-acre Slee property (the "Exchange Property"), which was recently acquired by the Tribe and is located adjacent to the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area (HCWA).

CDFW's approval of the proposed land disposal and exchange constitutes a discretionary action subject to environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Although the Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve (RJER) is owned and managed by CDFW, its establishment was partially funded through a Section 6 grant from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended, as well as a grant from the California Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB). Section 6 of the Act authorizes USFWS to provide federal financial assistance through the Cooperative Endangered Species Conservation Fund to states and territories for the development and implementation of conservation programs benefiting listed, candidate, and at-risk species on non-federal lands. Because the 1.1-acre Disposal Property—part of the RJER—was acquired using Section 6 funds, USFWS review and approval are required for any proposed land disposal or exchange. Accordingly, the action is also subject to environmental review under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). To complete the proposed exchange, and in accordance with USFWS Federal Financial Assistance Manual Part 520, Chapter 7.37 (Real Property, After Close of Escrow), a Notice of Federal Participation must be recorded on the title of the Exchange Property to reflect its federal nexus as a substitute for the Disposal Property.

The Proposed Action involves the disposal of a 1.1-acre portion of Assessor Parcel Number (APN) 597-080-07, currently held in fee title by CDFW and encumbered by a federal nexus due to its original acquisition with federal funds. This parcel is proposed to be conveyed to the JIV to support the future expansion of its existing cemetery. While the cemetery expansion itself falls outside the jurisdiction of both CDFW and USFWS and is not part of the Proposed Action, it would remain subject to all applicable federal, state, and local regulations, including the County Zoning Ordinance.

Ascent retained ASM Affiliates (ASM) to perform a technical review of previously prepared cultural resources studies for the Jamul Indian Village Land Disposal and Exchange (Project). The JIV has requested use of a 1.1-acre parcel, the Disposal Property (APN 597-080-07), located adjacent to the existing JIV Cemetery, located in unincorporated San Diego County, California, and managed by the CDFW. A 4.0-acre pair of parcels held in fee by JIV, the Exchange Property (APNs 600-10-105 and 600-10-104), is located near the southeast corner of the HCWA and will be conveyed to CDFW in exchange for the removal of the Disposal Property from the RJER. The objective of this study was to assess the technical review of the cultural resources inventory of the Disposal Property, the cultural resources inventory of the Exchange Property, to present the results of the field check of the Disposal Property conducted by ASM Affiliates), and to provide Section 106 and CEQA Standards and Reporting in support of the Action. This report summarizes the technical review of the cultural resources inventory of the Disposal Property, the cultural resources inventory of the Exchange Property, and presents the results of the field check of the Disposal Property conducted by ASM Affiliates.

#### PROJECT LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION

The Jamul Indian Village of California (JIV), located in southeastern unincorporated San Diego County, has requested use of a 1.1-acre parcel, the Disposal Property (APN 597-080-07), located adjacent to the

existing JIV Cemetery and managed by the California Department of Fish & Wildlife (CDFW). A 4.0-acre pair of parcels held in fee by JIV, the Exchange Property (APNs 600-10-105 and 600-10-104), is located near the southeast corner of the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area (HCWA) and will be conveyed to CDFW in exchange for the removal of the Disposal Property (APN 597-080-07), from the Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve (RJER) (Figures 1 & 2). As the CDFW manages the Disposal Property, the CDFW acts as the lead agency for this project to ensure compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Because the original purchase of the Disposal Property was funded via a United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) grant under Section 6 of the Endangered Species Act (ESA), the USFWS is required to review and approve land disposals/exchange with the RJER. Therefore, this Project is a federal undertaking and subject to the requirements of Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) with the USFWS acting as lead agency to ensure compliance with the National Environmental Protection Act (NEPA). ASM Affiliates (ASM) was contracted to provide a technical review of previously prepared cultural resources studies for the Jamul Indian Village Land Disposal and Exchange (Project). The lead agencies are responsible for conducting Tribal Consultation, which is in progress.

In 2021, Montrose Environmental Solutions prepared a report authored by Charlane Gross, MA, RPA, titled *Cultural Memorandum: Jamul Land Transfer Project* (Appendix B) located at the JIV, outlining the proposed transfer of land owned by the CDFW to the JIV. The *Cultural Memorandum* was assessed by ASM for compliance with CEQA, NEPA/NHPA, NAGPRA, Section 106 and AB52 regulations. As part of research for the Disposal Property Cultural Memorandum, a record search was conducted at the South Coastal Information Center (SCIC) of the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) on October 25, 2021. The search found that four previous surveys intersected the area of potential effect (APE) but did not include the entirety of the Disposal Property. The SCIC reported 37 cultural resources, primarily prehistoric sites, which were identified within a 0.5-mile buffer, but not within the Disposal Property.

An archaeological survey of the Disposal Property was conducted in 2021 by Montrose. During the archaeological survey, parallel transects spaced 50 feet (ft.) apart were surveyed; ground surface visibility was good and averaged about 50 percent visibility. Several fragments of cobalt glass were noted immediately north of the property, in the area JIV's Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) previously noted historic artifacts. During the survey, no cultural resources or historic properties were identified on the property, and, therefore, a finding of No Historic Properties Affected was recommended in the cultural resources assessment for the property. With adequate survey coverage, lack of resources present, and no ground disturbance proposed for this undertaking, ASM recommends that the Proposed Action would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource and there would be no impact. Additionally, as there would be no ground disturbance associated with the Proposed Action, there would be no opportunity to disturb any human remains, including those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries and, thus, no impact. The Cultural Memorandum prepared by Montrose (Attachment B) was reviewed by ASM; ASM recommends that the study is adequate and supports compliance with federal, state, and local regulations.

In 2022, Helix Environmental prepared a report authored by Theodore Cooley, RPA, and Mary Robbin-Wade, RPA, titled *Cultural Resources Due Diligence Constraints Assessment Study for the Campo Road Property (Martha Slee)*. Helix conducted the due diligence/constraints analysis related to cultural resources, which included a records search, Sacred Lands Files (SLF) search, and a field survey of the property. The due diligence study was assessed by ASM for compliance with Section 106 and AB52 regulations. As part of research for the Exchange Property due diligence study, a record search was conducted at the SCIC of the CHRIS (no date provided). The records search found that 25 previous surveys had been performed within the one-mile records search area of the area of potential effect (APE). The SCIC records search results also revealed that 71 cultural resources have been previously identified within the one-mile radius surrounding the subject site, none of which are recorded within or immediately adjacent to the subject property. These resources consist of 47 prehistoric archaeological sites, four historic archaeological sites,

three multicomponent (containing a historic and a prehistoric component) archaeological sites, 12 precontact isolated artifact finds, four historic isolated artifact finds, and one isolated find containing both a prehistoric artifact and a historic artifact.

A review of historic maps showed no development within the Disposal Property, only roads. A pair of buildings were shown on nearby quadrangles, but they are likely associated with the Saint Francis Xavier Cemetery church. According to consultation undertaken with the THPO of the JIV in advance of the archaeological survey, it was noted there is a dense resource concentration of prehistoric resources in the vicinity, which is verified by the presence of an ethnographic village nearby, thus indicating a potential for prehistoric resources. JIV's THPO also indicated that she found historic artifacts immediately north of the APE (Montrose Environmental Solutions, 2021).

The removal of the ecological reserve protections resulting from the land transfer of the Disposal Property would enable the Tribe to develop the site; however, any activities associated with the future cemetery expansion are not part of the Proposed Action and would be subject to compliance with federal, state, and local regulations. No impact to cultural resources or historic properties will result at the Disposal Property from the proposed action.

The addition of ecological protections at the Exchange Property will further protect and enhance the natural and cultural landscape. Although one site is documented at the Disposal Property, no impact to cultural resources or historic properties will result from the proposed action.

Two project areas were investigated for this report: Disposal Property (APN 597-080-07) and Exchange Property (APNs 600-10-105 and 600-10-104). The Disposal Property and Exchange Property both lack development with the exception of roads and footpaths. All project areas are on the Dulzura USGS 7.5-minute topographic quadrangle in the unincorporated community of Jamul in southeastern San Diego County.

ASM conducted an analysis of the previous cultural resource studies described above (Attachment B, and Attachment C) conducted for the Project by Montrose Environmental Solutions and Helix Environmental, in coordination with Ascent. ASM conducted field checks of the Disposal Property on November 13, 2024, and the Exchange Property on January 14, 2025.

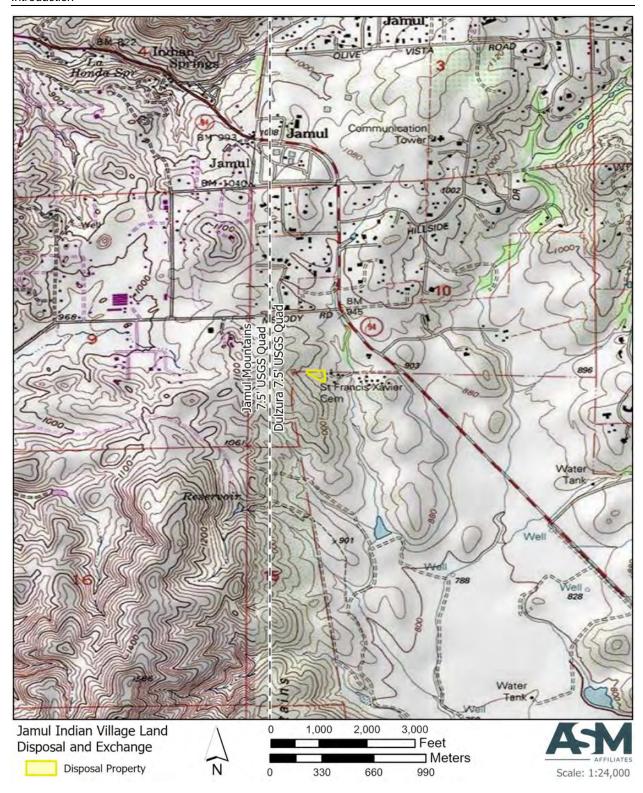


Figure 1. USGS topographic map Project location of the Disposal Property.

The Disposal Property is an approximately 1.1-acre triangular-shaped property on the northern boundary of the RJER in unincorporated San Diego County. It is a small piece of a larger parcel (APN 597-080-07) owned by CDFW (Figure 4). The property is in Section 10, Township 17 South, Range 1 East on the Dulzura, CA 7.5-minute US Geological Survey (USGS) Quadrangle. The Property is zoned as A72 General Agriculture, currently undeveloped and vacant. The Disposal Property is approximately 1.1 acres and is bounded by privately owned undeveloped land to the north, the JIV's Saint Francis Xavier Cemetery to the east, and the conservation land within the RJER to the south and west. The Disposal Property is dominated by chamise chaparral and mixed non-native grasses.

The Exchange Property is owned by the Tribe and is located within Township 17 South, Range 2 East on Dulzura, CA 7.5-minute USGS Quadrangle. The Property is zoned as A72 General Agricultural Use and designated Semi-Rural Residential in the County of San Diego's General Plan; it is undeveloped and vacant. The Exchange Property project area is approximately 4.0 acres and is bounded by residential development to the north and west, privately owned undeveloped land to the south, and the HCWA to the east. The Exchange Property is dominated by dense chamise chaparral and rocky outcrops.

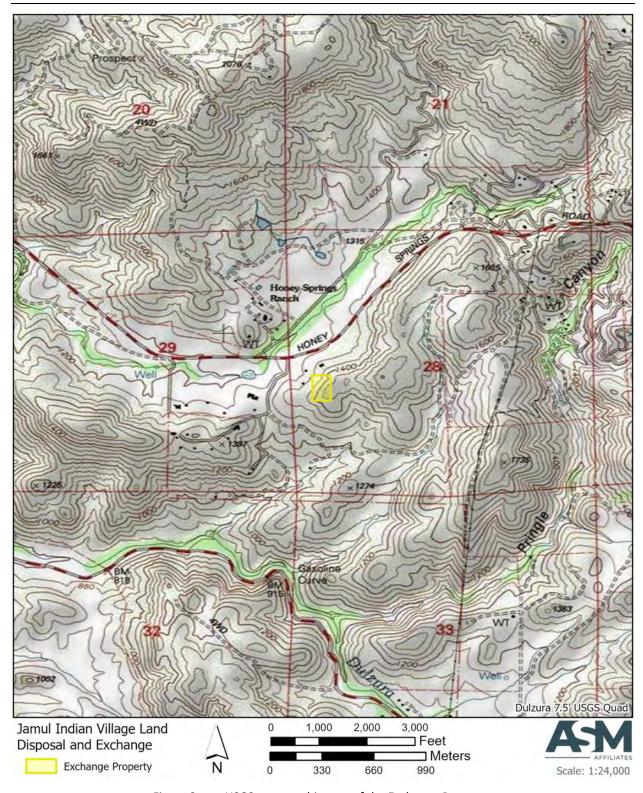


Figure 2. USGS topographic map of the Exchange Property.



Figure 3. Overview aerial map of Disposal and Exchange Properties.

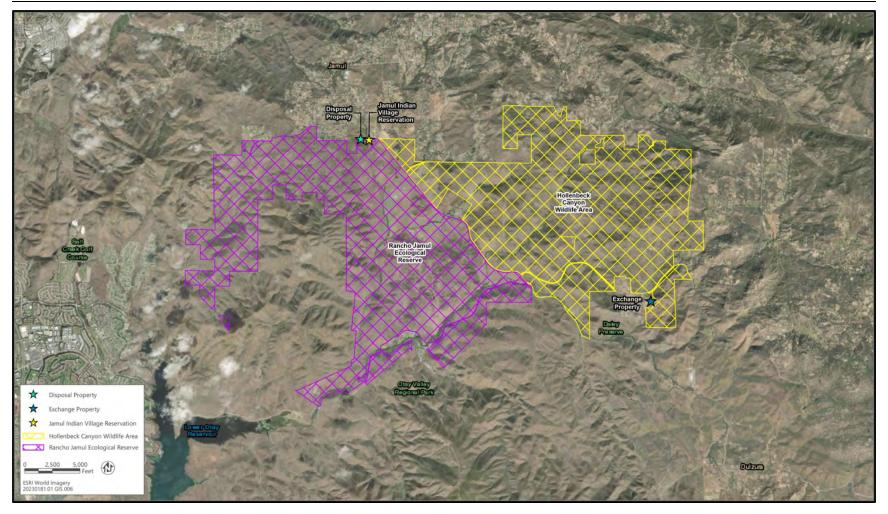


Figure 4. Overview aerial map of Disposal and Exchange Properties showing RJER and HCWA.

#### PROJECT AREA OF POTENTIAL EFFECT

A Project area of potential effect (APE) is "the geographic area or areas within which an undertaking may cause changes to the cultural resources, as well as in the character or use of historic properties, if any such properties exist" (36 Code of Federal Regulations [CFR] 800.2(c)). The Project's APE was delineated to ensure the identification of significant cultural resources and historic properties that may be directly or indirectly affected by the Project and that are listed in or eligible for inclusion in the NRHP.

The APE was delineated in accordance with Section 106 guidelines. This project includes a direct and indirect APE in consideration of potential project-related effects to both archaeological and historic built environment resources. The direct APE includes areas that could be affected by the undertaking.

The survey area within the APE is undeveloped, and the natural landscape remains intact.

The following factors were used in determining the property selections for the land exchange:

- location of both properties in relation to ecological reserves and wildlife areas,
- location of the Disposal Property in relation to the Tribe's current property boundaries and existing cemetery,
- proximity of each property to the other, and
- presence of similar habitat types and environmental resources

The APE for the proposed Action includes the Disposal Property (1.1 acres), and the Exchange Property (4.0 acres), see Figures 1 and 2. Both the Disposal Property and the exchange Property have been adequately surveyed by Montrose and Helix, with additional field checks conducted by ASM Affiliates in 2024 and 2025 to confirm the findings of the two previous survey efforts. ASM's field check verified the survey efforts are adequate, and, therefore, the APE has been adequately surveyed.

#### PROJECT PERSONNEL

Rachel Ruston, ASM director, served as project manager and principal archaeologist; Brian Williams MMA RPA (Maritime Archaeology, Flinders University) served as the principal investigator. The effort consisted of research and data compilation from previous studies authored by Montrose and Helix Environmental, including records searches conducted at the SCIC and review of Archives at ASM's library, including literature, records, maps, and surveys. ASM provided support to the lead agencies in their Section 106 and AB52 consultation; information relating to these efforts is gathered and included in this report.

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## REGULATORY CONTEXT

The primary goals of this study were to identify cultural and historic resources that have the potential to be adversely affected by the proposed Action. This report is in support of the environmental assessment (EA) and associated initial study/negative declaration (IS/ND), hereafter referenced as EA/IS/ND. The EA/IS/ND was prepared to satisfy the requirements of NEPA and CEQA, respectively. The NEPA lead agency is USFWS, and the CEQA lead agency is CDFW. This report describes the cultural resources in the Proposed Action area and analyzes the effects of the Proposed Action and No Action Alternative on the environment.

#### JAMUL LAND TRANSFER ACT

The *Jamul Indian Village Land Transfer Act* (Public Law 118–199), enacted on December 23, 2024, places approximately 172.10 acres of land in San Diego County, California, into trust for the Jamul Indian Village of California. The Act identifies four specific parcels and authorizes the U.S. Secretary of the Interior to accept an additional 1.1 acres into trust if conveyed by the tribe. All lands taken into trust become part of the tribe's reservation and are subject to federal laws governing trust lands. Importantly, the Act prohibits any Class III gaming activities on these lands under the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (United States Congress, 2024).

## **National Environmental Policy Act**

NEPA (42 United States Code [USC] 4321 et seq.) establishes the federal policy of protecting important historic, cultural, and natural aspects of our national heritage during federal project planning. NEPA also obligates federal agencies to consider the environmental consequences and costs of their projects and programs as part of the planning process. All federal or federally assisted projects requiring action pursuant to Section 102 of NEPA must take into account the effects on cultural and historic resources (40 CFR §1508.8). According to the *Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) Regulations for Implementing NEPA* (40 CFR §1500-1508), in considering whether an action may "significantly affect the quality of the human environment," an agency must consider, among other things, the context and intensity of the impact, including "unique characteristics of the geographic area, such as proximity to historic or cultural resources" (40 CFR §1508.27(b)(3)) and "the degree to which the action may adversely affect districts, sites, highway, structures, or objects listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places" (40 CFR §1508.27(b)(8)).

#### National Historic Preservation Act Section 106

NHPA Section 106 is applicable to federal undertakings, including Projects financed or permitted by federal agencies regardless of whether the activities occur on federally managed or privately owned land. Section 106 of the NHPA is the primary directive for cultural resource preservation. Section 106 requires federal agencies with either direct or indirect jurisdiction over a proposed action to take into account the effect of their actions on historic properties. Section 110 also requires federal agencies to assume responsibility for the preservation of historic properties under their jurisdiction or control.

Regulations revised in 1997 (36 CFR Part 800 et. seq.) set forth procedures to be followed for determining eligibility of properties for the NRHP. The eligibility criteria and process are used by federal, state, and local agencies in the evaluation of the significance of cultural resources. Recent revisions to Section 106 in 1999 emphasized the importance of Native American consultation.

36 CFR §800.16(I)(1) states:

Historic property means any prehistoric or historic district, site, building, structure, or object included in, or eligible for inclusion in, the NRHP maintained by the Secretary of the Interior. This term includes artifacts, records, and remains that are related to and located within such properties. The term includes properties of traditional religious and cultural importance to an Indian tribe or Native Hawaiian organization that meet the NRHP criteria. Section 106 of the NHPA also requires federal agencies, and those they fund or over which they have approval authority, to allow the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) the opportunity to comment on undertakings on historic properties, following 36 CFR Part 800. To determine whether an undertaking could affect NRHP-eligible properties, cultural resources (including archaeological, historical, and architectural properties) must be inventoried and evaluated for listing in the NRHP. Although compliance with Section 106 is the responsibility of the lead federal agency, others can undertake the work necessary to comply with Section 106.

The Section 106 process entails six primary steps:

- 1. Initiate consultation and public involvement.
- 2. Identify and evaluate historic properties within the APE.
- 3. Assess effects of the project on historic properties.
- 4. Consult with the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) regarding adverse effects on historic properties; if adverse effects are identified, the development of a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) would result.
- 5. Submit the MOA to the ACHP.
- 6. Proceed in accordance with the MOA.

Lead agencies have a responsibility to evaluate historical resources prior to making a finding as to a proposed project's impacts. Mitigation of adverse impacts is required if the proposed project will cause substantial adverse change. Substantial adverse change includes demolition, destruction, relocation, or alteration such that the significance of a historical resource would be impaired. While demolition and destruction are obvious significant impacts, it is more difficult to assess when change, alteration, or relocation crosses the threshold of substantial adverse change. The CEQA Guidelines provide that a project that demolishes or alters those physical characteristics of a historical resource that convey its historical significance (i.e., its character-defining features) is considered to materially impair the resource's significance.

The purpose of NHPA Section 106 is to determine whether adverse effects will occur to significant cultural resources, defined as "historic properties" that are listed in or determined eligible for listing in the NRHP. The criteria for NRHP eligibility are defined at 36 CFR § 60.4 as follows:

The quality of significance in American history, architecture, archaeology, engineering, and culture is present in districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects that possess integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and association, and that:

- (A) are associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history; or
- (B) are associated with the lives of persons significant in our past; or
- (C) embody the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction, or that represent the work of a master, or that possess high artistic values, or that represent a significant and distinguishable entity whose components may lack individual distinction; or
- (D) have yielded or may be likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

There are, however, restrictions on the kinds of historical properties that can be NRHP listed. These have been identified by the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP), as follows:

Ordinarily cemeteries, birthplaces, or graves of historical figures, properties owned by religious institutions or used for religious purposes, structures that have been moved from their original locations, reconstructed historic buildings, properties primarily commemorative in nature, and properties that have achieved significance within the past 50 years shall not be considered eligible for the National Register. However, such properties will qualify if they are integral parts of districts that do meet the criteria or if they fall within the following categories:

- (a) A religious property deriving primary significance from architectural or artistic distinction or historical importance; or
- (b) A building or structure removed from its original location, but which is significant primarily for architectural value, or which is the surviving structure most importantly associated with a historic person or event; or
- (c) A birthplace or grave of a historical figure of outstanding importance if there is no appropriate site or building directly associated with his productive life.
- (d) A cemetery which derives its primary significance from graves of persons of transcendent importance, from age, from distinctive design features, or from association with historic events; or
- (e) A reconstructed building when accurately executed in a suitable environment and presented in a dignified manner as part of a restoration master plan, and when no other building or structure with the same association has survived; or
- (f) A property primarily commemorative in intent if design, age, tradition, or symbolic value has invested it with its own exceptional significance; or
- (g) A property achieving significance within the past 50 years if it is of exceptional importance. [ACHP n.d.]

## **National Register Criteria for Evaluation**

A district, site, building, structure, or object must generally be at least 50 years old to be eligible for consideration as a historic property. That district, site, building, structure, or object must retain integrity of location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feelings, and association as well as meet one of the four criteria of eligibility defined above to demonstrate its historic associations in order to convey its significance. A property must be associated with one or more events important in history or prehistory to be considered for listing under Criterion A. Additionally, the specific association of the property itself must also be considered significant. Criterion B applies to properties associated with individuals whose specific contributions to history can be identified and documented. Properties significant for their physical design or construction under Criterion C must have features with characteristics that exemplify such elements as architecture, landscape architecture, engineering, and artwork. Criterion D most commonly applies to properties that have the potential to answer, in whole or in part, important research questions about human history that can be answered only by the actual physical materials of cultural resources. A property eligible under Criterion D must demonstrate the potential to contain information relevant to prehistory and history (*National Register Bulletin 15*).

A district, site, building, structure, or object may also be eligible for consideration as a historic property if that property meets the criteria considerations for properties generally less than 50 years old, in addition to possessing integrity and meeting the criteria for evaluation.

#### Integrity

In addition to meeting one or several of the above Evaluation Criteria and Criteria Considerations, a property must retain integrity to be considered eligible for listing on the NRHP. According to the *National Register Bulletin 15* (1997:44), "Integrity is the ability of a property to convey its significance. To be listed in the National Register of Historic Places, a property must not only be shown to be significant under the National Register criteria, but it also must have integrity."

Seven aspects or qualities of cultural resources, in various combinations, define integrity. Significant cultural resources possess several, usually most, of these seven qualities. The seven qualities of integrity are location, design, setting, materials, workmanship, feeling, and/or association. Which aspects of integrity are pertinent to the significance-determination of a specific resource depends on the criterion under which it may be eligible. For example, location would not be an important quality of integrity for a historic ship.

National Register Bulletin 15 (1997:46) then further specifies that:

Archeological sites eligible under Criteria A and B must be in overall good condition with excellent preservation of features, artifacts, and spatial relationships to the extent that these remains are able to convey important associations with events or persons...Archeological sites eligible under Criterion C ...[must have] remains [that] are able to illustrate a site type, time period, method of construction, or work of a master...under Criterion D, integrity is based upon the property's potential to yield specific data that addresses important research questions.

Note that, for archaeological sites, under Criterion D "only the *potential* to yield information is required," whereas for Criteria A, B and C, "the site must have demonstrated its ability to convey its significance" (National Register Bulletin, 1997:46; emphasis in original).

## California Environmental Quality Act

CEQA is applicable to discretionary actions by state or local lead agencies. Under CEQA, lead agencies must analyze impacts to cultural resources. Significant impacts under CEQA occur when "historically significant" or "unique" cultural resources are adversely affected, which occurs when such resources could be altered or destroyed through Project implementation. Historically significant cultural resources are defined by eligibility for or by listing in the California Register of Historical Resources (CRHR). In practice, the federal NRHP criteria (below) for significance applied under Section 106 are generally (although not entirely) consistent with CRHR criteria (see PRC § 5024.1, Title 14 CCR, Section 4852 and § 15064.5(a)(3)).

Significant cultural resources are those archaeological resources and historical properties that:

- (1) Are associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of California's history and cultural heritage;
- (2) Are associated with the lives of persons important in our past;
- (3) Embody the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, region, or method of construction, or represent the work of an important creative individual, or possess high artistic values; or

(4) Have yielded, or may be likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

Unique resources under CEQA, in slight contrast, are those that represent:

An archaeological artifact, object, or site about which it can be clearly demonstrated that, without merely adding to the current body of knowledge, there is a high probability that it meets any of the following criteria:

- (1) Contains information needed to answer important scientific research questions and that there is a demonstrable public interest in that information.
- (2) Has a special and particular quality such as being the oldest of its type or the best available example of its type.
- (3) Is directly associated with a scientifically recognized important prehistoric or historic event or person (PRC § 21083.2(g)).

AB 52, signed into law in 2014, established a new category of resources in CEQA called "tribal cultural resources" that considers the tribal cultural values in addition to the scientific and archaeological values when determining impacts and mitigation. Pursuant to PRC, Division 13, Section 21074, tribal cultural resources can be either:

- 1. Sites, features, places, cultural landscapes, sacred places, and objects with cultural value to a California Native American tribe that are either:
  - a. Included or determined to be eligible for inclusion in the CRHR; or
  - b. Included in a local register of historical resources as defined in subdivision (k) of Section 5020.1.
- 2. A resource determined by the lead agency, in its discretion and supported by substantial evidence, to be significant pursuant to the eligibility criteria for the CRHR (PRC § 5024.1(c)). In applying these criteria, the lead agency must consider the significance of the resource to a California Native American Tribe.

Native American tribes traditionally and culturally affiliated with a geographic area may have expertise concerning their tribal cultural resources. Considering this, AB 52 requires that, within 14 days of a decision to undertake a project or determination that a project application is complete, a lead agency shall provide written notification to California Native American tribes that have previously requested placement on the agency's notice list. Notice to tribes shall include a brief project description, location, lead agency contact information, and the statement that the tribe has 30 days to request consultation. The lead agency shall begin the consultation process within 30 days of receiving a request for consultation from a tribe.

# **Discovery of Human Remains**

If human remains or possible human remains are identified on either the Disposal or Exchange Properties, CDFW, USFWS or JIV will be contacted, as appropriate, to ensure compliance with the following State laws and regulations:

- California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 14, Section 15064.5 (d) & (e) which outlines
  procedures and responsibilities for handling Native American human remains discovered
  during the environmental review or project implementation phases and to ensure respectful
  treatment in consultation with Native American representatives;
- Health and Safety Code Section §7050.5 which is a California state law that governs the treatment of human remains discovered during construction or other ground-disturbing

activities. This section ensures respectful handling, preservation, and consultation in cases where human remains are unexpectedly uncovered

- o Immediate Action Upon Discovery: If human remains are discovered, all ground-disturbing work must immediately cease in the area of the find. The site must be secured to prevent further disturbance.
- O Notification of Authorities: The county coroner must be notified immediately of the discovery. The coroner will determine whether the remains are part of a crime scene or otherwise require forensic investigation, or Native American in origin.
- Discovery of Native American Remains: If the coroner determines that the remains are Native American, they must notify the California Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) within 24 hours. The NAHC will then designate a Most Likely Descendant (MLD) from a relevant Native American Tribe.
- o Role of the MLD: The MLD provides recommendations for the treatment or disposition of the remains. Options include:
  - Preservation in place, considered the preferred approach.
  - Removal and respectful reburial elsewhere.
- o Developers are required to make a good faith effort to follow the MLD's recommendations.
- O Protection Against Unauthorized Removal: Unauthorized removal or disturbance of human remains is prohibited and can result in legal penalties.
- o Resumption of Work: Work in the area may only resume after the remains are handled in accordance with applicable laws and MLD recommendations and necessary permits and clearances are obtained; and
- Public Resources Code §5097.98 which outlines protocols for handling Native American human remains, including engagement with the MLD designated by the NAHC and development of appropriate agreements for handling remains.
  - Notification of the NAHC: If human remains are discovered that are determined to be Native American, the county coroner must notify the NAHC within 24 hours of the determination.
  - O Designation of an MLD: The NAHC appoints an MLD, typically a representative of the culturally affiliated Tribe or family, within 48 hours of being notified.
- Responsibilities of the MLD: The MLD consults with the property owner or project developer to recommend appropriate treatment of the remains and associated artifacts. Recommended actions may include:
  - o Preservation in place (preferred approach under the law).
  - o Removal and reburial in a culturally appropriate manner.
  - Other culturally appropriate actions as agreed upon.
- Good Faith Efforts by the Property Owner/Developer: The property owner or project developer is required to work in good faith with the MLD to implement their recommendations. If no agreement is reached, the remains must be reburied in a nearby area that will not be subject to further disturbance.
  - o Preservation in Place: Considered the preferred method of treatment to minimize disturbance and maintain the cultural and spiritual integrity of the remains.
  - O Prohibition of Further Disturbance: Until an agreement is reached, and actions are taken, no further ground-disturbing activity can occur in the vicinity of the remains.
  - Unresolved Situations: If the NAHC is unable to identify an MLD or if the MLD does not make recommendations within 48 hours, the property owner must reinter the remains with dignity in a location not subject to further disturbance.
  - o Protections and Enforcement: Violations of this section, including unauthorized removal or disturbance of Native American remains, can result in legal penalties.

This law works in tandem with Health and Safety Code §7050.5, which requires work stoppage upon discovery of human remains.

## San Diego County Local Register of Historical Resources

The County requires that resource importance be assessed not only at the state level as required by CEQA, but at the local level as well. If a resource meets any one of the following criteria as outlined in the Local Register, it will be considered an important resource.

- (1) Is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of San Diego County's history and cultural heritage;
- (2) Is associated with the lives of persons important to the history of San Diego County or its communities:
- (3) Embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, San Diego County region, or method of construction, or represents the work of an important creative individual, or possesses high artistic values; or
- (4) Has yielded, or may be likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.

## **Traditional Cultural Properties / Tribal Cultural Resources**

Federal and state laws mandate that consideration be given to the concerns of contemporary Native Americans with regard to potentially ancestral human remains, associated funerary objects, and items of cultural patrimony. Consequently, an important element in assessing the significance of the study site has been to evaluate the likelihood that these classes of items are present in areas that would be affected by the proposed project.

Potentially relevant to prehistoric archaeological sites is the category termed Traditional Cultural Properties (TCP) in discussions of cultural resource management (CRM) performed under federal auspices. According to Patricia L. Parker and Thomas F. King (1998), "Traditional" in this context refers to those beliefs, customs, and practices of a living community of people that have been passed down through the generations, usually orally or through practice. The traditional cultural significance of a historic property, then, is significance derived from the role the property plays in a community's historically rooted beliefs, customs, and practices.

The County of San Diego Guidelines (2007) identify that cultural resources can also include TCPs, such as gathering areas, landmarks, and ethnographic locations in addition to archaeological districts. These guidelines incorporate both state and federal definitions of TCPs. Generally, a TCP may consist of a single site, or group of associated archaeological sites (district; traditional cultural landscape), or an area of cultural/ethnographic importance.

The Traditional Tribal Cultural Places Bill of 2004 requires local governments to consult with Native American representatives during the project planning process. The intent of this legislation is to encourage consultation and assist in the preservation of "Native American places of prehistoric, archaeological, cultural, spiritual, and ceremonial importance" (County of San Diego 2007). It further allows for tribal cultural places to be included in open space planning. State Assembly Bill (AB) 52, in effect as of July 1, 2015, introduces the Tribal Cultural Resource (TCR) as a class of cultural resource and additional considerations relating to Native American consultation into CEQA. As a general concept, a TCR is similar to the federally defined TCP; however, it incorporates consideration of local and state significance and required mitigation under CEQA. A TCR may be considered significant if included in a local or state register of historical resources; or determined by the lead agency to be significant pursuant to criteria set forth in PRC §5024.1; or is a geographically defined cultural landscape that meets one or more of these

criteria; or is a historical resource described in PRC §21084.1, a unique archaeological resource described in PRC §21083.2, or is a non-unique archaeological resource if it conforms with the above criteria.

In 1990, the NPS and Advisory Council for Historic Preservation introduced the term "TCP" through National Register Bulletin 38 (Parker and King 1998, NPS 2024). A TCP may be considered eligible based on "its association with cultural practices or beliefs of a living community that (a) are rooted in that community's history, and (b) are important in maintaining the continuing cultural identity of the community" (Parker and King 1998:1). In 2024, the National Park Service published *National Register Bulletin 38 (Updated) Identifying, Evaluating, and documenting Traditional Cultural Places* (NPS 2024) to provide updated guidance for TCPs.

Strictly speaking, Traditional Cultural Properties are both tangible and intangible; they are anchored in space by cultural values related to community-based physically defined "property referents" (Parker and King 1998:3). On the other hand, TCPs are largely ideological, a characteristic that may present substantial problems in the process of delineating specific boundaries. Such a property's extent is based on community conceptions of how the surrounding physical landscape interacts with existing cultural values. By its nature, a TCP need only be important to community members, and not the general outside population as a whole. In this way, a TCP boundary, as described by Bulletin 38, may be defined based on viewscape, encompassing topographic features, extent of archaeological district or use area, or a community's sense of its own geographic limits. Regardless of why a TCP is of importance to a group of people, outsider acceptance or rejection of this understanding is made inherently irrelevant by the relativistic nature of this concept.

## SOURCES CONSULTED

California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) records searches for this study were conducted by Montrose and Helix Environmental on October 25, 2021 and May 23, 2022, respectively, at the South Coastal Information Center (SCIC), San Diego State University. Site records on file at the SCIC indicate 59 previous archaeological projects have been conducted within a 1-mi. radius of the survey area. The records searches included a review of historic maps and aerial photographs.

Additional research was conducted using files and literature maintained at AES. The records search included a review of the National Register of Historic Places; the California Register of Historical Resources California Historical Landmarks; California Points of Historical Interest; historic maps; and Archaeological Determinations of Eligibility.

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## 1.BACKGROUND

#### 1.1 EXISTING CONDITIONS

The Disposal and Exchange properties are located in unincorporated San Diego County, California, within the broader Jamul region. Their locations both contain a rich natural and cultural environment. The existing environmental and cultural settings are described below.

The Disposal Property is a triangular-shaped, 1.1-acre parcel located on the northern boundary of the Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve (RJER) in unincorporated San Diego County. It is owned by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) and lies adjacent to the Jamul Indian Village's Saint Francis Xavier Cemetery and the Jamul Casino. The site is undeveloped and characterized by disturbed coastal sage scrub habitat, primarily composed of California sagebrush and laurel sumac, interspersed with nonnative grasses. It provides suitable habitat for several special-status species, including the coastal California gnatcatcher, Hermes copper butterfly, and Quino checkerspot butterfly, though no critical habitat is designated on-site. The property features rolling slopes with elevations ranging from 930 to 980 feet (ft.) above mean sea level and drains southeast into Willow Creek. It is not visible from nearby roads due to intervening topography and is located in a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone. The site has no known hazardous materials or cultural resources and is zoned for general agricultural use with a General Plan designation of Open Space—Conservation.

The Exchange Property comprises two contiguous parcels totaling approximately 4.0 acres, located on Honey Springs Road in unincorporated San Diego County. Owned by the Jamul Indian Village, the site is adjacent to the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area (HCWA) and surrounded by rural residential and undeveloped lands. The property is undeveloped and features a mix of coastal sage scrub and chamise chaparral habitats, with rock outcrops and a notably lower percentage of nonnative grasses compared to the Disposal Property. These habitats support a variety of special-status species, including the coastal California gnatcatcher and several bat species, although no critical habitat is designated on-site. The terrain is a northwest-facing slope with elevations between 1,305 and 1,470 ft. above mean sea level, draining into Dulzura Creek. The site is also within a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone and has no known hazardous materials or cultural resources. It is zoned for general agricultural use and designated as Semi-Rural Residential under the County's General Plan.

The Jamul region of unincorporated San Diego County, where both the Disposal and Exchange properties are located, experiences a Mediterranean climate. This means the area typically has warm, dry summers with daytime highs in the 80s °F and mild, wetter winters with temperatures in the 60s °F and occasional rainfall. Spring and fall are generally mild and pleasant, and the region sees little to no snowfall. The climate supports native vegetation within the natural and cultural landscape.

#### 1.2 GEOGRAPHY

The Project Area features a rugged and varied geography, with rolling hills, rocky outcrops, and broad valleys. Elevations range from approximately 900 to 1,470 ft. (275 to 448 meters) above sea level. The landscape includes native vegetation such as coastal sage scrub and chamise chaparral and is interspersed with ephemeral drainages that flow into regional creeks and reservoirs. This rural setting supports a mix of conservation lands, tribal lands, and low-density residential areas, contributing to its ecological and scenic value. The Jamul area lies within the Otay River watershed, a significant hydrologic region in southern San Diego County. This watershed includes several tributaries and sub-drainages such as Dulzura Creek, Jamul Creek, and Willow Creek, which flow through or near the Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve (RJER) and

HCWA. These creeks ultimately drain into the Lower Otay Reservoir, contributing to the region's water supply and ecological connectivity.

#### 1.3 GEOLOGY AND SOILS

Geologically, the project is within the Peninsular Ranges of Southern California and is underlain by ancient crystalline bedrock. The Disposal Property consists primarily of Las Posas fine sandy loam with 15–30% slopes and some Cieneba-rock outcrop complex, both of which are highly eroded. The underlying bedrock is composed of granitic and intrusive crystalline rocks—mainly tonalite and granodiorite, with lesser gabbro and metavolcanic rocks—dating back to the early Cretaceous period.

The Exchange Property features a mix of Cieneba rocky coarse sandy loam, Cieneba-rock outcrop complex, and Fallbrook sandy loam, with slopes ranging from 9% to 75%. Like the Disposal Property, it is underlain by granitic and intrusive rocks of similar age and composition. Overall, the area's geology is typical of the rugged foothills of eastern San Diego County, with rocky soils, and steep terrain (Web Soil Survey 2019).

#### 1.4 BIOLOGY

The Jamul area in eastern San Diego County supports a biologically rich and ecologically significant landscape, shaped by its Mediterranean climate, rugged topography, and proximity to large conservation areas. The region features a mosaic of native vegetation communities, primarily coastal sage scrub and chamise chaparral, which provide high-quality habitat for a variety of special-status species. These include the federally threatened coastal California gnatcatcher, the Hermes copper butterfly, and the Quino checkerspot butterfly, among others.

The Disposal Property, located at the edge of the RJER, is dominated by disturbed coastal sage scrub interspersed with nonnative grasses. It supports suitable habitat for sensitive species but has been previously impacted by grazing. In contrast, the Exchange Property, adjacent to the HCWA, contains more intact and diverse habitat, including dense chamise chaparral and mature coastal sage scrub with lower nonnative grass cover. This property also features rock outcrops and game trails, enhancing its ecological complexity.

Both properties are part of broader wildlife movement corridors and contribute to regional conservation goals under the County's Multiple Species Conservation Program (MSCP). While neither site contains aquatic resources, they are hydrologically connected to local drainages like Willow Creek and Dulzura Creek. The Exchange Property, in particular, offers a net gain in conserved habitat and is considered of higher biological value due to its undisturbed condition and adjacency to protected lands. More information regarding the biology of these areas can be found in the broader EA/IS/ND authored by Ascent (Hollands 2025).

#### 1.5 CULTURAL SETTING

#### 1.5.1 Prehistoric Period

Archaeological investigations in southern California have documented a diverse range of human adaptations extending from the late Pleistocene up to the time of European contact (e.g., Erlandson and Colten 1991; Erlandson and Glassow 1997; Erlandson and Jones 2002; Jones and Klar 2007; Moratto 1984). To describe and discuss this diversity, local investigators have proposed a variety of different chronologies and conceptual categories (periods, horizons, stages, phases, traditions, cultures, peoples, industries, complexes, and patterns), often with confusingly overlapping or vague terminology.

The prehistory of San Diego County is most frequently divided chronologically into three or four major periods. An Early Man stage, perhaps dating back tens of thousands of years, has been proposed. More generally accepted divisions include a Terminal Pleistocene/Early Holocene period (ca. 12,000–5000 B.C.) (Paleo-Indian stage; Clovis and San Dieguito patterns), a Middle/Late Holocene period (ca. 5000 B.C.–C.E.. 800) (Archaic stage; La Jolla, Millingstone, or Encinitas pattern), and a Late Prehistoric period (ca. C.E. 800–1769) (Archaic stage; Yuman, Cuyamaca, Patayan, or Hakataya pattern).

## 1.5.2 Early Prehistoric Period Complexes (pre c. 12,000 B.C.–5000 B.C.)

The antiquity of human occupation in the New World has been the subject of considerable interest and debate for more than a century. At present, the most widely accepted model is that humans first entered portions of the Western hemisphere lying to the south of Alaska between about 13,000 and 12,000 B.C., either along the Pacific coastline or through an ice-free corridor between the retreating Cordilleran and Laurentide segments of the continental glacier in Canada, or along both routes. While there is no generally accepted evidence of human occupation in coastal southern California prior to about 11,000 B.C., ages estimated at 48,000 years and even earlier sometimes have been reported (e.g., Bada et al. 1974; Carter 1980). However, intensive interest and a long history of research into the early occupation of North America has begun to reveal sites with widely accepted evidence dating prior to 13,000 B.C., such as Cooper's Ferry, ID (Davis et al. 2019) and White Sands, New Mexico (Bustos et al. 2018).

Local claims for Early Man discoveries have generally been based either on the apparent crudeness of the lithic assemblages that were encountered or on the finds' apparent Pleistocene geological contexts (Carter 1957, 1980; Minshall 1976, 1989; Reeves et al. 1986). The amino acid racemization technique was used in the 1970s and early 1980s to assign Pleistocene ages to several coastal San Diego sites (Bada et al. 1974), but the technique's findings have been discredited by more recent accelerator mass spectrometry (AMS) radiocarbon dating (Taylor et al. 1985).

## 1.5.3 Archaic Period Complexes (5000 B.C.-800 C.E.)

The earliest chronologically distinctive archaeological pattern recognized in mainland California is the Clovis pattern. Dated to around 11,500 B.C., Clovis assemblages are distinguished by fluted projectile points and other large bifaces, as well as extinct large mammal remains. At least three isolated fluted points have been reported within San Diego County, but their occurrence is very sparse, and their dating and contexts are uncertain (Davis and Shutler 1969; Kline and Kline 2007; Rondeau et al. 2007).

The most widely recognized archaeological pattern within this period is termed San Dieguito and has been dated from at least as early as 8500 B.C. to perhaps around 6000 B.C. (Rogers 1966; Warren 1966; Warren et al. 2008). Proposed characteristics to distinguish San Dieguito flaked lithic assemblages include large projectile points (Lake Mojave, Silver Lake, and other, less diagnostic forms), bifaces, crescents, scraper planes, scrapers, hammers, and choppers. The San Dieguito technology involved well-controlled percussion flaking and some pressure flaking.

Malcolm Rogers (1966) suggested that three successive phases of the San Dieguito pattern (San Dieguito I, II, and III) could be distinguished in southern California, based on evolving aspects of lithic technology. However, subsequent investigators have generally not been able to confirm such changes, and the phases are not now generally accepted.

A key issue has concerned ground stone, which was originally suggested as having been absent from San Dieguito components but has subsequently been recognized as occurring infrequently within them. It was initially suggested that San Dieguito components, like other Paleo-Indian manifestations, represented the

products of highly mobile groups that were organized as small bands and focused on the hunting of large game. However, in the absence of supporting faunal evidence, this interpretation has increasingly been called into question, and it has been suggested that the San Dieguito pattern represented a more generalized, Archaic-stage lifeway, rather than a true Paleo-Indian adaptation.

A vigorous debate has continued for several decades concerning the relationship between the San Dieguito pattern and the La Jolla pattern that succeeded it and that may have also been contemporaneous with or even antecedent to it (e.g., Gallegos 1987; Warren et al. 2008). The initial view was that San Dieguito and La Jolla represented the products of distinct ethnic groups and/or cultural traditions (e.g., Rogers 1945; Warren 1967, 1968). However, as early Holocene radiocarbon dates have been obtained for site components with apparent La Jolla characteristics (shell middens, milling tools, and simple cobble-based flaked lithic technology), an alternative interpretation has gained some favor: that the San Dieguito pattern represented a functional pose related in particular to the production of bifaces, and that it represents activities by same people who were responsible for the La Jolla pattern (e.g., Bull 1987; Hanna 1983).

## 1.5.4 Late Prehistoric Period Complexes (800 C.E.-1769)

A Late Prehistoric period in San Diego County has been distinguished, primarily on the basis of three major innovations: the use of small projectile points (Desert Side-notched, Cottonwood triangular, and Dos Cabezas forms), associated with the adoption of the bow and arrow in place of the atlatl as a primary hunting tool and weapon; brownware pottery, presumably supplementing the continued use of basketry and other containers; and the practice of human cremation in place of inhumation. Uncertainty remains concerning the exact timing of these innovations, and whether they appeared simultaneously or sequentially (e.g., Griset 1996; Yohe 1992).

Labels applied to the archaeological manifestations of this period include San Luis Rey, Palomar, and Peninsular (Meighan 1954; Sutton 2011; True 1970; True et al. 1974, 1991; Waugh 1986). These remains have generally been associated with the ethnohistorically known Luiseño, Cupeño, and Cahuilla and have been seen as perhaps marking the initial local appearance of those groups in a migration from the north. Traits characterizing the Late Prehistoric period include greater reliance on acorns as an abundant but labor-expensive food resource, a greater emphasis on hunting of both large and small game (particularly deer and rabbits), a greater amount of interregional exchange (seen notably in more use of obsidian), more elaboration of nonutilitarian culture (manifested in more frequent use of shell beads, decorated pottery, and rock art), and possibly denser regional populations. Settlement may have become more sedentary during this period, as compared with the preceding period.

#### 1.5.5 Historic Period

The historic period in California began in the late 1500s with the claim of Spanish dominion over much of North and South America. California experienced colonial rule first by Spain, then Mexico, before being annexed by the United States. These periods are briefly described below.

## 1.5.6 Spanish Period

Spanish explorer Juan Rodríguez Cabrillo first saw California in 1542, claiming it for the King of Spain. The historic period proper did not begin until 1769, when multiple seaborne and overland expeditions under the leadership of the soldier Gaspar de Portolá and the Franciscan missionary Junípero Serra reached the region from Baja California and passed northward along the coastal plain to seek Monterey. In that year, a royal presidio and the Misión San Diego de Alcalá were founded, and the incorporation of local Kumeyaay into the mission system was begun. Shortly after the mission had been moved a short distance to the east from the presidio, a Kumeyaay uprising in 1775 resulted in the burning of the mission and the killing of

one of its Franciscan missionaries (Carrico 1997). However, the uprising was soon suppressed. An *asistencia* or satellite mission was established at Santa Ysabel in 1818.

Approximately 10 miles southeast of El Cajon, along the historic stage route connecting San Diego County—now State Route (SR) 94—to Yuma and Baja, lies the JIV or Rancheria within the Jamul Valley (Pinto 2024). In 1912, the San Diego Diocesan Office of Apostolic Ministry deeded back 2.34 acres of land for the use of a cemetery, an ancestral resting place for tribal ancestors dating back to the 1800s. This area is a small remnant of the more extensive ancestral village that existed prior to the arrival of the Spanish. The JIV received federal recognition in 1981. Since federal recognition, the JIV has grown to encompass 180 acres through the addition of various ancestral parcels in the surrounding region over the years.

#### 1.5.7 Mexican Period

As Spanish attention was consumed by the Napoleonic wars in Europe, California and its government and missions were increasingly left to their own devices. In 1821, Mexico achieved its independence from Spain, and the region became more open to outside visitors and influences (Pourade 1961). The loyalty to Mexico of the European Franciscans was considered to be in doubt, and private secular interests clamored for a greater share of the region's resources. The missions were secularized by act of the Mexican Congress in 1833. Native Americans released from the San Diego mission returned to their native villages, moved east to areas lying beyond Mexican control, or sought work on ranchos or in the town of San Diego. Numerous large land grants were issued to private owners during the Mexican period, including Janal, Jamacha, Jamul, El Cajon, Cañada de San Vicente, San Bernardo, Santa María, Cuyamaca, Santa Ysabel, and San Felipe in inland southern and central San Diego County (Pourade 1963).

#### 1.5.8 American Period

The conquest and annexation of California by the United States in the Mexican-American War between 1846 and 1848 ushered in many more changes (Pourade 1963, 1964, 1965, 1967, 1977; Pryde 2004). Faced with debts and difficulties in confirming land grants, many Californio families lost their lands to outsiders. Cultural patterns that were brought by immigrants from the eastern U.S. gradually supplanted old Californio customs. Native American reservations were established at Mesa Grando, Santa Ysabel, Inaja, Cosmit, Barona, Capitan Grande, Viejas, Cuyapaipe, Sycuan, Manzanita, La Posta, and Campo (Shipek 1978a).

The region experienced cycles of economic and demographic booms and busts, with notable periods of growth in the mid-1880s, during World Wars I and II, and on more sustained basis throughout the postwar decades. Aspects of development included the creation of transportation networks based on port facilities, railroads, highways, and airports; more elaborate systems of water supply and flood control; grazing livestock and growing a changing array of crops; supporting military facilities; limited amounts of manufacturing; and accommodating visitors and retirees. After false starts, San Diego grew into a substantial city, and then into a metropolis. Other cities were incorporated in the inland southern and central region of San Diego County, including El Cajon (1912), La Mesa (1912), Lemon Grove (1977), Santee (1980), and Poway (1980). Notable unincorporated communities include Spring Valley, Lakeside, Alpine, and Ramona (Pryde 2004).

After the Mexican-American War, land ownership in California became hotly contentious despite protection under the Treaty of Guadalupe Hildalgo of February 1848. Proof of rancho land ownership with the new government often meant years of effort to obtain a federal patent, and many rancheros had difficulty maneuvering through the process. Capitalizing on the uncertainty of those transitional years, Anglo settlers increasingly squatted on land that belonged to *Californios* and began challenging the validity of Spanish-Mexican claims through the Board of Land Commissioners (1851) (Garcia 1975:15-16, 22-24). Meanwhile,

William Heath Davis' 1850 experiment to restart San Diego as a coastal New Town failed after a short period of time. Alonzo E. Horton's second attempt at New Town in 1867 became the successful foundation for present-day downtown San Diego (MacPhail 1971; Mills 1968; Padilla-Corona 1997). An influx of Anglo squatters outside of New Town and new government taxes severely hindered *Californio* rancho owners, and by 1860, most did not retain their original land holdings. Unimproved farmland and substantial, often unconfirmed, ranchos characterized the largely uninhabited San Diego County (Garcia 1975:15-16, 22-24).

The confirmation of rancho boundaries in the late 1860s and early 1870s drew additional settlers as land became officially conveyable. Small farming communities were quickly established throughout San Diego County, and a completed transcontinental railroad in November 1885 helped to initiate an unprecedented real estate boom for New Town that spilled over the county. Settlers poured into San Diego, lured by real estate promotions offering a salubrious climate, cheap land, and the potential to realize great profits in agriculture and real estate. Speculators formed land companies and subdivided town sites throughout the county, and settlers took up homestead claims on government land for both speculation and permanent settlement (Pourade 1964:167-191).

In the mid-1850s, interest began to peak in the Jamul Valley region at the prospect of a railroad linking San Diego and Yuma through the mountains between the valleys of Jamul and Dulzura. The route was surveyed in 1855 for the San Diego and Gila Railroad. Henry Burton, the railroad director, hoped to connect Rancho Jamul with San Diego and the eastern regions; however, the railroad was never constructed. Surveyors for the Texas and Pacific Railroads utilized the same proposed route in 1872 for Tom Scott's transcontinental railroad, which also did not come to fruition.

In the late 1870s, farmers and business partners John S. Harbison and Daniel Dowling established apiaries and apicultural facilities in the Honey Springs area of Jamul Valley. As a result, beekeeping became a thriving economic industry in the backcountry of San Diego (Shoenherr 2019).

The first two decades of the twentieth century brought both continuity and change to San Diego, with a continued U.S. Navy and Army presence, and the trend of populating the burgeoning New Town continued (Heilbron 1936:370, 431; U.S. Census Bureau 1920:82). Automobiles became increasingly popular as they became affordable, prompting San Diego County to grade roads to open up the backcountry (Etulain and Malone 1989:40; Kyvig 2004:27). Glenn H. Curtiss flew the first seaplane from North Island (1911), initiating a growing interest in aviation technologies in San Diego that would later be heightened by Charles Lindbergh's historic flight on the Spirit of St. Louis from Rockwell Field in San Diego to St. Louis, Missouri (1927). Balboa Park and the San Diego Zoo remained after the Panama-California Exposition in 1915, leaving San Diegans with city-defining legacies. In 1917, the U.S. Army established Camp Kearney as part of the nationwide defense campaign for World War I (Engstrand 2005).

Flourishing agricultural communities existed across the county with federal and state water development projects, harbor improvements, and high levels of construction curbing some of the effects of the Great Depression. Construction projects for the Navy and Army helped sustain the area. Social changes such as the construction of San Diego State College (1931), the transition from coal-derived gas to natural gas, and the planning and hosting of the World's Fair (1935) also aided in sustaining the San Diego area (Engstrand 2005:147-155). A significant economic impact during the financial crisis was Reuben H. Fleet's decision to move Consolidated Aircraft from Buffalo, New York, to San Diego, a more suitable climate for testing planes. The company brought 800 employees and \$9 million in orders (Consolidated Aircraft 2004; Engstrand 2005:151).

San Diego County's greatest numerical growth period in the first half of the twentieth century was between 1940 and 1950 when the county grew to 556,808 inhabitants (U.S. Census Bureau 1940, 1950). It is also a

period characterized by more people moving to rural areas instead of the city, as the rural population increased by 170.8 percent (U.S. Census Bureau 1950:5-12, 5-16, 5-21). At more than half a million people, San Diego had become a metropolis with attractive rural areas transitioning into new suburban communities.

Infrastructure improvements to both roadways and railroads in San Diego County became necessary to accommodate new residents, again primarily near defense centers (Oceanside Daily Blade-Tribune, 25 February 1941:1, 20 August 1941:1). In 1956, President Dwight Eisenhower authorized an interstate system with the Federal-Aid Highway Act, an act that further interconnected multiple state routes for increased interstate traffic flow. According to Iris Engstrand (2005:165), "the automobile affected almost every major decision regarding the direction taken by San Diego planners during the post-World War II decades." A new trend of constructing retail stores outside the city center provided suburban enclaves as more houses filled in the outskirts of the city (Engstrand 2005:165-166). By 1960, 1,033,011 people lived in the county and, between 1950 and 1970, bedroom communities such as El Cajon, Escondido, Chula Vista, and Oceanside experienced a tremendous growth rate (between 214 and 833 percent) (Engstrand 2005:166; U.S. Census Bureau 1960).

#### 1.6 HISTORIC OVERVIEW OF THE PROJECT AREA

Historic research for the project was conducted using the San Diego County DPR database, supplemented by online resources, including historic maps and aerial photographs. A general overview of the historic development of the area will be provided and a specific discussion of each project area will follow.

Historically, the project areas are within the boundaries of the 8,962-acre Rancho Jamul, granted to Pio Pico, Mexico's last governor of California, in 1829 and the Hollenbeck Homestead of 1894 (Exploring the California Spanish and Mexican Land Grants (Map of Spanish and Mexican Land Grants of California, n.d.): San Diego Union-Tribune 2023; South Bay Historical Society 2019). In the first decades, major land disputes hindered the development of Rancho Jamul. The land was abandoned by Pico, and, in 1854, Lieutenant Colonel Henry Burton homesteaded Rancho Jamul. The Burton family raised cattle, cultivated various crops including hay and corn, and burned lime for the creation of limestone on the property, an early inception of the Jamul Portland Cement Manufacturing Company (San Diego Historical Society 1984). In 1869, Henry Burton died, and by 1906, Jamul Portland Cement had ceased operations. Shortly after the company's acquisition by J.F. Ramsey in 1893, many locals were left without jobs.

Upon Henry Burton's death, his wife, Maria, petitioned for the title to Rancho Jamul, which she would eventually acquire. In the 1870s, Maria, along with her son, Henry, and financial investors C.W. Lyke and Benjamin Macready, established the Jamul Portland Cement Factory. The factory site was located within the 986-acre petitioned homestead awarded to Maria from Henry Burton's estate, which was eventually settled in 1891 (San Diego Historical Society 1979). During Maria's oversight of Rancho Jamul, economic productivity significantly diversified. Crops such as barley and castor beans were grown. Castor beans and their leaves were sold for use as cattle feed and in the production of paint.San Diego Historical Society 1984. Maria planted wildflowers within the hills of the homestead, where beehives were rented, making way for another thriving industry in the Jamul Valley.

By the late 1870s, farmers and business partners John S. Harbison and Daniel Dowling established beekeeping operations and facilities in the Honey Springs area of Jamul Valley. This development helped beekeeping flourish as a significant economic activity in San Diego's backcountry (South Bay Historical Society 2019). The Dowling Ranch would continue honey production until it was sold to Garret and Fannie Eaton in 1894, after which the Eatons turned it into a "dude ranch": Honey Springs Ranch.

In the mid-1850s, excitement began to build in the Jamul Valley as the possibility of a railroad connecting San Diego and Yuma, Arizona, emerged. This prospective route would navigate the mountains nestled between the Jamul and Dulzura valleys. In 1855, a survey was conducted for the San Diego and Gila Railroad, led by director Henry Burton, who envisioned a link between Rancho Jamul and both San Diego and eastern territories. Unfortunately, the railroad project never progressed beyond the planning stage. Later, in 1872, surveyors for the Texas and Pacific Railroads revisited the same route for Tom Scott's proposed transcontinental railroad, which also failed to materialize.

During the mid-to-late 1800s, homesteaders began to flock to the region, with some labeling occupying Jamul Band members as "squatters" (South Bay Historical Society 2019). These so-called "squatters" would come to build their homes on what they believed to be public domain, living within the boundaries of Rancho Jamul. These "squatters" were members of the present-day Jamul Band who, in actuality, were residing on their ancestral land and now at constant threat of displacement from white settlers like the Burton family and other white homesteaders (Pinto 2024). Many white settlers arrived in the region to graze sheep and cattle, grow various crops, including wheat, corn, and olives, work at the Jamul Portland Cement Factory, tend to the local apiaries, or try their hand at the local gold rush within San Diego County. One such settler and early homesteader in the Jamul Valley was Daniel Geary, an Irish immigrant who grazed sheep and whose livestock foundations can still be seen today along Proctor Valley Road.

Charles "The Olive King" Gifford was responsible for the introduction and cultivation of olives within the valley; the first commercially processed canned olives were Gifford Olives. He completed his farmhouse, Jamul Haven, on Jamul Drive in 1890 to oversee the groves. Jamul Haven served as both an olive ranch and a boys' refuge for those ordered to work on farms by the court. In the early 1900s, the ranch served as a weekly stagecoach stop, transporting supplies and passengers between San Diego and Jamul.

As white settler families arrived in the area, the first school in Jamul was built in 1886, located across from the original site of the old Maxfield store, later the Branding Iron restaurant, and then Jalisco's.

Other notable homesteaders to the region include Alvin and Catherine Hollenbeck, whose 1894 homestead is now apart from the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area, managed by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife. From 1895 to 1927, Rancho Jamul was owned by John D. Spreckels and the Southern California Mountain Water Company. During this period, barns and coral reefs were developed, while various other improvements to the ranch were made under the management of Elisha Babcock and Superintendent Henry Fenton (South Bay Historical Society 2019).

In 1916, Rancho Jamul was purchased by Louis J. Wilde, a San Diego banker and mayor of San Diego. In 1929, George Daley acquired Rancho Jamul. Upon Daley's death, the Rancho Jamul was taken over by his two nephews until 2001, when it was sold to the Wildlife Conservation Board (South Bay Historical Society 2019).

## 1.6.1 General Kumeyaay Ethnographic Background

In ethnohistoric times, central and southern San Diego County was occupied by speakers of a Yuman language or languages, variously referred to as Kumeyaay, Diegueño, Tipai, and Ipai. Kumeyaay territory extended from south of Agua Hedionda Lagoon, Escondido, and Lake Henshaw to some distance south of Ensenada in northern Baja California, and east nearly as far as the lower Colorado River. Linguistic evidence (e.g., Golla 2007; Laylander 2010) suggests that the Yuman-Cochimí families of languages may have been affiliated with a widespread Hokan phylum, represented by scattered languages and families around the periphery of California and extending south into Mexico, and probably dating back at least as far as the early Holocene. Subsequent separations within the Yuman-Cochimí group may represent territorial expansions or migrations: the separation of Yuman and central Baja California's Cochimí (ca.

2000 B.C.?); the differentiation of Core Yuman from Kiliwa (ca. 1000 B.C.?); of Core Yuman into Delta-California, River, and Pai branches (ca. A.D. 1?); of Delta-California Yuman into Diegueño and Cocopa (ca. A.D. 500?); and of Diegueño into Kumeyaay proper, Ipai, Tipai, and Ku'ahl languages or dialects (ca. post-A.D. 1000?). The boundary between Ipai and Kumeyaay proper (or Tipai) languages or dialects on the San Diego coast has generally been put just south of the San Diego River (Luomala 1978).

While Kumeyaay cultural patterns, as recorded subsequent to European contact, cannot necessarily be equated with Late Prehistoric patterns, at a minimum they provide indispensable clues to cultural elements that would be difficult or impossible to extract unaided from the archaeological record alone. A few important ethnohistoric accounts are available from Hispanic-period explorers and travelers, Spanish administrators, and Franciscan missionaries, primarily in coastal areas (Fages 1937; Geiger and Meighan 1976; Laylander 2000). Many accounts by ethnographers, primarily recorded during the early twentieth century, are available (Almstedt 1982; Drucker 1937, 1941; Gifford 1918, 1931; Hicks 1963; Hohenthal 2001; Kroeber 1925; Laylander 2004; Luomala 1978; Shipek 1982, 1991; Spier 1923; Waterman 1910).

## 1.6.2 Kumeyaay Material Culture

Kumeyaay material culture was effective, but it was not highly elaborated. Structures included houses with excavated floors, ramadas, sweathouses, ceremonial enclosures, and acorn granaries. Hunting equipment included bows and arrows, curved throwing sticks, nets, and snares. Processing and storage equipment included a variety of flaked stone tools, milling implements, ceramic vessels, and baskets.

## 1.6.3 Kumeyaay Social Structure, Society, and Beliefs

Nonutilitarian culture was not neglected. A range of community ceremonies were performed, with particular emphases placed on marking individuals' coming of age and on death and mourning. Oral literature included, in particular, an elaborate creation myth that was shared with other Yuman groups as well as with Takic speakers (Luiseño, Cupeño, Cahuilla, and Serrano) to the north (Kroeber 1925; Laylander 2001; Waterman 1909).

## 1.6.4 Kumeyaay Subsistence and Settlement Pattern

The Kumeyaay inhabited a diverse environment that included littoral, valley, foothill, mountain, and desert resource zones. Because of the early incorporation of coastal Kumeyaay into the mission system, most of the available ethnographic information relates to inland groups that lived in the Peninsular Range or the Colorado Desert. There may have been considerable variability among the Kumeyaay in settlement and subsistence strategies and in social organization (Laylander 1991, 1997; Luomala 1978; Spier 1923; but cf. Shipek 1982). Acorns were a key resource, but a wide range of other minerals, plant, and animal resources were exploited (Hedges 1986; Shipek 1991; Wilken 2012). Pre-contact practices of land management and agriculture west of the Colorado Desert have been suggested but not confirmed (Shipek 1993; cf. Laylander 1995). Some degree of residential mobility seems to have been practiced, although its extent and nature (e.g., within patterns of community fission and fusion) may have varied considerably among different communities and settings. The fundamental Kumeyaay social unit above the family was the *šimul* (patrilineage) and the residential community or band, to the extent that those two units were not identical. Leaders performed ceremonial, advisory, and diplomatic functions, rather than judicial, redistributive, or military ones. There seems to have been no national level of political unity and perhaps little sense of commonality within the language group (but cf. Shipek 1982).

### 1.7 PREVIOUS RESEARCH IN THE AREA

## 1.7.1 Prominent Studies in the Project Vicinity

Six studies have been conducted within the project areas, four within the Disposal Property project area and two within the Exchange Property project area. The most relevant studies conducted within the Disposal Property APE are related to cultural resource surveys and studies for the JIV and Rincon (Talley and Bull 1997; Pigniolo and Baksh 1998), an archeological study of the Saint Francis Xavier cemetery on the JIV (Caterino 2005) and an environmental impact study for the JIV (US Department of Interior 2003). Due to the sensitivity of the study conducted by Helix (2022) on the Exchange Property, site-specific information is not available for projects conducted within the APE. Helix notes that the two previous studies overlap, likely due to a mapping error.

#### 1.8. RESEARCH CONTEXT

The criteria for determining potential eligibility for inclusion in the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) (National Park Service 1982) pursuant to NHPA are the basis for evaluating significance. The significance, or scientific importance, of archaeological sites is assessed with respect to their potential contribution to regional issues pertaining to southwestern California. General issues pertinent to these assessments include determination of the extent and integrity of cultural deposits, age and probable cultural affiliation, site function and subsistence strategies, overall insight into settlement organization, and the presence of any artifacts or remains having special Native American heritage value.

## 2. RECORDS SEARCH RESULTS

Records searches of the two properties were conducted independently by Montrose Environmental (2021) and Helix Environmental (2022) at the South Coastal Information Center (SCIC), San Diego, California, by SCIC staff. The purpose of the records search was to identify archaeological sites and built environment resources and previously conducted cultural resources studies within 0.5 or 1 mile of the project area

On October 25, 2021, Montrose Environmental conducted a records search at the SCIC for the Disposal Property. Additional research was conducted using files and literature maintained at AES. The record search included a review of the National Register of Historic Places; the California Register of Historical Resources California Historical Landmarks; California Points of Historical Interest; historic maps; and Archaeological Determinations of Eligibility.

On May 23, 2022, Helix Environmental conducted a records search at the SCIC for the Exchange Property. The records search included a review of historic maps and aerial photographs.

#### 2.1 PREVIOUS STUDIES

Montrose Environmental identified 34 cultural resource studies that have been conducted within the project area of the Disposal Property or within 0.5 mile of the project area (Table 1 and Table 2). Of these, four occurred within the project area (Table 1). The earliest study was conducted in 1977 and the most recent in 2020.

Helix Environmental identified 25 cultural resource studies that have been conducted within the project area of the Exchange Property or 1 mile of the project area. These results are not provided within the report (Helix 2022); however, it is noted that two of the previous studies (Chace et al. 1980; Graves Engineering 1981) are mapped as slightly overlapping the Exchange Property. Helix determined that this was likely a mapping error and that the two studies, both related to the same project, "do not actually overlap, the subject property" along the eastern property border (Helix 2022)

Table 1. Previously Conducted Cultural Resources Studies within Project Area (Disposal Property)

Report #	Year	Authors	Title	Agency/Company
SD-16580	1979	Talley, R. Paige and	Final Report for Rincon et al. Cultural Resource Survey,	RECON Environmental
		Bull, Charles S.	Pala	Consultants
SD-03705	1998	Pigniolo, Andrew R.	Cultural Resource Inventory And Evaluation for the	Tierra Environmental
		and Michael Baksh	Jamul Indian Reservation Fee-To-Trust Transfer And	Services
			Associated Development, San Diego County, California	
SD-09516	2005	Caterino, David	The Cemeteries and Gravestones of San Diego County:	David Caterino
			An Archaeological Study	
SD-12322	2003	U.S. Department of	Final Environmental Impact Statement Jamul Indian	U.S. Department of
		the Interior	Village	The Interior

Table 2. Cultural Resources Studies Conducted within 0.5 Mile of the Project Areas

Report #	Year	Authors	Title	Agency/Company
			Final Report for Rincon et. al. Cultural	
SD-01552	1980	Talley, Paige R.	Resource Survey, Jamul	RECON
			Final Cultural Resources Evaluation	
		Carrico, Richard, Theodore G.	of the 23,088-acre Otay Ranch,	Ogden
SD-02690	1993	Cooley, and Andrew Pigniolo	San Diego County	Environmental
	40=0	Talley, R. Paige	Final Report for Rincon et al. Cultural	
SD-16580	1979	and Bull, Charles S.	Resource Survey, Pala	RECON
CD 00EC3	1077	Chana Baul C	An Archaeological Survey of Proctor Valley	Paul G. Chace &
SD-00563	1977	Chace, Paul G.	Estates, Jamul, San Diego County.	Associates
			An Archaeological Survey for Proposed Utility Pole Relocation and Minor	
			Roadway Realignment at Six Locations on	
			Highway 94 in South San Diego County,	
SD-01300	1980	Pettus, Roy E.	California (11-SD-94 P.M. 20.85 to 54.25).	CALTRANS
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SD-01552	1980	Talley, Paige R.	Resource Survey, Jamul	RECON
02 02002	1555	. ae,, . age	An Archaeological Survey of Johnson	Paul G. Chace &
SD-01947	1990	Chace, Paul G.	Property	Associates
32 313 17		ccc, i dai di	Cultural Resource Survey Highway 94	,
			Between Melody Road and St. Francis	
SD-01995	1988	Cook, John R.	Xavier Cem. Rd.	ASM Affiliates
		, , , ,	Archaeological Survey Report For The	
		Pigniolo, Andrew R., Michael	Jamul Creek and Dulzura Creek Biological	
		Baksh, Philip De Barros,	Mitigation Site For State Route (Sr) 125,	
SD-03567	1998	and Stephen Van Wormer	San Diego County, California	Wildlands, Inc.
		·	An Inventory and Preliminary Evaluation	,
			Of Cultural Resources Located Within A	
			3,248-Acre Portion Of Rancho Jamul, San	The Trust for Public
SD-03667	1998	De Barros, Philip	Diego County, California	Land
			Cultural Resource Inventory And	
			Evaluation for the Jamul Indian	
			Reservation Fee-To-Trust Transfer and	
		Pigniolo, Andrew R.	Associated Development, San Diego	Tierra Environmental
SD-03705	1988	and Michael Baksh	County, California	Services
			Hollenback Canyon Wildlife Area	
SD-04381	2002	Hector, Susan	Archaeology Management Plan	Susan M. Hector
				Ogden
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## 2.2 PREVIOUS RECORDED SITES WITHIN AND ADJACENT TO STUDY AREA

A total of one cultural resource has previously been recorded within the project area (Table 3). One resource (Temp ID- SL-S-001) was located on the west-facing slope of the Exchange Property, in the southern area of the parcel by Helix Environmental in 2022.

Montrose Environmental identified a total of 37 cultural resources that have been previously recorded within 0.5 mile of the Disposal Property project area (Table 4). Of these, all are within 0.5 mile of the project area.

Helix Environmental identified a total of 71 cultural resources that have been previously recorded within 1 mile of the Exchange Property project area. Of these, all are within 1 mile of the project area. Helix did not

provide results in the report (Helix 2022) and they do not appear in an accompanying table or SCIC records search.

Table 3. Previously Recorded Cultural Resources within a 0.5-mile radius of the Project Area (Exchange Property)

Primary		Time		Year Recorded/	NRHP/ CRHR Evaluations
Number/Temp ID	Trinomial	Period	Site Description	Updated	Evaluations
SL-S-001	-	Prehistoric	Sparse lithic and quartz scatter	2022	

Table 4. Previously Recorded Archaeological Resources within 0.5 Mile of Project Areas

Primary Number	Trinomial	Time Period	Site Description	Year Recorded/ updated	NRHP/ CRHR Evaluations
P37-005150	CA-SDI-5150	Precontact	Rock features	1977	
P-37-018378	-	Historic	Farmstead	1999	Not eligible
P-37-011792	CA-SDI-011792	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1990	
P-37-011790	CA-SDI-011790	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1990	
P-37-011791	CA-SDI-011791	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1990	
P-37-025180	CA-SDI-16677	Precontact	Bedrock milling	2003	
P-37-025181	CA-SDI-16678	Precontact	Lithic scatter  Bedrock milling and	2003	
P-37-025174	CA-SDI-16671	Precontact	lithic scatter	2008	
P-37-011051	CA-SDI-11051	Precontact	Lithic scatter	1988/2015	Not eligible
P-37-011052	CA-SDI-11052	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1988/2015	
P-37-030047	CA-SDI-19159	Precontact	Shell scatter	2007	
P-37-014674	-	Precontact	Artifact scatter	1996/2007	
P-37-014673	-	Historic	Refuse scatter	1996/2007	
P-37-016251	-	Historic	Water conveyance system	1998/2007	
P-37-023875	CA-SDI-013733	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1994	
P-37-014675	-				
P-37-014676	-	Precontact	Bedrock milling and rock feature	1996	
P-37-014677	-	Precontact	Bedrock milling feature	1996	
P-37-023876	CA-SDI-013735	Precontact	Bedrock milling feature	1994	
P-37-023877	CA-SDI-013736	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1994	
P-37-014680	-	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1996	
P-37-014678	-	Precontact	Lithic scatter	1996	
P-37-014681	-	Precontact	Bedrock milling and rock shelter	1996	
P-37-014679	-	Precontact	Lithic scatter	1996	

Primary				Year Recorded/	NRHP/ CRHR
Number	Trinomial	<b>Time Period</b>	Site Description	updated	<b>Evaluations</b>
			Bedrock milling and		
P-37-016541	-	Precontact	lithic scatter	2008	
P-37-006981	CA-SDI-6981H	Historic	State Route (SR)-94	1978/2019	Not eligible
			Habitation debris		
P-37-011050	CA-SDI-11050	Precontact	and lithic scatter	2008/2010	
P-37-019031	CA-SDI-13734	Precontact	Bedrock milling	1994	
			Lithic and ceramic		
			scatter and bedrock		
			milling; historic		
P-37-007966	CA-SDI-7966	Multicomponent	refuse scatter	1998/2000/2007	
P-37-011410	CA-SDI-011410	Precontact	Lithic scatter	1989/2000	
P-37-028622	CA-SDI-18403	Precontact	Bedrock milling	2007	
			Historic Lakeland		
P-37-018931	CA-SDI-15763	Historic	Resort	2009/2014	
P-37-034141	-	Precontact	Lithic isolate	2013	
P-37-007685	CA-SDI-007685				
P-37-028621	CA-18402	Precontact	Lithic scatter	2007	
P-37-030046	-	Precontact	Shell isolate	2007	
P-37-034142	-	Precontact	Lithic isolate	2013	

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## 3.FIELD METHODS

The field survey methods for the two previous studies are described in Appendices B and C. Additional field checks were conducted by ASM in 2024 and 2025 to confirm the absence or presence of resources identified during the previous surveys.

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### 4. ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES

ASM archaeologist Rachel Ruston relocated one previously recorded resource (Temp ID-SL-S-001) within the Exchange Property project area. No other previously recorded resources were noted in either project areas, the Exchange or Disposal Properties. Mapping of the location of the resource within the Project Area is not provided. Helix prepared a DPR 523 site record for the site and submitted it to SCIC in 2022. Given the property is owned by JIV, the DPR is considered a restricted resource and is not provided in the Confidential Appendix C.

#### 4.1 PREHISTORIC ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES

One previously unrecorded prehistoric cultural resource was identified during pedestrian survey efforts conducted by Helix Environmental (see below) and confirmed during a field visit by ASM.

### 4.1.1 Temp ID-SL-S-001

TEMP ID-SL-S-001 is within the Exchange Property project area, located on the west facing slope on the southern parcel region of the property. The site was recorded on May 27, 2022, by Mary Villalobos of Helix Environmental and Erica Gonzales of Jamul Indian Village. The site consists of a small sparse lithic scatter and quartz scatter, including one quartz core and seven pieces of quartz debitage. The site is within an area of dense vegetation and boulder outcrops.

The site was relocated on January 14, 2025, by R. Ruston of ASM Affiliates and found to be in the same condition.

#### 4.2 HISTORIC ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES

No previously recorded historic cultural resources were in the project areas. No newly identified historic cultural resources were identified in the project areas

#### 4.3 PREHISTORIC ISOLATES

No previously recorded prehistoric isolates were in the project areas. No newly identified prehistoric isolates were in the project areas.

#### 4.4 RESOURCES OF UNKNOWN AGE

No previously recorded cultural resources of unknown age were in the project areas. No newly identified cultural resources of unknown age were in the project areas

#### 4.5 PREHISTORIC AND HISTORIC MULTI-COMPONENT SITES

No previously recorded multi-component cultural resources were in the project areas. No newly identified multi-component cultural resources were in the project areas

## 4.6 OTHER LOCATIONS OF HISTORIC ACTIVITIES, OBJECTS, OR INFRASTRUCTURE

No previously recorded locations of historic activities, objects, or infrastructure were in the project areas. No newly identified locations of historic activities, objects, or infrastructure were in the project areas

#### 4.7 PREHISTORIC SYNTHESIS

The chronology of prehistoric activity within the project areas remains fairly undefined, based on the confidential nature of the study and the positive results of the Sacred Lands File search conducted by the NAHC on behalf of Helix Environmental (2022)

It is widely accepted that the occupation of prehistoric habitation sites or multiple activities took place within and adjacent to the project areas but that they were unidentifiable during the previous surveys because of poor visibility (<50 percent visibility due to dense vegetation), and steep terrain. Multiple ethnohistoric and ethnographic accounts relay the existence of numerous significant Kumeyaay villages within the proximity of both project areas (Carrico 2008, Shipek 1978a and 1978b). Multiple prehistoric habitation sites and resource gathering or processing areas are adjacent to the project areas.

## 5. NATIVE AMERICAN CONSULTATION

## PARTICIPATION/

In November 2021, Montrose Environmental Solutions sent a letter to the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) on behalf of the JIV to request review of its Sacred Lands Files (SLF) with regard to the Disposal Property. The NAHC responded on December 3, 2021, stating that the search was positive, and that the Ewiiaapaayp Band of Kumeyaay Indians, the Jamul Indian Village, and the Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians should be contacted for more information. It should be noted that this SLF search request was not included within the Disposal Property's cultural memorandum prepared by Montrose Environmental Solutions (Appendix B).

On May 18, 2022, Helix Environmental sent a letter to the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) on behalf of the JIV to request review of its Sacred Lands Files (SLF). The NAHC responded on June 20, 2022, stating that the search was positive, and that the Ewiiaapaayp Band of Kumeyaay Indians and the Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians should be contacted for more information. Helix notes that due to the confidential nature of the study, "no outreach was conducted." Helix also summarized that the SLF search was positive for the project site; it is assumed that JIV is aware of sensitive cultural resources in this area (Appendix C).

In June 2025, CDFW Region 5 requested an additional SLF to receive an updated tribal consultation list for the Exchange property. The NAHC responded on June 18, 2025 stating that the search was positive, and that the Ewiiaapaayp Band of Kumeyaay Indians, and the Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians should be contacted for more information. This SLF search request provided a list of 19 contacts at 12 Native American Tribes.

Under the provisions of AB 52, and in keeping with the USFWS's trust responsibility under Executive Order 13175, Secretarial Order 3206, and the USFWS's Native American Policy, the CDFW and the USFWS collaborated to prepare a joint consultation letter to 19 contacts at 12 Native American Tribes on the list provided by the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) which were indicated as having traditional and cultural affiliation with the project site. The letters were sent out on July 16, 2025. The 30-day period for Native American tribes to request consultation via the AB 52 and Section 106 process ends on August 20, 2025; however, consultation under Section 106 and AB 52 at the time of writing this report is ongoing. The letters are included in Appendix A. To date, Barona Band of Mission Indians responded and indicated it will defer to and support the Jamul Indian Village.

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## 6.IMPACTS, SIGNIFICANCE, AND MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

## 6.1 INTERPRETATION OF RESOURCE SIGNIFICANCE AND IMPACT IDENTIFICATION

## **6.1.1 Resource Significance**

One cultural resource was identified within the project areas. Additional investigations would be necessary to formally evaluate the resource for CRHR or NRHP eligibility.

## 6.1.2 Impact Identification

#### **No Action Alternative**

**No impact.** Under the No Action Alternative, the disposal/exchange properties would remain under the current land ownership status. The Disposal Property would remain in CDFW ownership and would continue to be conserved for biological resources and managed consistent with the RJER. Although it is possible that the Exchange Property could be developed in the future, there are no current plans for development, and the property would remain as vacant land. Thus, there would be no cultural resource changes in the foreseeable future. In addition, any future development of either property would require independent environmental review. There would be no impact on cultural resources. Under the No Action Alternative, any existing cultural resources that may be present on-site would avoid potential future impacts on cultural resources that may be present on-site.

#### **Proposed Action**

#### Disposal Property

**No impact.** As part of research for the Disposal Property's cultural memorandum prepared by Montrose Environmental Solutions (Appendix B), a record search was conducted at the South Coastal Information Center (SCIC) of the California Historical Resources Information System on October 25, 2021. The search found that four previous surveys intersected the area of potential effect (APE) but did not include the entirety of the Disposal Property. The SCIC reported 37 cultural resources, primarily prehistoric sites, which were identified within a 0.5-mile radius, but not in the Disposal Property.

A review of historic maps showed no development in the Disposal Property and only roads. A pair of buildings were shown on nearby quadrangles, but they are likely associated with the Saint Francis Xavier Cemetery church. Therefore, the Proposed Action would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource, and there would be no impact.

According to consultation with the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO) of the JIV, in advance of the archaeological survey in support of the cultural memorandum, there is a dense concentration of prehistoric resources in the vicinity, which is verified by the presence of an ethnographic village nearby, thus indicating a potential for prehistoric resources. JIV's THPO also indicated that historic artifacts have been found immediately north of the APE. To ensure adequate survey coverage for the Disposal Property, an archaeological survey was conducted in 2021 (see Appendix B). During the archaeological survey, parallel transects spaced 50 ft. apart were surveyed, and ground visibility was good, averaging about 50 percent. Several fragments of cobalt glass were noted immediately north of the property, in the area JIV's THPO previously noted historic artifacts. During the survey, no cultural resources or historic properties

were identified on the property; therefore, a finding of "no historic properties affected" was recommended in the cultural resources assessment for the property. Because of the adequate survey coverage, lack of resources, no ground disturbance proposed/associated with the disposal/exchange, and the Proposed Action being a legal transfer of ownership which does not entail any development, the Proposed Action would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource. Therefore, there would be no impact. Additionally, because there would be no ground disturbance associated with the Proposed Action, there would be no opportunity to disturb any human remains, including those interred outside of dedicated cemeteries, and thus no impact.

The removal of the ecological reserve protections would enable the Tribe to develop the site. However, following the land disposal/exchange, any activities associated with the Tribe's future use of the Disposal Property would be subject to compliance with applicable federal, state, and local regulations, including the County Zoning Ordinance. Therefore, there would be no impact on cultural resources or historic properties associated with the Proposed Action.

#### Exchange Property

**No impact.** A background record search was conducted at SCIC on May 23, 2022, of files and literature covering the Exchange Property and a 1-mile radius (see Appendix C). The search found that 25 previous surveys have been performed within the 1-mile radius. Two of the studies slightly overlapped the Exchange Property but were then ruled out due to mapping errors. The SCIC reported that 71 cultural resources have been previously identified within the 1-mile radius surrounding the Exchange Property, none of which are in the property. The reported cultural resources consist of 47 prehistoric archaeological sites, four historic archaeological sites, three multicomponent archaeological sites, 12 prehistoric isolated artifact finds, four historic isolated artifact finds, and one isolated find containing both a prehistoric and historic artifact.

A review of historic maps and aerials covering the Exchange Property showed unnamed tributaries, improved roads, structures, and cleared and actively farmed areas in areas adjacent to the Exchange Property, but not directly in the boundary of the site. Therefore, the Proposed Action would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a historical resource, and there would be no impact.

The May 27, 2022, archaeological survey was conducted using parallel transects spaced 5 meters apart, and ground visibility was low (from 0–30 percent on the north parcel and 10–60 percent on the south parcel). The survey identified one previously unrecorded cultural resource: a prehistoric site (temporary designation SL-S-001) consisting of a sparse scatter of flaked stone lithic artifacts, including a quartz core and seven pieces of quartz debitage. This find was verified by Ascent's subcontractor, ASM Affiliates, during the January 14, 2025, site visit. Ground visibility was good (50–70 percent) during the site visit. Because the property would be provided with the same ecological protection as the existing Disposal Property, with no planned development, the Proposed Action would not cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of an archaeological resource, and there would be no impact. Furthermore, through the addition of the Exchange Property to the HCWA, the Exchange Property would be protected against future development, protection that is not currently afforded by its existing land use/zoning; thus, the Proposed Action Alternative would avoid potential future impacts on cultural resources that may be present on-site. Additionally, because there would be no ground disturbance associated with the Proposed Action, there would be no opportunity to disturb any human remains, including those interred outside dedicated cemeteries; thus, there would be no impact.

#### 6.1.3 TEMP ID-SL-S-001

TEMP ID-SL-S-001 is within the Exchange Property project area, located on the west-facing slope on the southern parcel region of the property. The site is within an area of dense vegetation and boulder outcrops.

Avoidance is the recommended mitigation measure for this resource. Currently, the site is protected by dense vegetation. Protective measures, such as fencing, are recommended for this resource if ground-disturbing activities are proposed within 50 ft. of the resource. Archaeological and Native American Monitors should be present during ground-disturbing and habitat restoration or enhancement activities within 100 ft. of this resource.

It is recommended that after the proposed action is concluded, that CDFW and USFWS conduct a records search at the SCIC to obtain information regarding the location of the resource.

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# APPENDIX A AB 52/Section 106 Letters

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CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE South Coast Region 3883 Ruffin Road San Diego, California 92123

In Reply Refer to:

July 16, 2025

Allen Lawson, Chairperson San Pasqual Band of Diegueno Mission Indians P.O. Box 365 Valley Center, CA, 92082

SUBJECT: FORMAL NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY BILL 52 AND SECTION 106 OF THE NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT FOR THE PROPOSED FUTURE JAMUL INDIAN VILLAGE CEMETERY EXPANSION- LAND DISPOSAL AND EXCHANGE PROJECT IN UNINCORPORATED SAN DIEGO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

#### Dear Allen Lawson:

The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) are jointly considering a proposed land disposal and exchange for the proposed future Jamul Indian Village Cemetery Expansion - Land Disposal and Exchange Project (Project) in unincorporated San Diego County. The Jamul Indian Village of California (JIV) is proposing to transfer the 4.0-acre Slee property (Exchange Property) owned by the JIV adjacent to the Hollenbeck Canyon Wildlife Area (HCWA) to CDFW in exchange for a 1.1-acre property (Disposal Property) that is owned by CDFW and located within the Rancho Jamul Ecological Reserve (RJER).

### **Undertaking**

The Undertaking is defined as the removal of the 1.1-acre Disposal Property from the RJER, including the Federal interest in the property, and transfer to JIV. In addition, the Undertaking includes the transfer of the 4.0-acre Exchange Property to CDFW for conservation purposes and incorporation of this property into the HCWA. A Notice will be recorded on title of the Exchange Property indicating the Federal interest and restrictions on the property. The Disposal Property is anticipated to be used for future expansion of the JIV's adjacent cemetery, but the future cemetery expansion is not part of the current Undertaking.

CDFW's approval of the proposed land disposal and exchange involves transfer of replacement land as well as the disposal of land from State government ownership which is a discretionary action subject to environmental review in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); therefore, CDFW is inviting your Tribe to consult under Assembly Bill 52 (AB 52), pursuant to PRC Section 21080.3.1. While the RJER is owned and managed exclusively by CDFW, there is also a Federal nexus for the proposed disposal and exchange due to the contribution of USFWS grant funding pursuant to section 6 of the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended, which was used to support the original acquisition of the RJER, including the Disposal Property. Therefore, the proposed disposal and transfer of the 1.1-acre Disposal Property to JIV is subject to approval from the USFWS, which requires review in accordance with the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) and its implementing regulations, including Section 106 (36 CFR 800).

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## **Area of Potential Effect**

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The Disposal Property is a triangular 1.1-acre property located within the northern boundary of the RJER. The property is within Section 10, Township 17 South, Range 1 East on the Dulzura, CA 7.5-minute USGS Quadrangle.

The Exchange Property consists of two contiguous parcels (Assessor Parcel Numbers 600-101-04 and 600-101-05) totaling 4.0 acres on Honey Springs Road. The property is bordered on the east by CDFW-owned HCWA. The property is located within Section 28, Township 17 South, Range 2 East on the Dulzura, CA 7.5-minute USGS Quadrangle.

### **Historic Property Identification Effort**

Two cultural resources studies were contracted by the JIV for the proposed land disposal and exchange. Since the two properties (Disposal and Exchange) are non-contiguous, the cultural resource reports were based on the individual properties being proposed for the land disposal/exchange rather than including both properties in a combined APE.

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Furthermore, the USFWS will protect, to the maximum extent practicable, Tribal information that you may disclose to us or that we may collect. However, please be aware that any information in our files is subject to public disclosure under specific circumstances (e.g., through a Freedom of Information Act request). Please let us know if you have any other considerations for safeguarding sensitive Tribal information. If the Tribe prefers to maintain certain information exclusively in your files, we are willing to explore options for reviewing and referencing that information. Resource locations will not be disclosed in public documents and will be kept confidential as provided for under California Government Code Section 6254.10.

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Respectfully,

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Signed by:

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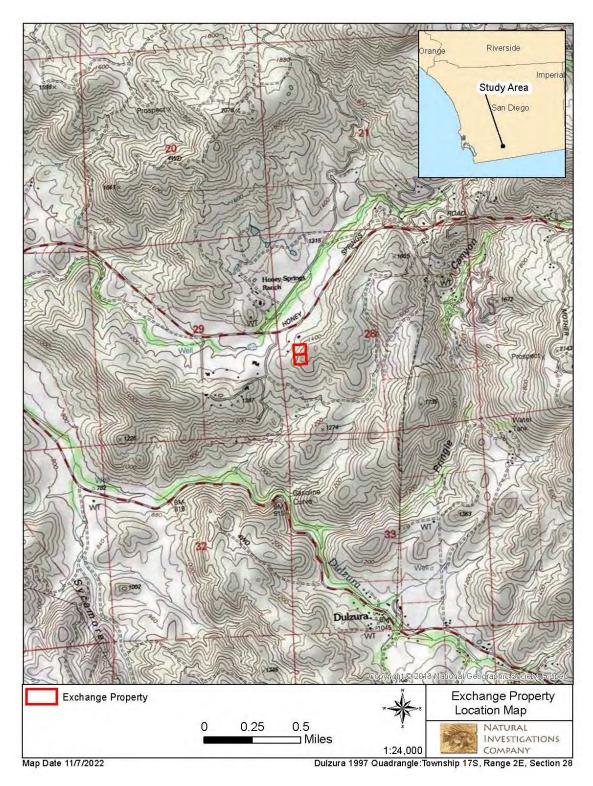


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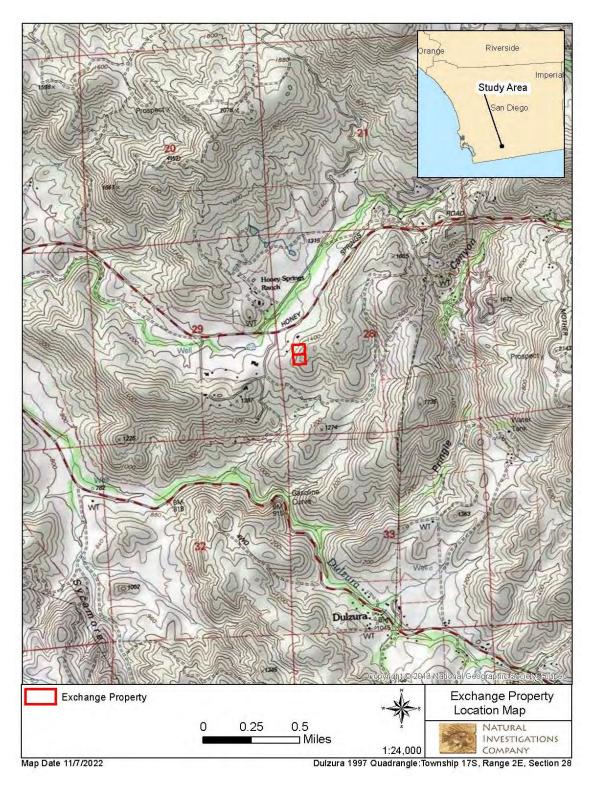


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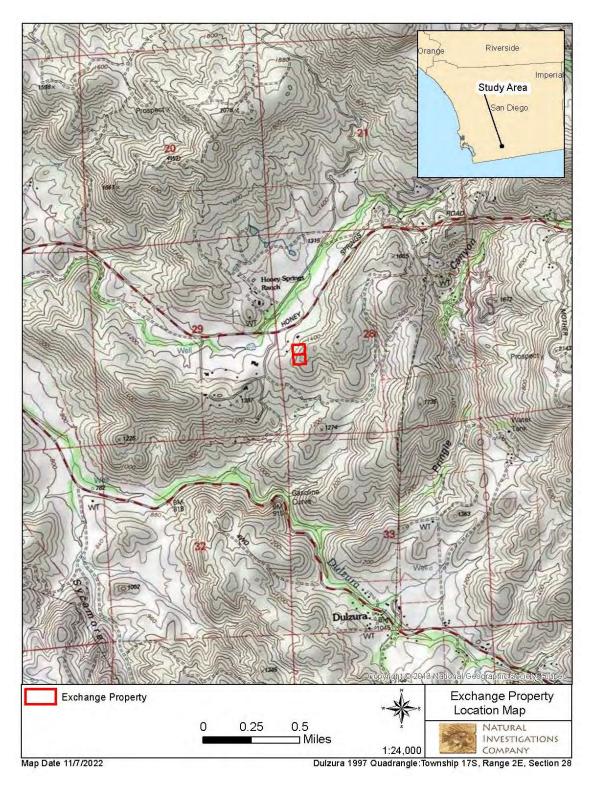


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July 16, 2025

Bernice Paipa, Cultural Resource Specialist Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation Sycuan Cultural Center: 910 Willow Glen Drive El Cajon, CA, 92019 bpaipa2@sycuan-nsn.gov

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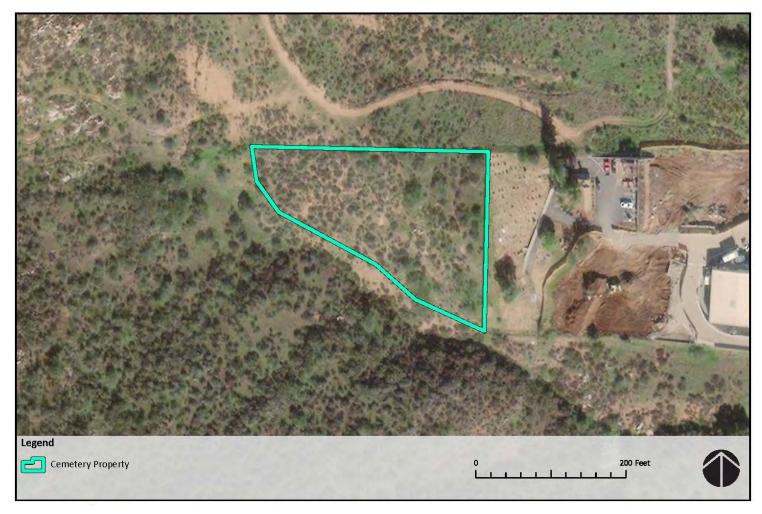


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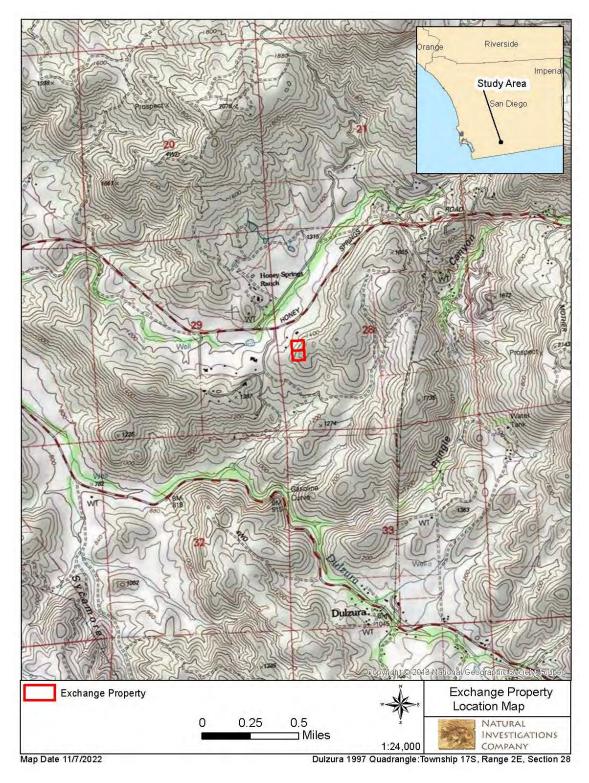


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Clint Linton, Director of Cultural Resources lipay Nation of Santa Ysabel P.O. Box 507 Santa Ysabel, CA, 92070 <a href="mailto:clint@redtailenvironmental.com">clint@redtailenvironmental.com</a>

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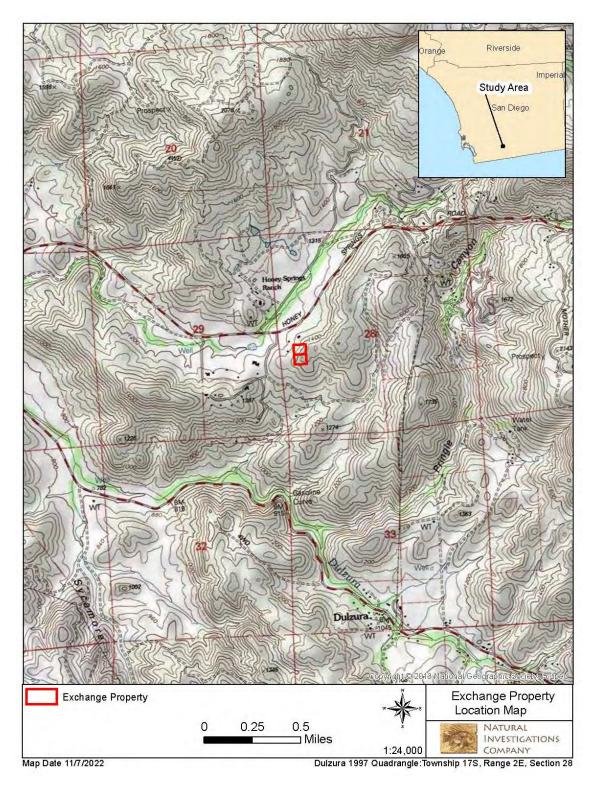


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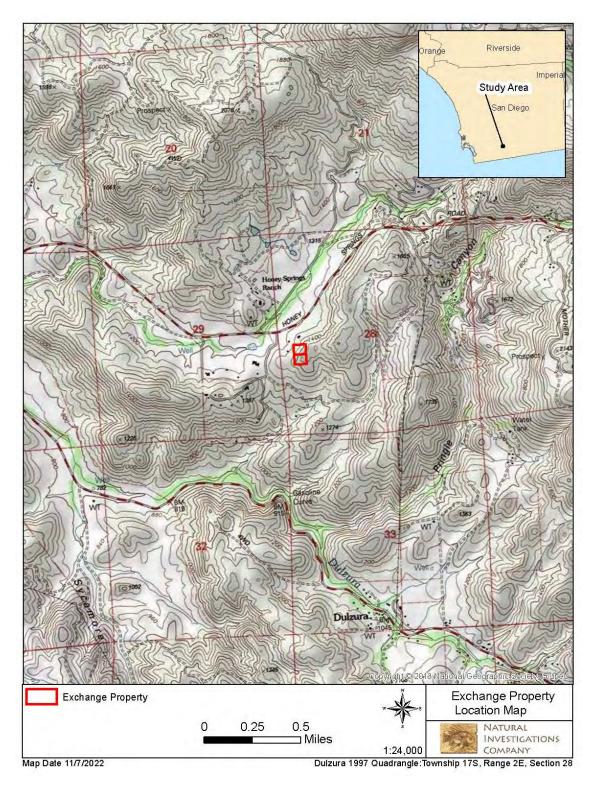


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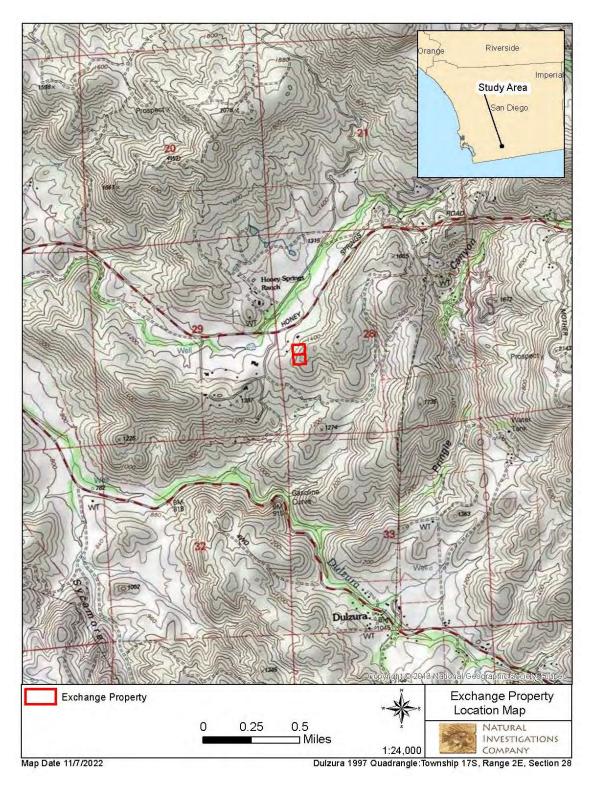


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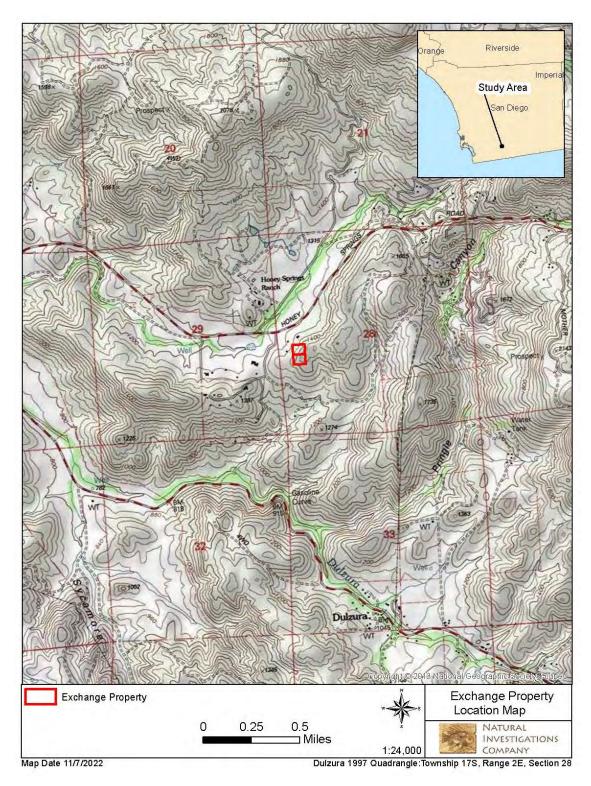


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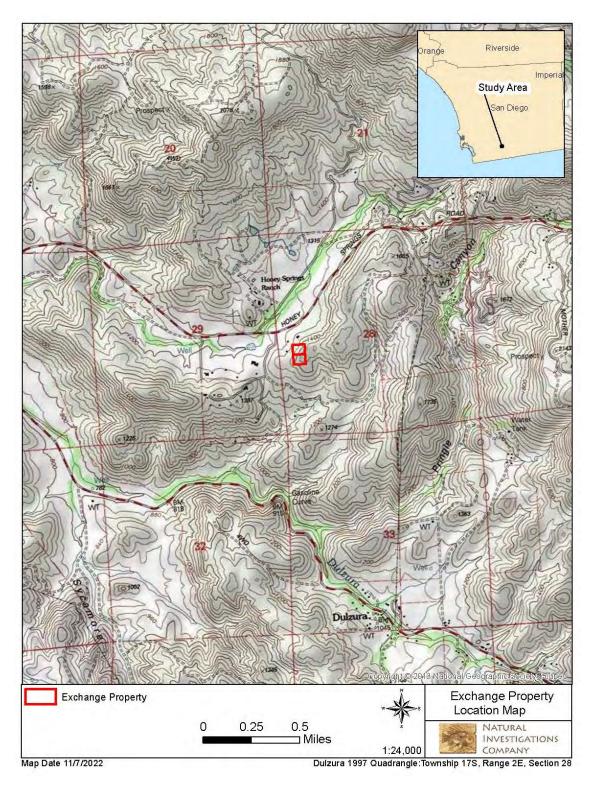


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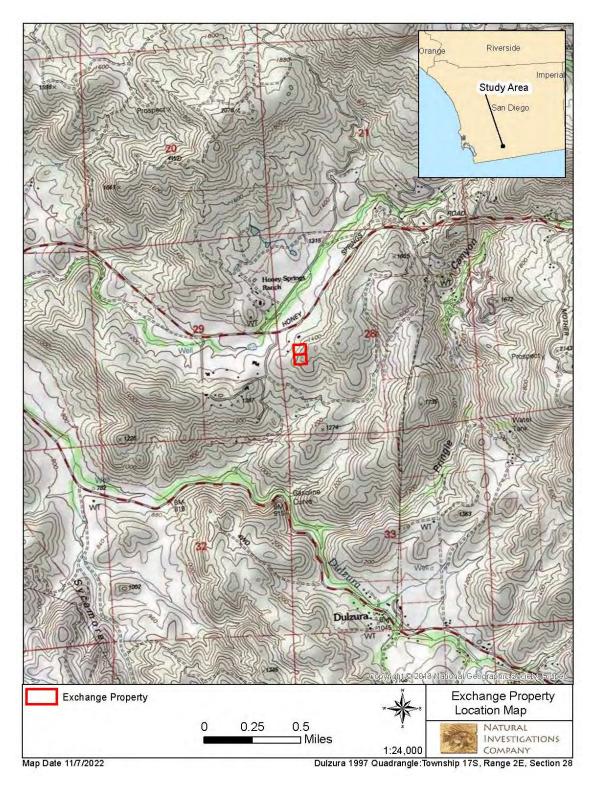


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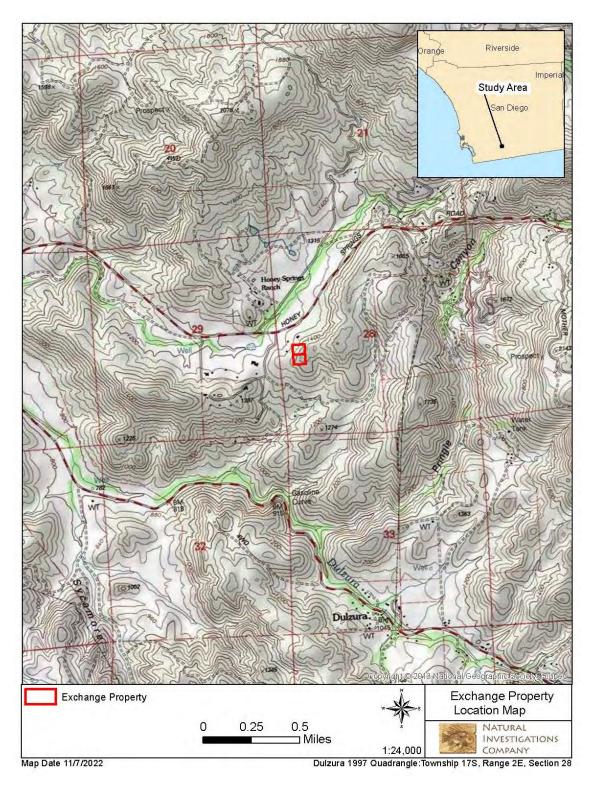


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Lisa Cumper, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Jamul Indian Village P.O. Box 612 Jamul, CA, 91935 Icumper@jiv-nsn.gov

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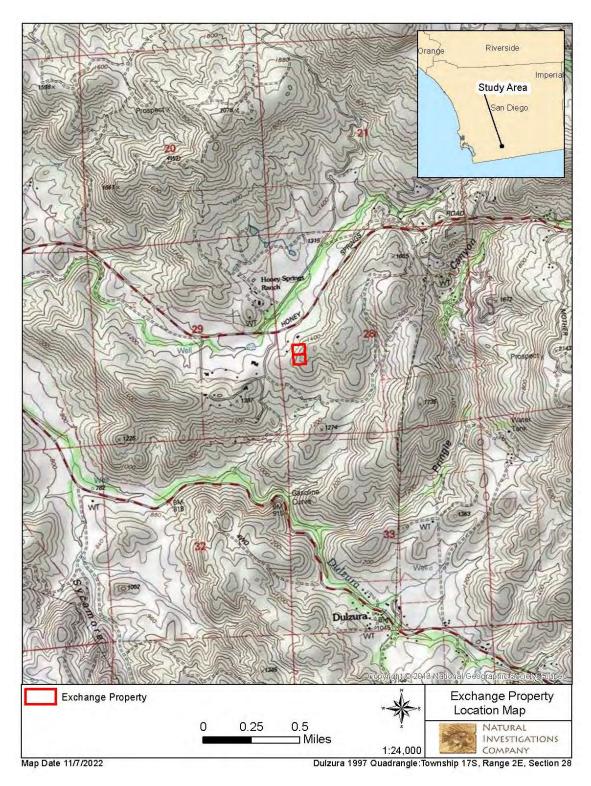


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Marcus Cuero, Chairperson Campo Band of Diegueno Mission Indians 36190 Church Road, Suite 1 Campo, CA, 91906 marcuscuero@campo-nsn.gov

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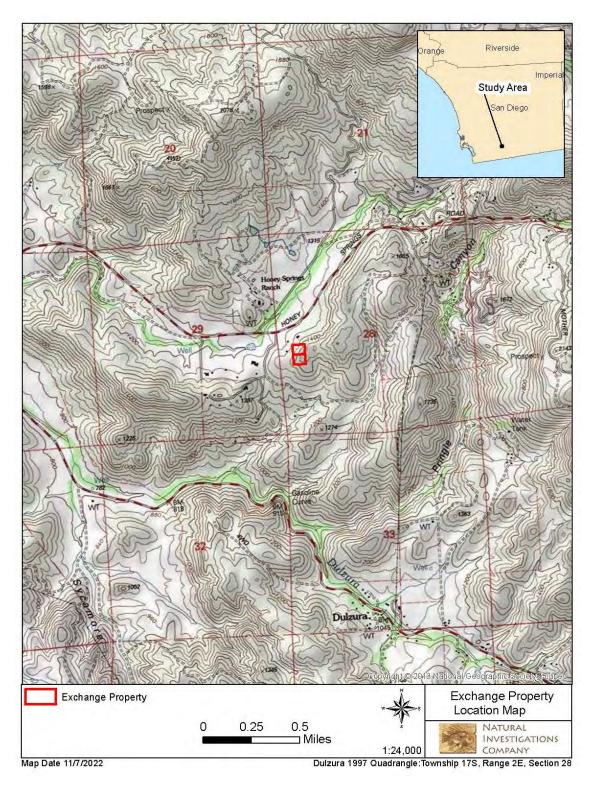


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Michael Garcia, Vice Chairperson Ewiiaapaayp Band of Kumeyaay Indians 4054 Willows Road Alpine, CA, 91901 michaelg@leaningrock.net

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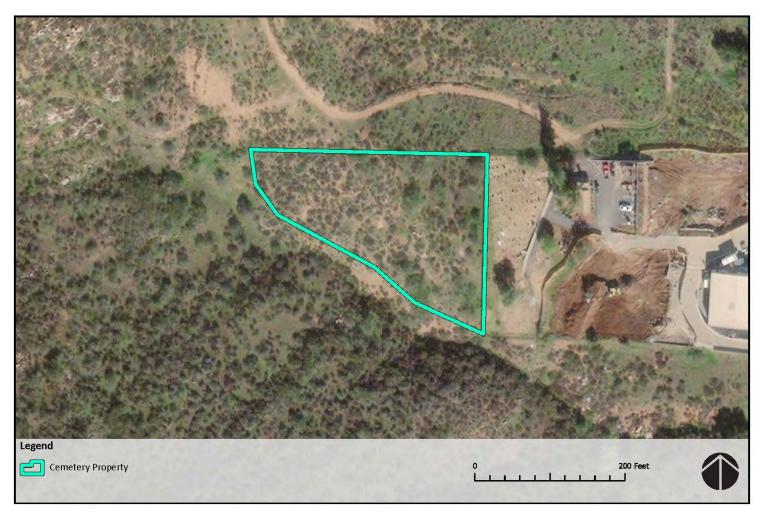


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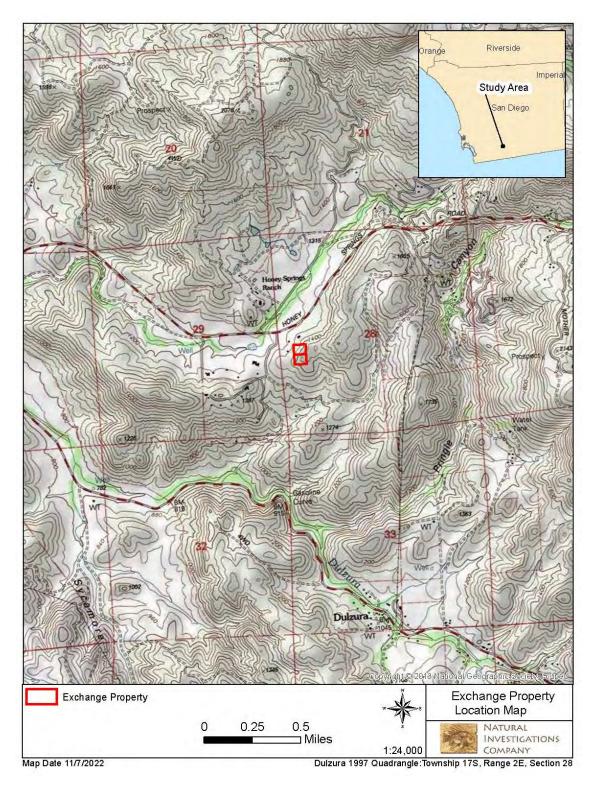


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In Reply Refer to:

July 16, 2025

Ray Teran, Resource Management Director Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians 1 Viejas Grade Road Alpine, CA, 91901 rteran@viejas-nsn.gov

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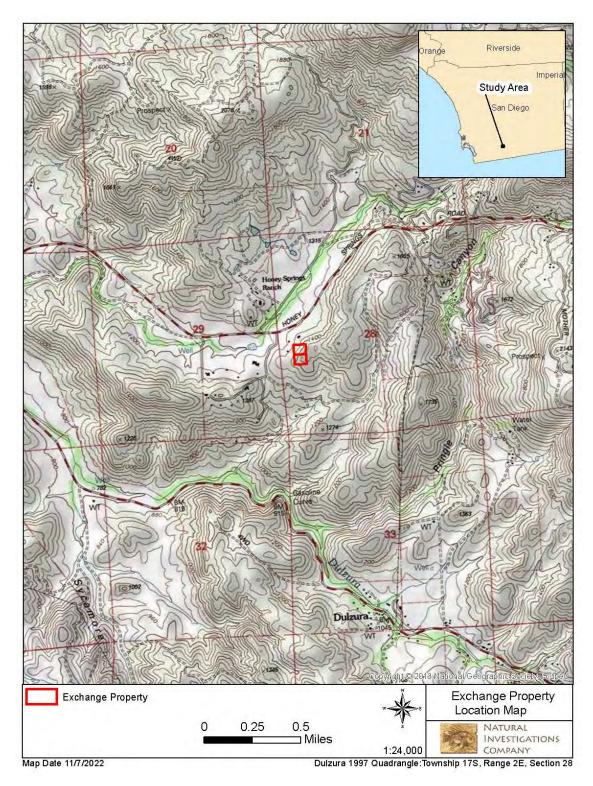


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In Reply Refer to:

July 16, 2025

Rebecca Osuna, Chairperson Inaja-Cosmit Band of Indians 2005 S. Escondido Blvd. Escondido, CA, 92025

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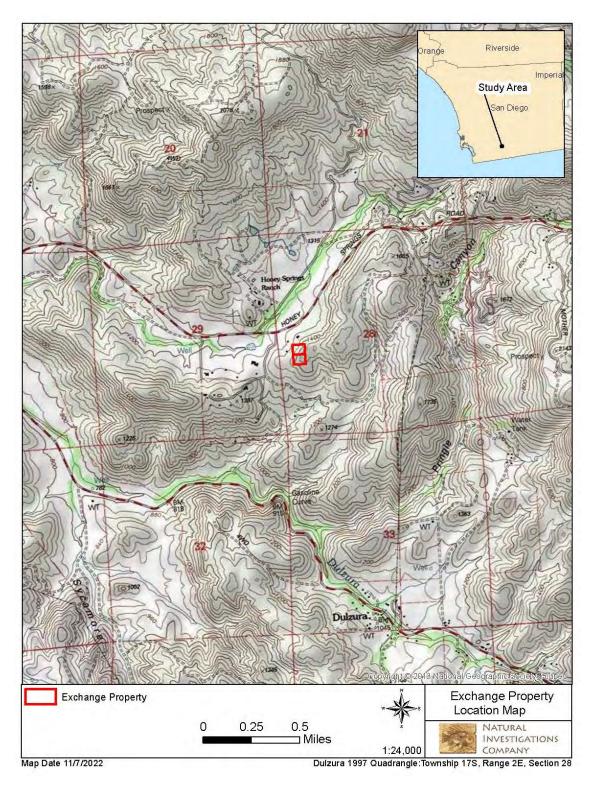


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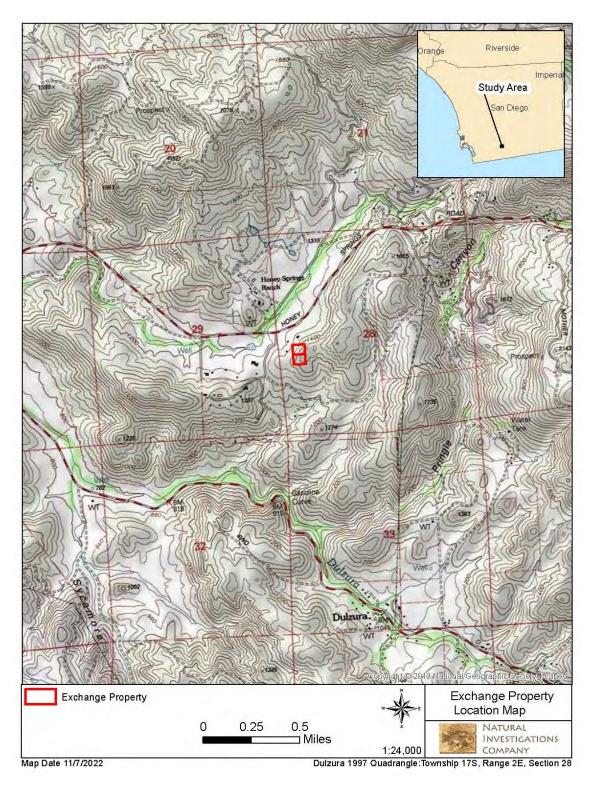


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# NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION

June 18, 2025

Tim Dillingham
California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Via Email to: Tim.Dillingham@wildlife.ca.gov

Re: Jamul Indian Village Cemetery Expansion - Land Exchange Project, San Diego County

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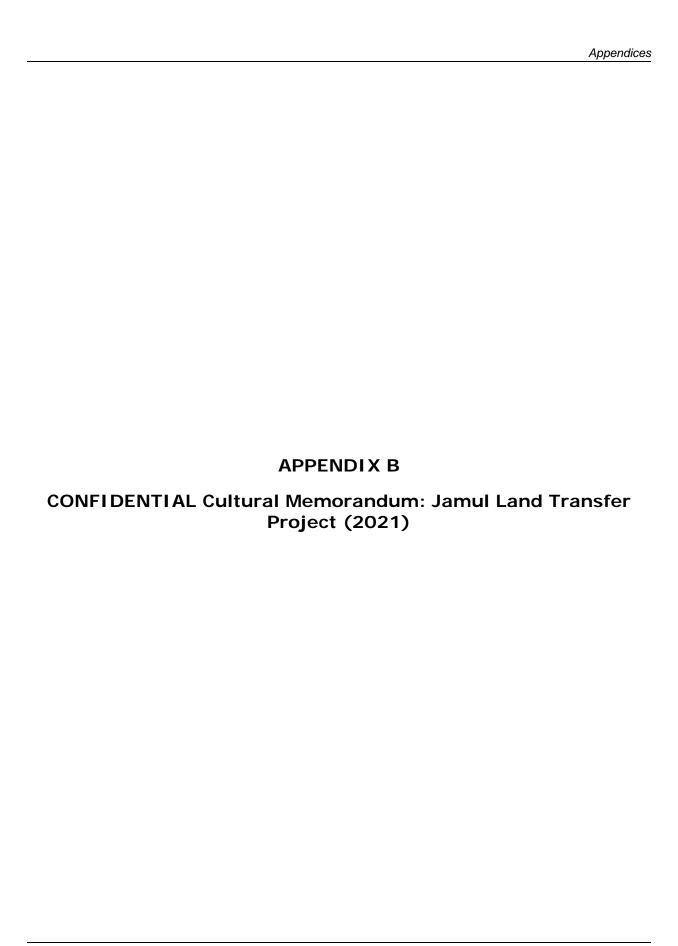
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CONFIDENTIAL Cultural Resources Due Diligence Constraints Assessment Study for the Campo Road Property

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Phase I Environmental Site Assessment



## **Phase I Environmental Site Assessment**

APN's 600-101-04 and -05 Slee Properties, Jamul, California

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C Young Associates has completed the contracted environmental consulting services for the above referenced project. The services were performed in accordance with our proposal and agreement dated May 18, 2022. The Phase I Environmental Site Assessment has been performed in accordance with ASTM International (ASTM) Standard Practice for Environmental Site Assessments: Phase I Environmental Site Assessment Process, ASTM Designation E1527-13 and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR) Part 312. We appreciate the opportunity to be of service to you on this project. Please contact us if you have any questions or comments regarding this report or if we can be of further assistance.

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#### 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report presents the methods and findings of a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (Phase I ESA) of the property known as the Slee Properties and is located south of Honey Springs Road in the community of Jamul, San Diego County, California (i.e., the Site). This Phase I ESA was performed in conformance with the contract/agreement for this assignment and the scope and limitations of ASTM Standard Practice E1527-13 and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Standards and Practices for All Appropriate Inquiries (AAI) as published in Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations Part 312 (40 CFR 312). EPA promulgated the AAI rule that became effective in November 2006 and has indicated that the ASTM E1527 practice is consistent with the requirements of AAI and may be used to comply with the provisions of the AAI rule.

#### 1.1 Purpose

The purpose of the ASTM E1527 practice (framework for this Phase I ESA) is to define good commercial and customary practice in the U.S. for conducting a Phase I ESA of a parcel of real estate with respect to the range of contaminants within the scope of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA, Title 42 U.S. Code [42 U.S.C.] Section 9601) and petroleum products. As such, this practice is intended to permit a user to satisfy one of the requirements to qualify for the innocent landowner, contiguous property owner, or bona fide prospective purchaser limitations on CERCLA liability (hereinafter, the "landowner liability protections," or "LLPs"); i.e., the practice that constitutes AAI's into the previous ownership and uses of the Site consistent with good commercial and customary practice as defined in 42 U.S.C. Section 9601(35)(B).

In defining a standard of good commercial and customary practice for conducting this Phase I ESA, the goal of the processes established by the ASTM E1527 practice is to identify, to the extent feasible, *recognized environmental conditions*. The term "recognized environmental conditions" is defined as the presence or likely presence of any hazardous substances or petroleum products in, on, or at a property: (1) due to any release to the environment; (2) under conditions indicative of a release to the environment, or; (3) under conditions that pose a material threat of a future release to the environment. In addition, *controlled recognized environmental conditions*, *historical recognized environmental conditions* and/or *de minimis conditions*, if identified during the completion of the assessment, are discussed herein. Definitions of these terms and other key terminology relevant to the practice are included in Section 14.0 of this report.

#### 1.2 Scope of the Assessment

In general terms, this Phase I ESA included the acquisition of readily available/accessible and practically reviewable regulatory records and historical information, a site reconnaissance, interviews and preparation of this written report of findings. A more



detailed description of the four primary components of the Phase I ESA is presented below.

**Records Review -** A review of Federal, State, Tribal, and local standard ASTM and non-ASTM regulatory databases for a myriad of environmental identifiers including, but not limited to: properties with underground storage tanks (USTs); properties with leaking USTs; properties that have reported spills/releases that did not occur from a leaking UST, and; businesses that utilize hazardous materials and/or generate hazardous waste and hazardous waste disposal locations. The regulatory review may also include public records requests with one or more Federal, State, Tribal and/or local agencies. A review of historical sources is also completed to help ascertain previous land uses of the property in question and in the surrounding area.

**Site Reconnaissance** - A property inspection and viewing of adjacent and surrounding properties for conditions that could be "recognized environmental conditions."

**Interviews** - Interviews with present and past owners, operators and/or occupants of a property and local government officials.

**Reporting** - Evaluation of the information gathered during the completion of the Phase I ESA and the subsequent preparation of a written report.

## 1.3 Limitations and Exceptions

Concerns regarding liability under the CERCLA and analogous State laws have been a primary driver for Phase I ESA assignments in commercial real estate transactions. While the ASTM E1527 practice can be used in many contexts, a familiarity with CERCLA and its potential LLPs is critical in understanding and applying the ASTM E1527 practice. We advise consultation with legal counsel if further inquiry or information is desired.

AAI represents the minimum level of inquiry necessary to support the LLPs. However, it is important to understand that additional inquiry ultimately may be necessary or desirable for legal as well as business reasons depending upon the outcome of this inquiry and the particular risk tolerances of a given user. For example, additional inquiry may assist a user of a Phase I ESA in determining whether he or she would have continuing obligations in the event he or she acquires a given property and may also assist the user in defining the scope of future steps to be taken to satisfy such obligations. In addition, a user may be concerned about business environmental risks or non-scope ASTM considerations that do not fall within the definition of a "recognized environmental condition." In addition, this Phase I ESA did not include subsurface or other invasive exploration. Users are also cautioned that Federal, State, Tribal and local laws may impose environmental assessment obligations that are beyond the scope of the ASTM E1527 practice.

The evaluation, opinion and conclusions presented herein are based solely on visual observations and regulatory, historical and personal knowledge related information that existed at the time our assessment was completed. The use of the gathered information



is exclusively for the purposes outlined in this report and only for the Site. Our firm can make no warranty, express or implied, except that the services conducted were performed in accordance with generally accepted environmental assessment practices applicable at the time and location of the assessment and that the conclusions of the assessment have been based in part on professional judgment/experience, an interpretation of readily available data and the standard of care normally followed by similar professionals practicing in a similar locale and under similar circumstances. Any opinions presented cannot apply to Site changes of which our firm is unaware and has not had the opportunity to evaluate. In addition, this report cannot feasibly include any evaluation of undocumented activities at the Site or on adjacent or nearby properties. Lastly, a Phase I ESA meeting or exceeding this practice and completed less than 180 days prior to the date of an acquisition or completed transaction is presumed to be valid.

## 1.4 Special Terms and Conditions

This Phase I ESA was prepared in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract/agreement for the work as executed between our firm and the client. There are no other special terms and conditions established between our firm and the client pertinent to the findings of this Phase I ESA or methodology used to complete this Phase I ESA. In addition, our firm has no final or other vested interest in the Site or adjacent/surrounding properties, or in any entity that owns or occupies the Site or adjacent/surrounding properties.

## 1.5 Limiting Conditions and Deviations

There were no significant limiting conditions that would inhibit our ability to identify "recognized environmental conditions" noted during the completion of this Phase I ESA. In addition, there were no deviations from the ASTM E1527 standard noted during the completion of this Phase I ESA. Any limiting conditions that are not considered to be ones that would inhibit our ability to identify "recognized environmental conditions" at the Site are referenced in applicable sections of this report.

#### 1.6 Data Failure and Data Gaps

No instances of data failure were encountered during the completion of this Phase I ESA. In addition, no data gaps of significance (i.e., those that would inhibit our ability to identify "recognized environmental conditions") were identified during the completion of this Phase I ESA. Any data gaps that are not considered to be ones that would inhibit our ability to identify "recognized environmental conditions" at the Site are referenced in applicable sections of this report.

#### 1.7 Reliance

This report has been prepared for the exclusive use of the client to which our firm has contracted with to complete this Phase I ESA. This report may not be relied upon by any other person or entity without the written consent of both our firm and our client. The



scope of services performed for this Phase I ESA may not be appropriate to satisfy the specific needs of other users, and any use or reuse of this document would be at the sole risk of said users. Any other party seeking liability protection under CERCLA must take independent action to accomplish its objective.



#### 2.0 SITE DESCRIPTION

## 2.1 Location and Legal Description

The Site is known as the Slee Properties and is located on the south side of Honey Springs Road in the community of Jamul, San Diego County, California. The Site is a reported four acres. The Site is further identified by San Diego County Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APNs) 600-101-04 and 600-101-05. A Vicinity Map is included as Figure 1. A Site Plan is included as Figure 2.

## 2.2 Site and Vicinity Characteristics

The Site and the surrounding vicinity are situated in the community of Jamul in an area primarily consisting of public roadways, vacant land and residential properties. Additional details pertaining to the Site and its adjoining properties are provided in the sections below.

#### 2.3 Current Use of the Site

The Site is vacant and undeveloped land.

## 2.4 Description of Site Improvements

There are no known improvements.

#### 2.5 Utilities

Utilities that provide service in the surrounding area, are noted below along with their municipal provider, where applicable. If certain utility systems are not provided by public agencies or entities, they are noted as privately maintained.

Utility	Provider (Where Applicable)
Potable Water	Otay Water District. Private water supply wells are also likely prevalent in the area.
Sewage Maintenance	Otay Water District. Private septic systems are also likely prevalent in the area.
Electrical	San Diego Gas & Electric (SDG&E)
Natural Gas	SDG&E. Private natural gas/propane tanks are also likely prevalent in the area.
Solid Waste Disposal	Waste Management

## 2.6 Description of Adjoining Properties

Adjoining properties are defined as any real property or properties, the border of which is contiguous or partially contiguous with that of the subject property of a Phase I ESA, or that would be contiguous or partially contiguous with that of a subject property but for a



street, road, or other public thoroughfare separating them. To the extent feasible, our firm performed a visual inspection of adjoining properties from the Site boundaries and along public right of ways. We did not encroach onto adjoining private property during the completion of this Phase I ESA. The following table identifies the adjoining property uses:

General Direction	Adjoining Property Use
North	Residential properties
South	Residential properties and open space
East	Open space
West	Residential properties

## 2.7 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" in connection with the land use of, and improvements at, the Site are noted. In addition, the land uses of adjoining properties and properties in the vicinity of the Site do not represent "recognized environmental conditions" that are of direct environmental concern to the Site. Please refer to Section 5.1 for additional information pertaining to adjacent properties.



#### 3.0 PHYSICAL SETTING

## 3.1 Topography

The Site is depicted on the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 7.5-minute topographic map of the Dulzura, California 7.5 minute quadrangle (2018). Regional topography is variable. The Site is depicted on the topographic map at an average elevation of approximately 1,200 feet above mean sea level and slopes generally to the west. A Topographic Map is included as Figure 3.

## 3.2 Hydrology

According to the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Diego Basin (Region 9), published by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, the Site is situated within the Jamul Hydrologic Subarea of the Dulzura Hydrologic Area of the Otay Hydrologic Unit. Various drainages are present at the Site. Infiltration of precipitation at the Site can be expected due to its primarily unimproved nature. Any excess water would appear to flow as surface runoff to streets/roadways and surrounding areas of lower elevation. The Site does not appear to receive significant drainage from off-Site properties.

## 3.3 Geology

General geologic information pertaining to the Site is presented in the table below.

Geologic Consideration	Details
California Geomorphic Province	Peninsular Ranges
Mapped Soils or Formation	Mesozoic Granite Rocks
Description of Soils or Formation	Granitic and other intrusive crystalline rocks of various ages.
Distance/Direction to Mapped Faults	No known faults are mapped on the Site

## 3.4 Hydrogeology

General hydrogeologic information pertaining to the Site is presented in the table below.

Hydrogeologic Consideration	Details
Groundwater Basin or Unit	Jamul Hydrologic Subarea
Beneficial Uses	Municipal, agricultural and industrial
Estimated Depth to Groundwater	Anticipated to be greater than 20 feet
Estimated Flow of Groundwater	Northwest
Known Site or Regional Groundwater Contamination Issues	None



## 3.5 Oil and Gas Exploration

According to online resources provided by the California Department of Conservation, Geologic Energy Management Division, there are no oil, gas or geothermal wells located on the Site or its adjacent properties.

## 3.6 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" associated with Site *Physical Setting* considerations are noted.



#### 4.0 USER PROVIDED INFORMATION

The client was interviewed during the completion of this Phase I ESA. The questions posed during the interview are defined by the ASTM E1527 practice. The client also provided our firm with any land title records and judicial records that may be available for the Site as part of the required evaluation for environmental liens and activity and use limitations (AULs) in connection with the subject property of a Phase I ESA. As stated in the ASTM E1527 practice, it is the responsibility of the user of the report to provide any available records pertaining to environmental liens and AULs that may exist in connection with a given property. Any land title and judicial recorded provided to our firm are discussed below. If such information is not discussed in the sections below, it was not provided by the user of the report.

In addition to the contact information obtained, the user of the report was also asked if they are aware of other useful documents that may exist and if so whether copies can be provided to the environmental professional within reasonable time and cost constraints. A list of typical useful documents is included in Section 10.8.1 of the ASTM E1527 practice and include but are not limited to environmental assessment reports, compliance audits and permits, registrations for tank and other aboveground or underground systems, safety plans, spill prevention and other facility related plans and geological/geotechnical studies and environmental governmental agency notices and/or correspondence.

#### 4.1 Title Records

Our firm was provided a preliminary title report pertaining to the Site dated February 11, 2022 and prepared by Fidelity National Title. No environmentally related liens, deed restrictions or activity and use limitations pertaining to the Site are referenced in the report. A copy of the title report is included in Appendix A.

#### 4.2 Environmental Liens

The client is unaware of environmental liens in connection with the Site.

#### 4.3 Activity and Use Limitations

The client is unaware of AULs in connection with the Site.

## 4.4 Specialized or Actual Knowledge or Experience

The client is unaware of specialized knowledge, actual knowledge or experience that is material to "recognized environmental conditions" in connection with the Site.

## 4.5 Commonly Known or Reasonably Ascertainable Information

The client is unaware of commonly known or reasonably ascertainable information within the local community that is material to "recognized environmental conditions" in connection with the Site.



#### 4.6 Valuation Reduction for Environmental Issues

The client is unaware of information pertaining to an undervalued purchase price of the Site relative to the estimated fair market value of the Site due to the presence of contamination.

## 4.7 Owner, Property Manager, and Occupant Information

The Site is currently owned and managed by Martha Slee. The Site is vacant with no known occupants.

## 4.8 Reason for Performing Phase I ESA

The client has commissioned this Phase I ESA as part of a potential acquisition of the Site. The Phase I ESA is also being completed to assist the client in complying with 40 CFR 312.

## 4.9 Proceedings Involving the Site

The client is unaware of pending, threatened, or past litigation and administrative proceedings relevant to hazardous substances or petroleum products in, on, or from the Site. The client is also unaware of notices from any governmental entity regarding any possible violation of environmental laws or possible liability relating to hazardous substances or petroleum products in connection with the Site.

#### 4.10 Other Provided Documents

We were not provided with prior environmental documents pertaining to the Site.

#### 4.11 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" associated with the *User Provided Information* are noted.



#### 5.0 REGULATORY RECORDS REVIEW

Our firm commissioned the preparation of a regulatory database report from Environmental Risk Information Services (ERIS) as part of the regulatory records review. ERIS searches a myriad of Federal, State and local government environmental databases during the preparation of their deliverables. Certain databases are specifically required by the ASTM E1527 practice and are referenced as "standard ASTM regulatory databases." Such databases are searched to at least the minimum search distance around a given property as defined in the practice. Other regulatory databases are also searched that are not specifically referenced in ASTM E1527. Such databases are referenced as "non-ASTM regulatory databases" and are searched as varying radii around a given property as selected by ERIS.

Descriptions of each database searched and the dates that the regulatory databases were last updated by the applicable agencies are included in the ERIS report. The extent of historical information varies with each database and current information is determined by what is publicly available to ERIS at the time of an updates. ERIS updates databases in accordance with ASTM E1527 which states that government information from non-governmental sources may be considered current if the source updates the information at least every 90 days, or, for information that is updated less frequently than quarterly by the government agency, within 90 days of the date the government agency makes the information available to the public.

Our firm also reviewed unplottable sites listed in the database report by cross-referencing reasonably ascertainable information pertaining to such properties that may include facility names, street names, zip codes or other information. Unplottable sites are ones that cannot be formally mapped or geocoded due to various reasons, including limited geographic information. Any unplottable sites that we identify within the specified search radii have been evaluated as part of the preparation of this report. A copy of the regulatory database report is included in Appendix B.

## 5.1 Standard ASTM Regulatory Database Search

The tables below present the standard Federal, State, Tribal and local ASTM databases that were searched by ERIS including the search distances from the Site. Below the tables are descriptions of any listings for the Site that may appear in the databases. In addition, a discussion of adjoining properties or properties in the Site vicinity that are listed in one or more regulatory databases that in our professional judgment and opinion have the potential to adversely impact the Site due to current or former releases of hazardous substances and/or petroleum products that occurred at said properties is presented. This practice of discussing only properties of potential environmental concern to the Site is noted in ASTM E1527 which states that the environmental professional may make statements applicable to multiple properties listed in regulatory databases that are not likely to have current or former releases of hazardous substances and/or petroleum products with the potential to migrate to the a given subject property. Our professional judgment and opinions discussed herein are based on several factors including the nature



of the regulatory database listings, distance of the off-Site listed properties from the Site, orientation of the listed properties relative to the Site, interpreted the direction of groundwater flow and/or regulatory case status information for the various properties as described in the databases.

The following Federal standard ASTM databases were searched:

Standard Environmental Record Source Name	ERIS Regulatory Database Identification	Search Distance From Site (Miles)
National Priorities List (NPL) Site List	NPL – Proposed NPL – Superfund Record of Decision (ROD)	1.0
Delisted NPL Site List	Deleted NPL	0.5
Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System (CERCLIS) List	CERCLIS – SEMS – SEMS Archive – ODI – IODI – CERCLIS LIENS – SEMS LIENS	0.5
CERCLIS List	CERCLIS LIENS – SEMS LIENS	Site
CERCLIS No Further Remedial Action Planned (NFRAP) Site List	CERCLIS NFRAP	0.5
Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Corrective Action Sites (CORRACTS) Facilities List	RCRA CORRACTS	1.0
RCRA Non-CORRACTS Treatment, Storage and Disposal (TSD) Facilities List	RCRA TSD	0.5
RCRA Generators List	RCRA LQG – RCRA SQG – RCRA CESQG – RCRA NON-GEN – BULK TERMINAL – REFN – FEMA Underground Storage Tank (UST)	0.25
Institutional Control/Engineering Control Registries	FED ENG – FED INST – FED Brownfields	0.5
Emergency Response Notification System (ERNS) List	ERNS – ERNS 1982 to 1986 – ERNS 1987 to 1989	Site

**Site** – The Site is not listed on any of the standard Federal ASTM regulatory databases

**Adjoining Properties** – No adjoining properties are listed on the standard Federal ASTM regulatory databases.

**Other Properties** – No other properties in the surrounding area are listed on the standard Federal ASTM regulatory databases



The following State, Tribal and local standard ASTM databases were searched:

Standard Environmental Record Sources Name	ERIS Regulatory Database Identification	Search Distance From Site (Miles)
Equivalent NPL	RESPONSE – HWP	1.0
Equivalent CERCLIS	ENVIROSTOR – DELISTED ENVS	0.5
Landfill and/or Solid Waste Disposal Site Lists	SWF/LF – SWAT – LDS – SWRCB SWF – LA SWF	0.5
Leaking Storage Tank Lists	LUST – DELISTED LST – CLEANUP SITES – INDIAN LUST – DELISTED ILST –SAN DIEGO SAM	0.5
Registered Storage Tank Lists	UST – AST – UST CLOSURE – HHSS – TANK OIL GAS – DELISTED TNK – CERS TANK – DELISTED COUNTY – DELISTED CTNK – HIST TANK – INDIAN UST – DELISTED IUST – UST SWEEPS	Site and Adjoining Properties
Institutional Control/Engineering Control Registries	DEED – LUR – HLUR	Site
Voluntary Cleanup Sites	VCP - CLEANUP SITEs	0.5
Brownfield Sites	Not Applicable – No Database Exists	0.5

**Site** – The Site is not listed on any of the State, Tribal, and local standard ASTM regulatory databases.

**Adjoining Properties** – No adjoining properties are listed on the standard State, Tribal and local standard ASTM databases.

**Other Properties** – There is one listing on the State, Tribal and local standard ASTM regulatory databases in the surrounding area. The property is identified as Honey Springs Ranch at 1850 Honey Springs Road. The property is listed on the HAZ SAN DIEGO database with no violations or releases reported. This property is not considered to have the potential to adversely impact the Site.

## 5.2 Non-ASTM Regulatory Database Search

A myriad of non-ASTM regulatory databases was searched by ERIS as noted in the regulatory database report.



**Site** – The Site is not listed on any of the non-ASTM regulatory databases.

**Adjoining Properties** – No adjoining properties are listed on the non-ASTM regulatory databases.

**Other Properties** – No other properties in the surrounding area are listed on the non-ASTM regulatory databases.

## 5.3 Regulatory Agency File Reviews

If a property being assessed under a Phase I ESA or any of the adjoining properties are identified on one or more of the above referenced standard environmental record sources, pertinent regulatory files and/or records associated with such listings should be reviewed to assist the environmental professional in evaluating if "recognized environmental conditions" existing at a given subject property in connection with any listings. However, if in the environmental professional's opinion, such a review is not warranted, file reviews need not be conducted if the environmental professional provides justification for not doing so.

Agency file reviews for the Site completed during this Phase I ESA are noted below. No file reviews for adjoining properties or properties in the surrounding area were deemed warranted. The agency inquiries were performed by way of on-line searches/queries of published databases and/or direct inquiries with public records clerks at one or more agencies. Daniel Weis of C Young Associates conducted the agency file reviews during the completion of this Phase I ESA. Regulatory agency file review information is included in Appendix C.

Regulatory Agency	Jurisdiction	Date of Inquiry or Request	Contact	Response or Information From Agency
United States EPA	Federal	6/4/2022	Online https://enviro.epa.gov/	No Records Identified
California Department of Toxic Substances Control	State	6/4/2022	Online https://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/pub lic/ https://hwts.dtsc.ca.gov/report_list.cfm	No Records Identified
State Water Resources Control Board/Regional Water Quality Control Board	State	6/4/2022	Online https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/ https://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/ historical_ust_facilities	No Records Identified
County of San Diego DEH	Local	6/4/2022	Public Records Clerk	No Records Identified



## 5.4 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" associated with regulatory records searches are noted. In addition, regulatory resources related to the adjoining properties and properties in the vicinity of the Site do not represent "recognized environmental conditions" that are of direct environmental concern to the Site.



#### 6.0 HISTORICAL RESOURCE REVIEW

The objective of consulting historical sources is to develop a history of the previous uses of a property and surrounding area in order to help identify the likelihood of past uses having led to "recognized environmental conditions" in connection with a given property. The goal of the historical research is to identify all obvious uses of a subject property from the present, back to the property's first developed use, or back to 1940, whichever is earlier. The environmental professional exercises professional judgment in reviewing only as many of the standard historical sources referenced in ASTM E1527 that are deemed necessary, are reasonably ascertainable and are likely to be useful. Historical resources reviewed during the completion of this Phase I ESA are referenced below. Copies of aerial photographs are not appended due to copyright considerations but are available online for viewing.

## 6.1 Aerial Photographs

CYA reviewed historical aerial photographs from the years 1953, 1971, 1978, 1981, 1982, 1984, 1985, 1989, 1990, 1992, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1998,1999, 2000, 2002, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016 and 2019 via online resources (historicaerials.com). The Site appears to be vacant and undeveloped land in all of the aerial photographs. Adjoining properties are primarily vacant and undeveloped land in the 1953 to 2019 aerial photographs with some scattered residential structures. Adjoining properties appear similar to their configurations in the most recent photographs.

## 6.2 Historic Topographic Maps

CYA reviewed historical topographic maps dated ranging in date from 1903 to 2021 provided by online resources (historicaerials.com). On the 1904 through 1996 maps, the Site and adjacent properties are depicted as undeveloped. Nearby roadways are visible.

#### 6.3 Other Historical Sources

Other historical sources are referenced in the ASTM E1527 practice as any source or sources other than the standard historical sources referenced in the practice that are credible to a reasonable person and that identify past uses of a subject property. This category includes, but is not limited to miscellaneous maps, newspaper archives, internet sites, community organizations, local libraries, historical societies, current owners or occupants of neighboring properties, or records in the files and/or personal knowledge of the property owner and/or occupants. No historical sources other than the standard sources described above were deemed necessary and useful to assist in identifying "recognized environmental conditions."

## 6.4 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" associated with *Historical Resources* reviewed are noted. In addition, *Historical Resources* related to the adjoining properties and



properties in the vicinity of the Site do not represent "recognized environmental conditions" that are of direct environmental concern to the Site.



#### 7.0 SITE RECONAISSANCE

The objective of the Site reconnaissance is to obtain information indicating the likelihood of identifying "recognized environmental conditions" in connection with a subject property. The Site visit for our assessment was completed by Colin Young on June 3, 2022. Mr. Young was unescorted during the inspection.

## 7.1 Methodology and Limiting Conditions

The Site reconnaissance consisted of observing visible areas of the Site and walking publicly accessible areas surrounding the Site. No significant limiting conditions were noted during the reconnaissance. Select photographs of the Site obtained during the Site reconnaissance are included in Appendix D.

## 7.2 Current General Site and Vicinity Characteristics

The Site and the surrounding vicinity are situated in the community of Jamul in an area primarily consisting of public roadways, vacant land and residential properties. The Site is vacant and undeveloped land. The current use of the Site and its adjoining properties are not indicative of the use, treatment, storage, disposal or generation of significant quantities of hazardous substances or petroleum products that have adversely impacted the Site.

## 7.3 Indications of Past Site and Vicinity Uses

There are no material differences between the current and past uses of the Site, adjoining properties and the surrounding area that were visually and/or physically observed during the Site reconnaissance that pertain to "recognized environmental conditions."

## 7.4 Site-Specific Observations

We examined visible and accessible areas of the Site for the features and conditions noted in the table below.

Feature or Condition	Details
General Description of Structures	None observed.
Drains and Sumps	None observed.
Heating/Cooling Systems	None observed.
Potable Water Supply	Municipal (Otay Water District) in the area along with private water supply wells.
Roads	Access to the Site is via an easement off of a driveway off of Honey Springs Road to the North. Various unimproved trails and roads exist onsite.
Septic Systems / Sewage Disposal System	Otay Water District. Private septic systems are also likely prevalent in the area.



Feature or Condition	Details
Wastewater and Stormwater Discharges	None observed.
Wells	None observed.
Drums	None observed.
Electrical or Hydraulic Equipment Known to Contain PCBs or Likely to Contain PCBs	None observed.
Hazardous Substances and Petroleum Products in Connection with Identified Uses	None observed.
Hazardous Substance and Petroleum Products Not Necessarily in Connection With Identified Uses	None observed.
Odors	None noted.
Pits, Ponds or Lagoons	None observed.
Pools of Liquid	None observed.
Solid Waste (Including Fill Material)	None observed.
Stained Soil or Pavement	None observed.
Stains or Corrosion	None observed.
Storage Tanks	None observed.
Stressed Vegetation	None observed.
Unidentified Substance Containers	None observed.

## 7.5 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" associated with the current use of the Site were noted during the *Site Reconnaissance*. In addition, no current uses of the adjoining properties or properties in the surrounding area that were visually and/or physically observed during the *Site Reconnaissance* were noted as being relevant to "recognized environmental conditions" that are of direct environmental concern to the Site.



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#### 8.0 INTERVIEWS

#### 8.1 Site Owner

The designated Site owner representative (Simi Rush of Willis Allen Real Estate) completed an environmental questionnaire pertaining to the Site, a copy of which is included in Appendix E. No environmental concerns in connection with the Site were reported.

## 8.2 Key Site Manager

The Site owner is also considered to be the Key Site Manager. Please refer to Section 8.1 above.

#### 8.3 Current Occupants

The Site is currently vacant with no known occupants.

#### 8.4 Local Government Official

During the preparation of this Phase I ESA, a public records clerk with the County of San Diego DEH was contacted by our firm regarding the Site. A representative of this agency indicated that a public records request should be conducted in order to obtain information known by this agency regarding the Site. Public records requests were completed by our firm as described in Section 5.3.

#### 8.5 Other Parties

Interviews with other persons were not conducted during the preparation of this Phase I ESA. As stated in the ASTM E1527 practice, interviews with past owners, operators, and occupants of a subject property who are likely to have material information regarding the potential for contamination at a given property shall be conducted to the extent that they have been identified and that the information likely to be obtained is not duplicative of information already obtained from other sources. Interviews with persons with past association with the Site were not deemed warranted during the completion of this Phase I ESA.

#### 8.6 Summary Relative to Environmental Concerns

No "recognized environmental conditions" associated with the *Interviews* completed during the assessment are noted.



## 9.0 ADDITIONAL SERVICES - NON-SCOPE ASTM CONSIDERATIONS

No additional services were completed by our firm during the preparation of this Phase I ESA. Several non-scope ASTM considerations referenced in Section 13 of the ASTM E1527 practice were considered but deemed not relevant or substantive to the objectives of this assessment. Listed considerations in the practice include asbestos-containing building materials, biological agents, cultural and historic resources, ecological resources, endangered species, health and safety, indoor air quality (unrelated to releases of hazardous substances or petroleum products into the environment), industrial hygiene, lead-based paint, lead in drinking water, mold, radon, regulatory compliance and wetlands. No implication is intended by the practice as to the relative importance of inquiry into such non-scope considerations, and the list of considerations is not intended to be all-inclusive.

An evaluation of one or more of the non-scope considerations was not requested of our firm as part of the scope of services for the assessment. Therefore, no findings, opinions and conclusions of this Phase I ESA are based on said non-scope ASTM considerations.



## 10.0 FINDINGS AND OPINIONS

No features and/or conditions indicating the presence or likely presence of hazardous substances and/or petroleum products that have adversely impacted the Site were identified during the completion of this assessment.



## 11.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

This assessment has revealed no evidence of "recognized environmental conditions," "controlled recognized environmental conditions" or "historical recognized environmental conditions" in connection with the Site. Further assessment of the Site is not considered warranted at this time.



#### 12.0 ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONAL STATEMENT

We declare that, to the best of my professional knowledge and belief, we meet the definition of environmental professional as defined in Section 312.10 of 40 CFR. We have the specific qualifications based on education, training, and experience to assess a property of the nature, history, and setting of the Site. We have developed and performed the all appropriate inquiries in conformance with the standards and practices set forth in 40 CFR Part 312. Qualifications of personnel involved with the completion of this report are included in Appendix F.

Colin P. Young, CIH

Principal

Daniel Weis, R.E.H.S.

Associates Environmental Scientist

#### 13.0 ASSUMPTIONS

No Phase I ESA effort can eliminate uncertainty regarding the potential for "recognized environmental conditions" to exist in connection with a given property. Performance of the ASTM E1527 practice may reduce such uncertainty but in no way should the findings and report be misconstrued as insurance or a guarantee regarding the potential for "recognized environmental conditions" in connection with a given property. The ASTM E1527 practice recognizes reasonable limits of time and cost relative to the completion of a Phase I ESA.

During the completion of this ESA, our firm relied on certain information obtained from secondary sources, including but not limited to the user of the report, government agencies, historical research business entities, environmental databases and interviews with one or more persons. The sources obtained and/or consulted are assumed to be reliable. However, our firm cannot warranty or guarantee that the information provided by these other sources is wholly accurate or complete. Our firm is not responsible for any misrepresentations or false statements that may be provided by others or the lack of pertinent/relevant information that should have been provided/disclosed by others and we assume no responsibility for any consequence as a result of such omissions or withheld information.

Accuracy and completeness of records varies among information sources, including from governmental agencies. As a result, there is a possibility that even with the proper application of the methodologies presented in ASTM E1527, conditions may exist that could not be identified within the scope of this Phase I ESA or which were not reasonably identifiable from the available information. In addition, any responses received from Federal, State, Tribal, and local regulatory agency secondary sources of information after the issuance of this report may change certain findings and conclusions of this report.

Estimations and opinions regarding the potential for off-Site properties to adversely impact a given subject property is one of the key components of a Phase I ESA. In most cases, recent property-specific or adjacent-property specific measured groundwater data or other hydrogeological information is not reasonably ascertainable. In the absence of such data, reasonable assumptions regarding the depth and flow of groundwater are made based on various sources including comparisons to surface elevations, land topography and available hydrogeological on the State of California Geotracker database. In addition, estimations and opinions regarding potential impacts from off-Site locations may be based on certain assumptions that a hazardous substance or petroleum product may not migrate laterally within unsaturated soil for a substantial distance and that contaminants that have reached saturated soil and groundwater may attenuate over time and/or may decrease in concentration relative to distance from its source. While any interpretations presented herein may be effective in reducing uncertainty regarding potential impacts to a subject property from off-Site locations, in no way should the findings and report be misconstrued as insurance or a guarantee regarding the potential for such impacts to occur. Greater certainty regarding subsurface conditions at a given



property can only be achieved by way of a subsurface sampling effort of one or more media.



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#### 14.0 DEFINITIONS

Definitions of key terminology relevant to the ASTM E1527 practice are presented below.

**Recognized Environmental Condition** - The presence or likely presence of any hazardous substances or petroleum products in, on, or at a property: (1) due to any release to the environment; (2) under conditions indicative of a release to the environment; or (3) under conditions that pose a material threat of a future release to the environment.

Controlled Recognized Environmental Condition - A recognized environmental condition resulting from a past release of hazardous substances or petroleum products that has been addressed to the satisfaction of the applicable regulatory authority (for example, as evidenced by the issuance of a no further action letter or equivalent, or meeting risk-based criteria established by regulatory authority), with hazardous substances or petroleum products allowed to remain in place subject to the implementation of required controls (for example, property use restrictions, activity and use limitations, institutional controls, or engineering controls).

**Data Failure** - A failure to achieve the historical research objectives as outlined in the ASTM E1527 practice even after reviewing the standard historical sources that are reasonably ascertainable and likely to be useful. Data failure is one type of data gap.

**Data Gap** - A lack of or inability to obtain information required by this practice despite good faith efforts by the environmental professional to gather such information. Data gaps may result from incompleteness in any of the activities required by the ASTM E1527 practice, including, but not limited to site reconnaissance (for example, an inability to conduct the site visit), and interviews (for example, an inability to interview the key site manager, regulatory officials, etc.). Data gaps are only considered to be significant if they affect the ability of the environmental professional to identify recognized environmental conditions.

**De Minimis Condition** - A condition that generally does not present a threat to human health or the environment and that generally would not be the subject of an enforcement action if brought to the attention of appropriate governmental agencies. Conditions determined to be *de minimis* conditions are not "recognized environmental conditions" nor "controlled recognized environmental conditions."

**Environment** - (A) the navigable waters, the waters of the contiguous zone, and the ocean waters of which the natural resources are under the exclusive management authority of the United States under the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act [16 U.S.C. §§ 1801 et seq.], and (B) any other surface water, groundwater, drinking water supply, land surface or subsurface strata, or ambient air within the United States or under the jurisdiction of the United States.



**Good Faith** - The absence of any intention to seek an unfair advantage or to defraud another party; an honest and sincere intention to fulfill one's obligations in the conduct or transaction concerned.

Hazardous Substance - Includes hazardous substances designated under section 311 of the Clean Water Act (CWA) or Section 102 of CERCLA, any toxic pollutant listed under Section 307(a) of the CWA, any waste that has been listed as a RCRA hazardous waste or possesses a RCRA hazardous waste characteristic, any substance that is identified as a hazardous pollutant under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act (CAA), and any imminently hazardous chemical that EPA has taken action pursuant to Section 7 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).

**Historical Recognized Environmental Condition** - A past release of any hazardous substances or petroleum products that has been addressed to the satisfaction of the applicable regulatory authority or meeting unrestricted use criteria established by a regulatory authority, without subjecting the property in question to any required controls (for example, property use restrictions, activity and use limitations, institutional controls, or engineering controls).

**Petroleum Exclusion** – While the definition of a CERCLA hazardous substance specifically excludes petroleum products and crude oil, the EPA has determined that the petroleum exclusion applies to petroleum products such as gasoline and other fuels containing lead, benzene or other hazardous substances that are normally added during the refining process. Notwithstanding the existence of the petroleum exclusion, petroleum products are included within the scope of the ASTM E1527 practice for multiple reasons. Petroleum products have historically been widely used at commercial properties. In addition, other federal and state laws may impose liability for releases or spills of petroleum products.

**Reasonably Ascertainable Information** - Information that is (1) publicly available, (2) obtainable from its source within reasonable time and cost constraints and (3) practically reviewable.

**Release or Threatened Release** - Spilling, leaking, pumping, pouring, emitting, emptying, discharging, injecting, escaping, leaching, dumping or disposing into the environment (including the abandonment or discarding of barrels, containers and other closed receptacles containing any hazardous substance, or pollutant or contaminant).



#### 15.0 REFERENCES

Sources of information consulted during the completion of our Phase I ESA are noted in the sections below.

## 15.1 Documents, Plans and Reports

- "All Appropriate Inquiry" as necessary to satisfy the defenses available under 42 USC §§ 9607(b)(3), 9607(r)(1), and 9607(q), relying on definitions provided at 42 USC §§ 9601(35)(B); and as further explained in 40 CFR §§ 312.1 312.31.
- ASTM International, Standard Practice for Environmental Site Assessments: Phase I Environmental Site Assessment Process, ASTM Designation E1527-13, Published November 2013.
- California Geological Survey (CGS), 2002, Regional Geologic Map No. 2
- California State Water Resources Control Board, GeoTracker online database: http://www.geotracker.swrcb.ca.gov.
- California State Water Resources Control Board, Water Quality Control Plan for the San Diego River Basin (9), California, Published 2008.
- ERIS Database Report dated May 20, 2022.
- USGS Topographic Map, Dulzura, California Quadrangle (2018).

#### 15.2 Personal Communications

- Public Records Clerk County of San Diego DEH
- Site Owner and Key Site Manager Simi Rush

## 15.3 Agencies Consulted

- California Department of Conservation, Geologic Energy Management Division (CalGEM)
- California Department of Toxic Substances Control
- California State Water Resources Control Board
- County of San Diego
- United States EPA





FIGURE 1 VICINITY MAP





Slee Properties Jamul, California



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FIGURE 2 SITE PLAN



Figure 2 - Site Plan

Slee Properties Jamul, California



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FIGURE 3
TOPOGRAPHIC MAP

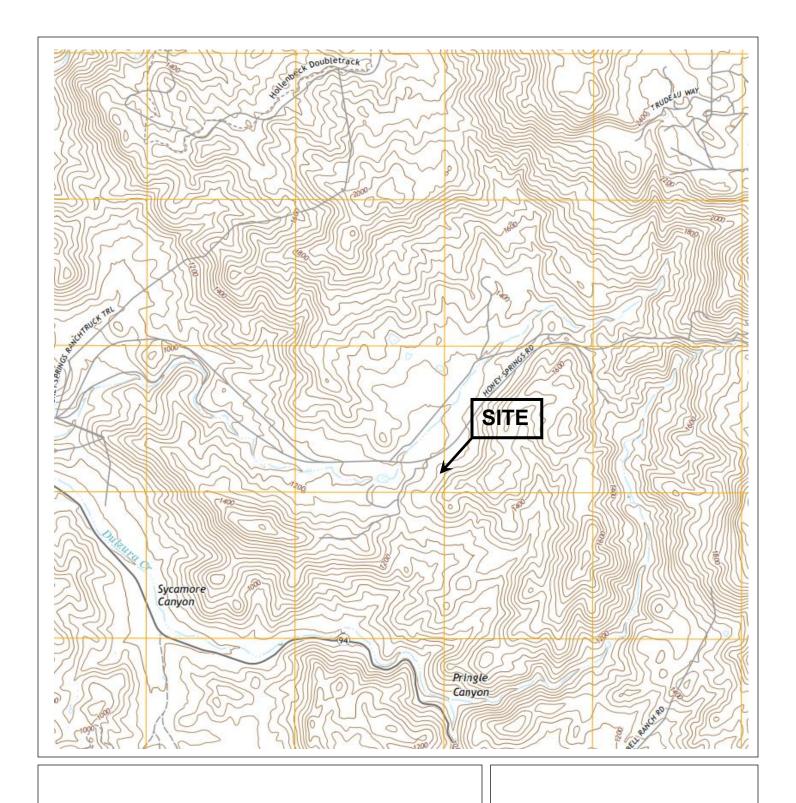


Figure 3 - Topographic Map

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**APPENDIX A**TITLE REPORT



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## Issuing Policies of Fidelity National Title Insurance Company

Title Officer: Lori Duhart (BS/IE)

Order No.: 989-**30081580**-LD1

Escrow Officer: Builder Services OAC

TO:

Procopio, Cory, Hargreaves & Savitch LLP 525 B Street, Suite 2200 San Diego, CA 92101

ATTN: **Todd Leigh** YOUR REFERENCE:

PROPERTY ADDRESS: Vacant Land, Jamul, CA

#### PRELIMINARY REPORT

In response to the application for a policy of title insurance referenced herein, **Fidelity National Title Company** hereby reports that it is prepared to issue, or cause to be issued, as of the date hereof, a policy or policies of title insurance describing the land and the estate or interest therein hereinafter set forth, insuring against loss which may be sustained by reason of any defect, lien or encumbrance not shown or referred to as an exception herein or not excluded from coverage pursuant to the printed Schedules, Conditions and Stipulations or Conditions of said policy forms.

The printed Exceptions and Exclusions from the coverage and Limitations on Covered Risks of said policy or policies are set forth in Attachment One. The policy to be issued may contain an arbitration clause. When the Amount of Insurance is less than that set forth in the arbitration clause, all arbitrable matters shall be arbitrated at the option of either the Company or the Insured as the exclusive remedy of the parties. Limitations on Covered Risks applicable to the CLTA and ALTA Homeowner's Policies of Title Insurance which establish a Deductible Amount and a Maximum Dollar Limit of Liability for certain coverages are also set forth in Attachment One. Copies of the policy forms should be read. They are available from the office which issued this report.

This report (and any supplements or amendments hereto) is issued solely for the purpose of facilitating the issuance of a policy of title insurance and no liability is assumed hereby. If it is desired that liability be assumed prior to the issuance of a policy of title insurance, a Binder or Commitment should be requested.

The policy(s) of title insurance to be issued hereunder will be policy(s) of Fidelity National Title Insurance Company, a Florida Corporation.

Please read the exceptions shown or referred to herein and the exceptions and exclusions set forth in Attachment One of this report carefully. The exceptions and exclusions are meant to provide you with notice of matters which are not covered under the terms of the title insurance policy and should be carefully considered.

It is important to note that this preliminary report is not a written representation as to the condition of title and may not list all liens, defects and encumbrances affecting title to the land.

Countersigned by:

**Authorized Signature** 



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## PRELIMINARY REPORT

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 11, 2022 at 7:30 a.m.

ORDER NO.: 989-30081580-LD1

The form of policy or policies of title insurance contemplated by this report is:

CLTA Standard Coverage Policy (04-08-14) ALTA Extended Loan Policy (7-1-21)

1. THE ESTATE OR INTEREST IN THE LAND HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED OR REFERRED TO COVERED BY THIS REPORT IS:

Fee as to Parcels 1 and 4 and Easement as to Parcels 2, 3, 5 and 6

2. TITLE TO SAID ESTATE OR INTEREST AT THE DATE HEREOF IS VESTED IN:

Martha A. Slee, an unmarried woman as to Parcels 1, 2 and 3; Martha A. Slee as to Parcels 4, 5 and 6

THE LAND REFERRED TO IN THIS REPORT IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

See Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

# EXHIBIT A LEGAL DESCRIPTION

THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED JAMUL IN THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

#### PARCEL NO.1:

THE NORTH 264 FEET OF THE EAST 330.00 FEET OF THAT PORTION OF THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, IN TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, SAN BERNARDINO BASE AND MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SURVEY THEREOF, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 28, DISTANT THEREON 429.00 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28, SAID POINT OF BEGINNING BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND CONVEYED TO EDWARD L. HUGHES ET UX BY DEED DATED MARCH 16, 1937 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 842, PAGE 164 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS;

THENCE SOUTH ALONG SAID WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER;

THENCE EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER, 660.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF;

THENCE NORTH ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED LAND CONVEYED TO HUGHES:

THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LAND, 660.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

#### PARCEL NO. 2:

AN EASEMENT FOR INGRESS, EGRESS, PUBLIC UTILITIES AND INCIDENTAL PURPOSES ALONG THE NORTH 16 ½ FEET OF THE WEST 330.00 FEET OF THAT PORTION OF THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, IN TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, SAN BERNARDINO BASE AND MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SURVEY THEREOF, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 28, DISTANT THEREON 429.00 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28, SAID POINT OF BEGINNING BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND CONVEYED TO EDWARD L. HUGHES ET UX BY DEED DATED MARCH 16, 1937 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 842, PAGE 164 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS;

THENCE SOUTH ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER;

THENCE EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER, 660.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF;

THENCE NORTH ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED LAND CONVEYED TO HUGHES;

THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LAND, 660.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

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#### PARCEL NO. 3:

AN EASEMENT FOR INGRESS, EGRESS AND INCIDENTAL PURPOSES ALONG THAT PORTION OF SECTION 29, IN TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, SAN BERNARDINO BASE AND MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SURVEY THEREOF, INCLUDED WITHIN THE LINES OF A STRIP OF LAND 10.00 FEET IN WIDTH, THE CENTER LINE OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT 5.00 FEET WEST OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND DESCRIBED AS PARCEL 2 ABOVE:

THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING NORTH TO AN INTERSECTION WITH THE SOUTHERLY LINE OF ROAD SURVEY NO. 974:

THE MAP OF SAID ROAD SURVEY BEING ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY SURVEYOR OF SAID SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

#### PARCEL NO. 4:

THE SOUTH 264.00 FEET OF THE NORTH 528.00 FEET OF THE EAST 330 FEET OF THAT PORTION OF THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, IN TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, SAN BERNARDINO BASE AND MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SURVEY THEREOF, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 28, DISTANT THEREON 429.00 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28, SAID POINT OF BEGINNING BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND CONVEYED TO EDWARD L. HUGHES ET UX BY DEED DATED MARCH 16, 1937 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 842, PAGE 164 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS;

THENCE SOUTH ALONG SAID WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER;

THENCE EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER, 660.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF;

THENCE NORTH ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED LAND CONVEYED TO HUGHES:

THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LAND, 660.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

PARCEL NO. 5:

AN EASEMENT FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS, PUBLIC UTILITIES AND INCIDENTAL PURPOSES ALONG THE EAST 16 ½ FEET OF THE NORTH 264.00 FEET OF THE WEST 330 FEET, AND A FURTHER EASEMENT FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS, PUBLIC UTILITIES AND INCIDENTAL PURPOSES ALONG THE NORTH 16 ½ FEET OF THE WEST 330 FEET OF THAT PORTION OF THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, IN TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, SAN BERNARDINO BASE AND MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SURVEY THEREOF, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 28, DISTANT THEREON 429.00 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28, SAID POINT OF BEGINNING BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF

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THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND CONVEYED TO EDWARD L. HUGHES ET UX BY DEED DATED MARCH 16, 1937 AND RECORDED IN BOOK 842, PAGE 164 OF OFFICIAL RECORDS;

THENCE SOUTH ALONG SAID WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER;

THENCE EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER, 660.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF;

THENCE NORTH ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID WEST ONE-HALF, 891.00 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED LAND CONVEYED TO HUGHES;

THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LAND, 660.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

PARCEL NO. 6:

AN EASEMENT FOR INGRESS, EGRESS AND INCIDENTAL PURPOSES ALONG THAT PORTION OF SECTION 29, IN TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, SAN BERNARDINO BASE AND MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SURVEY THEREOF, INCLUDED WITHIN THE LINES OF A STRIP OF LAND 10.00 FEET IN WIDTH, THE CENTER LINE OF WHICH IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT A POINT 5.00 FEET WEST OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND DESCRIBED AS PARCEL 5 ABOVE;

THENCE FROM SAID POINT OF BEGINNING NORTH TO A POINT 5.00 FEET WEST OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 29:

THENCE NORTHWESTERLY IN A DIRECT LINE A DISTANCE OF 200.00 FEET TO A POINT ON COUNTY ROAD <u>SURVEY NO. 974</u>, SAID POINT BEING DESIGNATED "R. P. P. I. 21°" ON THE MAP OF SAID ROAD SURVEY ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY SURVEYOR OF SAID SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

APN: 600-101-05-00, 600-101-04-00

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## **EXCEPTIONS**

## AT THE DATE HEREOF, ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED AND EXCEPTIONS TO COVERAGE IN ADDITION TO THE PRINTED EXCEPTIONS AND EXCLUSIONS IN SAID POLICY FORM WOULD BE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. Property taxes, which are a lien not yet due and payable, including any assessments collected with taxes to be levied for the fiscal year 2022.
- 2. The lien of supplemental or escaped assessments of property taxes, if any, made pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 75) or Part 2, Chapter 3, Articles 3 and 4, respectively, of the Revenue and Taxation Code of the State of California as a result of the transfer of title to the vestee named in Schedule A or as a result of changes in ownership or new construction occurring prior to Date of Policy.
- 3. Any liens or other assessments, bonds, or special district liens including without limitation, Community Facility Districts, that arise by reason of any local, City, Municipal or County Project or Special District.
- 4. Water rights, claims or title to water, whether or not disclosed by the public records.
- 5. Easement(s) or right(s) of way for the purpose(s) shown below and rights incidental thereto, as granted and/or reserved in various deeds of record:

Purpose: Ingress and egress, pipelines, drainage and/or public utilities and incidental

purposes thereto over, under, along and across the easement parcel(s) herein

described

Affects: Parcels 2, 3, 5 and 6

- 6. Easement(s) in favor of the public over any existing roads lying within said Land.
- 7. Easement(s) for the purpose(s) shown below and rights incidental thereto, as granted in a document:

Granted to: San Diego Gas & Electric Company

Purpose: poles, wires Recording Date: March 19, 1947

Recording No: 30122, <u>Book 2371 Page 50</u>, Of Official Records said land more particularly described therein

- 8. Please be advised that our search did not disclose any open Deeds of Trust of record. If you should have knowledge of any outstanding obligation, please contact the Title Department immediately for further review prior to closing.
- 9. Any rights of the parties in possession of a portion of, or all of, said Land, which rights are not disclosed by the public records.

The Company will require, for review, a full and complete copy of any unrecorded agreement, contract, license and/or lease, together with all supplements, assignments and amendments thereto, before issuing any policy of title insurance without excepting this item from coverage.

The Company reserves the right to except additional items and/or make additional requirements after reviewing said documents.

PLEASE REFER TO THE "INFORMATIONAL NOTES" AND "REQUIREMENTS" SECTIONS WHICH FOLLOW FOR INFORMATION NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THIS TRANSACTION.

#### **END OF EXCEPTIONS**

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## **REQUIREMENTS SECTION**

1. In order to complete this report, the Company requires a Statement of Information to be completed by the following party(s),

Party(s): All Parties

The Company reserves the right to add additional items or make further requirements after review of the requested Statement of Information.

NOTE: The Statement of Information is necessary to complete the search and examination of title under this order. Any title search includes matters that are indexed by name only, and having a completed Statement of Information assists the Company in the elimination of certain matters which appear to involve the parties but in fact affect another party with the same or similar name. Be assured that the Statement of Information is essential and will be kept strictly confidential to this file.

#### **END OF REQUIREMENTS**

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### INFORMATIONAL NOTES SECTION

- 1. Note: There are NO conveyances affecting said Land recorded within 24 months of the date of this report.
- 2. Note: Property taxes, including any personal property taxes and any assessments collected with taxes, are paid. For proration purposes the amounts were:

Tax Identification No.:600-101-05-00Fiscal Year:2021-20221st Installment:\$44.822nd Installment:\$44.82Exemption:0Code Area:79002

3. Note: Property taxes, including any personal property taxes and any assessments collected with taxes, are paid. For proration purposes the amounts were:

 Tax Identification No.:
 600101-04-00

 Fiscal Year:
 2021-2022

 1st Installment:
 \$205.06

 2nd Installment:
 \$205.06

 Exemption:
 0

 Code Area:
 79002

4. The Company and its policy issuing agents are required by Federal law to collect additional information about certain transactions in specified geographic areas in accordance with the Bank Secrecy Act. If this transaction is required to be reported under a Geographic Targeting Order issued by FinCEN, the Company or its policy issuing agent must be supplied with a completed ALTA Information Collection Form ("ICF") prior to closing the transaction contemplated herein.

To protect the private information contained in the attached form and photo ID, please return via a secured method.

- 5. None of the items shown in this report will cause the Company to decline to attach CLTA Endorsement Form 100 to an Extended Coverage Loan Policy, when issued.
- 6. The Company is not aware of any matters which would cause it to decline to attach CLTA Endorsement Form 116 indicating that there is located on said Land Single Family Residential properties, known as Vacant Land, located within the city of Jamul, California, 91935, to an Extended Coverage Loan Policy.
- 7. Note: Please contact your Title Officer to obtain the current recording fees. Fidelity National Title Company will pay Fidelity National Title Insurance Company 12% of the title premium, as disclosed on lines 1107 and 1108 of the HUD-1.
- 8. Note: The policy of title insurance will include an arbitration provision. The Company or the insured may demand arbitration. Arbitrable matters may include, but are not limited to, any controversy or claim between the Company and the insured arising out of or relating to this policy, any service of the Company in connection with its issuance or the breach of a policy provision or other obligation. Please ask your escrow or title officer for a sample copy of the policy to be issued if you wish to review the arbitration provisions and any other provisions pertaining to your Title Insurance coverage.
- 9. Notice: Please be aware that due to the conflict between federal and state laws concerning the cultivation, distribution, manufacture or sale of marijuana, the Company is not able to close or insure any transaction involving Land that is associated with these activities.
- 10. Pursuant to Government Code Section 27388.1, as amended and effective as of 1-1-2018, a Documentary Transfer Tax (DTT) Affidavit may be required to be completed and submitted with each

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## INFORMATIONAL NOTES (Continued)

document when DTT is being paid or when an exemption is being claimed from paying the tax. If a governmental agency is a party to the document, the form will not be required. DTT Affidavits may be available at a Tax Assessor-County Clerk-Recorder.

## **END OF INFORMATIONAL NOTES**

Lori Duhart (BS/IE)/ct

Fidelity National Title Company



## Wire Fraud Alert

This Notice is not intended to provide legal or professional advice. If you have any questions, please consult with a lawyer.

All parties to a real estate transaction are targets for wire fraud and many have lost hundreds of thousands of dollars because they simply relied on the wire instructions received via email, without further verification. If funds are to be wired in conjunction with this real estate transaction, we strongly recommend verbal verification of wire instructions through a known, trusted phone number prior to sending funds.

In addition, the following non-exclusive self-protection strategies are recommended to minimize exposure to possible wire fraud.

- **NEVER RELY** on emails purporting to change wire instructions. Parties to a transaction rarely change wire instructions in the course of a transaction.
- ALWAYS VERIFY wire instructions, specifically the ABA routing number and account number, by calling the party
  who sent the instructions to you. DO NOT use the phone number provided in the email containing the instructions,
  use phone numbers you have called before or can otherwise verify. Obtain the phone number of relevant
  parties to the transaction as soon as an escrow account is opened. DO NOT send an email to verify as the
  email address may be incorrect or the email may be intercepted by the fraudster.
- USE COMPLEX EMAIL PASSWORDS that employ a combination of mixed case, numbers, and symbols. Make
  your passwords greater than eight (8) characters. Also, change your password often and do NOT reuse the same
  password for other online accounts.
- **USE MULTI-FACTOR AUTHENTICATION** for email accounts. Your email provider or IT staff may have specific instructions on how to implement this feature.

For more information on wire-fraud scams or to report an incident, please refer to the following links:

Federal Bureau of Investigation: http://www.fbi.gov

Internet Crime Complaint Center: http://www.ic3.gov

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#### **Notice of Available Discounts**

Pursuant to Section 2355.3 in Title 10 of the California Code of Regulations Fidelity National Financial, Inc. and its subsidiaries ("FNF") must deliver a notice of each discount available under our current rate filing along with the delivery of escrow instructions, a preliminary report or commitment. Please be aware that the provision of this notice does not constitute a waiver of the consumer's right to be charged the filed rate. As such, your transaction may not qualify for the below discounts.

You are encouraged to discuss the applicability of one or more of the below discounts with a Company representative. These discounts are generally described below; consult the rate manual for a full description of the terms, conditions and requirements for such discount. These discounts only apply to transactions involving services rendered by the FNF Family of Companies. This notice only applies to transactions involving property improved with a one-to-four family residential dwelling.

Not all discounts are offered by every FNF Company. The discount will only be applicable to the FNF Company as indicated by the named discount.

#### **FNF Underwritten Title Company**

CTC - Chicago Title company

CLTC - Commonwealth Land Title Company

FNTC – Fidelity National Title Company of California

FNTCCA - Fidelity National Title Company of California

TICOR - Ticor Title Company of California

LTC - Lawver's Title Company

SLTC - ServiceLink Title Company

### **Underwritten by FNF Underwriters**

CTIC - Chicago Title Insurance Company

CLTIC - Commonwealth Land Title Insurance Company

FNTIC - Fidelity National Title Insurance Company

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CTIC - Chicago Title Insurance Company

CLTIC - Commonwealth Land Title Insurance Company

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CTIC - Chicago Title Insurance Company

#### **Available Discounts**

#### **DISASTER LOANS (CTIC, CLTIC, FNTIC)**

The charge for a Lender's Policy (Standard or Extended coverage) covering the financing or refinancing by an owner of record, within twenty-four (24) months of the date of a declaration of a disaster area by the government of the United States or the State of California on any land located in said area, which was partially or totally destroyed in the disaster, will be fifty percent (50%) of the appropriate title insurance rate.

## CHURCHES OR CHARITABLE NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS (CTIC, FNTIC)

On properties used as a church or for charitable purposes within the scope of the normal activities of such entities, provided said charge is normally the church's obligation the charge for an owner's policy shall be fifty percent (50%) to seventy percent (70%) of the appropriate title insurance rate, depending on the type of coverage selected. The charge for a lender's policy shall be forty (40%) to fifty percent (50%) of the appropriate title insurance rate, depending on the type of coverage selected.

## FIDELITY NATIONAL FINANCIAL, INC. PRIVACY NOTICE

Effective August 1, 2021

Fidelity National Financial, Inc. and its majority-owned subsidiary companies (collectively, "FNF," "our," or "we") respect and are committed to protecting your privacy. This Privacy Notice explains how we collect, use, and protect personal information, when and to whom we disclose such information, and the choices you have about the use and disclosure of that information.

A limited number of FNF subsidiaries have their own privacy notices. If a subsidiary has its own privacy notice, the privacy notice will be available on the subsidiary's website and this Privacy Notice does not apply.

#### **Collection of Personal Information**

FNF may collect the following categories of Personal Information:

- contact information (e.g., name, address, phone number, email address);
- demographic information (e.g., date of birth, gender, marital status);
- identity information (e.g. Social Security Number, driver's license, passport, or other government ID number);
- financial account information (e.g. loan or bank account information); and
- other personal information necessary to provide products or services to you.

We may collect Personal Information about you from:

- information we receive from you or your agent;
- information about your transactions with FNF, our affiliates, or others; and
- information we receive from consumer reporting agencies and/or governmental entities, either directly from these entities or through others.

#### **Collection of Browsing Information**

FNF automatically collects the following types of Browsing Information when you access an FNF website, online service, or application (each an "FNF Website") from your Internet browser, computer, and/or device:

- Internet Protocol (IP) address and operating system;
- browser version, language, and type;
- · domain name system requests; and
- browsing history on the FNF Website, such as date and time of your visit to the FNF Website and visits to the pages within the FNF Website.

Like most websites, our servers automatically log each visitor to the FNF Website and may collect the Browsing Information described above. We use Browsing Information for system administration, troubleshooting, fraud investigation, and to improve our websites. Browsing Information generally does not reveal anything personal about you, though if you have created a user account for an FNF Website and are logged into that account, the FNF Website may be able to link certain browsing activity to your user account.

#### **Other Online Specifics**

<u>Cookies</u>. When you visit an FNF Website, a "cookie" may be sent to your computer. A cookie is a small piece of data that is sent to your Internet browser from a web server and stored on your computer's hard drive. Information gathered using cookies helps us improve your user experience. For example, a cookie can help the website load properly or can customize the display page based on your browser type and user preferences. You can choose whether or not to accept cookies by changing your Internet browser settings. Be aware that doing so may impair or limit some functionality of the FNF Website.

<u>Web Beacons</u>. We use web beacons to determine when and how many times a page has been viewed. This information is used to improve our websites.

Do Not Track. Currently our FNF Websites do not respond to "Do Not Track" features enabled through your browser.

<u>Links to Other Sites</u>. FNF Websites may contain links to unaffiliated third-party websites. FNF is not responsible for the privacy practices or content of those websites. We recommend that you read the privacy policy of every website you visit.

#### **Use of Personal Information**

FNF uses Personal Information for three main purposes:

- To provide products and services to you or in connection with a transaction involving you.
- To improve our products and services.
- To communicate with you about our, our affiliates', and others' products and services, jointly or independently.

#### When Information Is Disclosed

We may disclose your Personal Information and Browsing Information in the following circumstances:

- to enable us to detect or prevent criminal activity, fraud, material misrepresentation, or nondisclosure;
- to nonaffiliated service providers who provide or perform services or functions on our behalf and who agree to use the information only to provide such services or functions;

- to nonaffiliated third party service providers with whom we perform joint marketing, pursuant to an agreement with them to jointly market financial products or services to you;
- to law enforcement or authorities in connection with an investigation, or in response to a subpoena or court order; or
- in the good-faith belief that such disclosure is necessary to comply with legal process or applicable laws, or to protect the rights, property, or safety of FNF, its customers, or the public.

The law does not require your prior authorization and does not allow you to restrict the disclosures described above. Additionally, we may disclose your information to third parties for whom you have given us authorization or consent to make such disclosure. We do not otherwise share your Personal Information or Browsing Information with nonaffiliated third parties, except as required or permitted by law. We may share your Personal Information with affiliates (other companies owned by FNF) to directly market to you. Please see "Choices with Your Information" to learn how to restrict that sharing.

We reserve the right to transfer your Personal Information, Browsing Information, and any other information, in connection with the sale or other disposition of all or part of the FNF business and/or assets, or in the event of bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, receivership, or an assignment for the benefit of creditors. By submitting Personal Information and/or Browsing Information to FNF, you expressly agree and consent to the use and/or transfer of the foregoing information in connection with any of the above described proceedings.

#### **Security of Your Information**

We maintain physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards to protect your Personal Information.

#### **Choices With Your Information**

If you do not want FNF to share your information among our affiliates to directly market to you, you may send an "opt out" request as directed at the end of this Privacy Notice. We do not share your Personal Information with nonaffiliates for their use to direct market to you without your consent.

Whether you submit Personal Information or Browsing Information to FNF is entirely up to you. If you decide not to submit Personal Information or Browsing Information, FNF may not be able to provide certain services or products to you.

<u>For California Residents</u>: We will not share your Personal Information or Browsing Information with nonaffiliated third parties, except as permitted by California law. For additional information about your California privacy rights, please visit the "California Privacy" link on our website (<a href="https://fnf.com/pages/californiaprivacy.aspx">https://fnf.com/pages/californiaprivacy.aspx</a>) or call (888) 413-1748.

<u>For Nevada Residents</u>: You may be placed on our internal Do Not Call List by calling (888) 714-2710 or by contacting us via the information set forth at the end of this Privacy Notice. Nevada law requires that we also provide you with the following contact information: Bureau of Consumer Protection, Office of the Nevada Attorney General, 555 E. Washington St., Suite 3900, Las Vegas, NV 89101; Phone number: (702) 486-3132; email: BCPINFO@ag.state.nv.us.

<u>For Oregon Residents</u>: We will not share your Personal Information or Browsing Information with nonaffiliated third parties for marketing purposes, except after you have been informed by us of such sharing and had an opportunity to indicate that you do not want a disclosure made for marketing purposes.

<u>For Vermont Residents</u>: We will not disclose information about your creditworthiness to our affiliates and will not disclose your personal information, financial information, credit report, or health information to nonaffiliated third parties to market to you, other than as permitted by Vermont law, unless you authorize us to make those disclosures.

### **Information From Children**

The FNF Websites are not intended or designed to attract persons under the age of eighteen (18). We do <u>not</u> collect Personal Information from any person that we know to be under the age of thirteen (13) without permission from a parent or guardian.

#### **International Users**

FNF's headquarters is located within the United States. If you reside outside the United States and choose to provide Personal Information or Browsing Information to us, please note that we may transfer that information outside of your country of residence. By providing FNF with your Personal Information and/or Browsing Information, you consent to our collection, transfer, and use of such information in accordance with this Privacy Notice.

#### **FNF Website Services for Mortgage Loans**

Certain FNF companies provide services to mortgage loan servicers, including hosting websites that collect customer information on behalf of mortgage loan servicers (the "Service Websites"). The Service Websites may contain links to both this Privacy Notice and the mortgage loan servicer or lender's privacy notice. The sections of this Privacy Notice titled When Information is Disclosed, Choices with Your Information, and Accessing and Correcting Information do not apply to the Service Websites. The mortgage loan servicer or lender's privacy notice governs use, disclosure, and access to your Personal Information. FNF does not share Personal Information collected through the Service Websites, except as required or authorized by contract with the mortgage loan servicer or lender, or as required by law or in the good-faith belief that such disclosure is necessary: to comply with a legal process or applicable law, to enforce this Privacy Notice, or to protect the rights, property, or safety of FNF or the public.

## Your Consent To This Privacy Notice; Notice Changes

By submitting Personal Information and/or Browsing Information to FNF, you consent to the collection and use of the information in accordance with this Privacy Notice. We may change this Privacy Notice at any time. The Privacy Notice's effective date will show the last date changes were made. If you provide information to us following any change of the Privacy Notice, that signifies your assent to and acceptance of the changes to the Privacy Notice.

## **Accessing and Correcting Information; Contact Us**

If you have questions, would like to correct your Personal Information, or want to opt-out of information sharing for affiliate marketing, visit FNF's Opt Out Page or contact us by phone at (888) 714-2710 or by mail to:

Fidelity National Financial, Inc. 601 Riverside Avenue, Jacksonville, Florida 32204 Attn: Chief Privacy Officer

## ATTACHMENT ONE (Revised 05-06-16)

#### CALIFORNIA LAND TITLE ASSOCIATION STANDARD COVERAGE POLICY – 1990

#### **EXCLUSIONS FROM COVERAGE**

The following matters are expressly excluded from the coverage of this policy and the Company will not pay loss or damage, costs, attorneys' fees or expenses which arise by reason of:

- 1. (a) Any law, ordinance or governmental regulation (including but not limited to building or zoning laws, ordinances, or regulations) restricting, regulating, prohibiting or relating (i) the occupancy, use, or enjoyment of the land; (ii) the character, dimensions or location of any improvement now or hereafter erected on the land; (iii) a separation in ownership or a change in the dimensions or area of the land or any parcel of which the land is or was a part; or (iv) environmental protection, or the effect of any violation of these laws, ordinances or governmental regulations, except to the extent that a notice of the enforcement thereof or a notice of a defect, lien, or encumbrance resulting from a violation or alleged violation affecting the land has been recorded in the public records at Date of Policy.
  - (b) Any governmental police power not excluded by (a) above, except to the extent that a notice of the exercise thereof or notice of a defect, lien or encumbrance resulting from a violation or alleged violation affecting the land has been recorded in the public records at Date of Policy.
- 2. Rights of eminent domain unless notice of the exercise thereof has been recorded in the public records at Date of Policy, but not excluding from coverage any taking which has occurred prior to Date of Policy which would be binding on the rights of a purchaser for value without knowledge.
- 3. Defects, liens, encumbrances, adverse claims or other matters:
  - (a) whether or not recorded in the public records at Date of Policy, but created, suffered, assumed or agreed to by the insured claimant;
  - (b) not known to the Company, not recorded in the public records at Date of Policy, but known to the insured claimant and not disclosed in writing to the Company by the insured claimant prior to the date the insured claimant became an insured under this policy;
  - (c) resulting in no loss or damage to the insured claimant;
  - (d) attaching or created subsequent to Date of Policy; or
  - (e) resulting in loss or damage which would not have been sustained if the insured claimant had paid value for the insured mortgage or for the estate or interest insured by this policy.
- 4. Unenforceability of the lien of the insured mortgage because of the inability or failure of the insured at Date of Policy, or the inability or failure of any subsequent owner of the indebtedness, to comply with the applicable doing business laws of the state in which the land is situated.
- 5. Invalidity or unenforceability of the lien of the insured mortgage, or claim thereof, which arises out of the transaction evidenced by the insured mortgage and is based upon usury or any consumer credit protection or truth in lending law.
- 6. Any claim, which arises out of the transaction vesting in the insured the estate of interest insured by this policy or the transaction creating the interest of the insured lender, by reason of the operation of federal bankruptcy, state insolvency or similar creditors' rights laws.

#### **EXCEPTIONS FROM COVERAGE - SCHEDULE B, PART I**

This policy does not insure against loss or damage (and the Company will not pay costs, attorneys' fees or expenses) which arise by reason of:

- 1. Taxes or assessments which are not shown as existing liens by the records of any taxing authority that levies taxes or assessments on real property or by the public records.
  - Proceedings by a public agency which may result in taxes or assessments, or notices of such proceedings, whether or not shown by the records of such agency or by the public records.
- Any facts, rights, interests, or claims which are not shown by the public records but which could be ascertained by an inspection of the land or which may be asserted by persons in possession thereof.
- 3. Easements, liens or encumbrances, or claims thereof, not shown by the public records.
- 4. Discrepancies, conflicts in boundary lines, shortage in area, encroachments, or any other facts which a correct survey would disclose, and which are not shown by the public records.
- 5. (a) Unpatented mining claims; (b) reservations or exceptions in patents or in Acts authorizing the issuance thereof; (c) water rights, claims or title to water, whether or not the matters excepted under (a), (b) or (c) are shown by the public records.
- 6. Any lien or right to a lien for services, labor or material not shown by the public records.

## CLTA HOMEOWNER'S POLICY OF TITLE INSURANCE (12-02-13) ALTA HOMEOWNER'S POLICY OF TITLE INSURANCE

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

In addition to the Exceptions in Schedule B, You are not insured against loss, costs, attorneys' fees, and expenses resulting from:

- 1. Governmental police power, and the existence or violation of those portions of any law or government regulation concerning:
  - a. building;
  - b. zoning;
  - c. land use;
  - d. improvements on the Land;
  - e. land division; and
  - f. environmental protection.
  - This Exclusion does not limit the coverage described in Covered Risk 8.a., 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 23 or 27.
- 2. The failure of Your existing structures, or any part of them, to be constructed in accordance with applicable building codes. This Exclusion does not limit the coverage described in Covered Risk 14 or 15.
- 3. The right to take the Land by condemning it. This Exclusion does not limit the coverage described in Covered Risk 17.
- Risks:
  - a. that are created, allowed, or agreed to by You, whether or not they are recorded in the Public Records;
  - b. that are Known to You at the Policy Date, but not to Us, unless they are recorded in the Public Records at the Policy Date;

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- that result in no loss to You; or
- d. that first occur after the Policy Date this does not limit the coverage described in Covered Risk 7, 8.e., 25, 26, 27 or 28.
- Failure to pay value for Your Title.
- 6. Lack of a right:
  - a. to any land outside the area specifically described and referred to in paragraph 3 of Schedule A; and
  - b. in streets, alleys, or waterways that touch the Land.
  - This Exclusion does not limit the coverage described in Covered Risk 11 or 21.
- 7. The transfer of the Title to You is invalid as a preferential transfer or as a fraudulent transfer or conveyance under federal bankruptcy, state insolvency, or similar creditors' rights laws.
- 8. Contamination, explosion, fire, flooding, vibration, fracturing, earthquake, or subsidence.
- 9. Negligence by a person or an Entity exercising a right to extract or develop minerals, water, or any other substances.

#### LIMITATIONS ON COVERED RISKS

Your insurance for the following Covered Risks is limited on the Owner's Coverage Statement as follows:

• For Covered Risk 16, 18, 19, and 21 Your Deductible Amount and Our Maximum Dollar Limit of Liability shown in Schedule A. The deductible amounts and maximum dollar limits shown on Schedule A are as follows:

	Your Deductible Amount	Our Maximum Dollar Limit of Liability
Covered Risk 16:	1.00% of Policy Amount Shown in Schedule A or \$2,500.00 (whichever is less)	\$ 10,000.00
Covered Risk 18:	1.00% of Policy Amount Shown in Schedule A or \$5,000.00 (whichever is less)	\$ 25,000.00
Covered Risk 19:	1.00% of Policy Amount Shown in Schedule A or \$5,000.00 (whichever is less)	\$ 25,000.00
Covered Risk 21:	1.00% of Policy Amount Shown in Schedule A or \$2,500.00 (whichever is less)	\$ 5,000.00

#### 2006 ALTA LOAN POLICY (06-17-06)

#### **EXCLUSIONS FROM COVERAGE**

The following matters are expressly excluded from the coverage of this policy, and the Company will not pay loss or damage, costs, attorneys' fees, or expenses that arise by reason of:

- (a) Any law, ordinance, permit, or governmental regulation (including those relating to building and zoning) restricting, regulating, prohibiting, or relating to
  - (i) the occupancy, use, or enjoyment of the Land;
  - (ii) the character, dimensions, or location of any improvement erected on the Land;
  - (iii) the subdivision of land; or
  - (iv) environmental protection;
  - or the effect of any violation of these laws, ordinances, or governmental regulations. This Exclusion 1(a) does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 5.
  - (b) Any governmental police power. This Exclusion 1(b) does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 6.
- Rights of eminent domain. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 7 or 8.
- 3. Defects, liens, encumbrances, adverse claims, or other matters
  - (a) created, suffered, assumed, or agreed to by the Insured Claimant;
  - (b) not Known to the Company, not recorded in the Public Records at Date of Policy, but Known to the Insured Claimant and not disclosed in writing to the Company by the Insured Claimant prior to the date the Insured Claimant became an Insured under this policy;
  - (c) resulting in no loss or damage to the Insured Claimant;
  - (d) attaching or created subsequent to Date of Policy (however, this does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 11, 13 or 14); or
  - (e) resulting in loss or damage that would not have been sustained if the Insured Claimant had paid value for the Insured Mortgage.
- 4. Unenforceability of the lien of the Insured Mortgage because of the inability or failure of an Insured to comply with applicable doing-business laws of the state where the Land is situated.
- 5. Invalidity or unenforceability in whole or in part of the lien of the Insured Mortgage that arises out of the transaction evidenced by the Insured Mortgage and is based upon usury or any consumer credit protection or truth-in-lending law.
- 6. Any claim, by reason of the operation of federal bankruptcy, state insolvency, or similar creditors' rights laws, that the transaction creating the lien of the Insured Mortgage, is
  - (a) a fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer, or
  - (b) a preferential transfer for any reason not stated in Covered Risk 13(b) of this policy.
- Any lien on the Title for real estate taxes or assessments imposed by governmental authority and created or attaching between Date of Policy and the date of recording of the Insured Mortgage in the Public Records. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 11(b).

The above policy form may be issued to afford either Standard Coverage or Extended Coverage. In addition to the above Exclusions from Coverage, the Exceptions from Coverage in a Standard Coverage policy will also include the following Exceptions from Coverage:

## **EXCEPTIONS FROM COVERAGE**

{Except as provided in Schedule B - Part II,{ t{or T}his policy does not insure against loss or damage, and the Company will not pay costs, attorneys' fees or expenses, that arise by reason of:

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#### {PART I

{The above policy form may be issued to afford either Standard Coverage or Extended Coverage. In addition to the above Exclusions from Coverage, the Exceptions from Coverage in a Standard Coverage policy will also include the following Exceptions from Coverage:

- 1. (a) Taxes or assessments that are not shown as existing liens by the records of any taxing authority that levies taxes or assessments on real property or by the Public Records; (b) proceedings by a public agency that may result in taxes or assessments, or notices of such proceedings, whether or not shown by the records of such agency or by the Public Records.
- 2. Any facts, rights, interests, or claims that are not shown by the Public Records but that could be ascertained by an inspection of the Land or that may be asserted by persons in possession of the Land.
- 3. Easements, liens or encumbrances, or claims thereof, not shown by the Public Records.
- 4. Any encroachment, encumbrance, violation, variation, or adverse circumstance affecting the Title that would be disclosed by an accurate and complete land survey of the Land and not shown by the Public Records.
- 5. (a) Unpatented mining claims; (b) reservations or exceptions in patents or in Acts authorizing the issuance thereof; (c) water rights, claims or title to water, whether or not the matters excepted under (a), (b), or (c) are shown by the Public Records.
- 6. Any lien or right to a lien for services, labor or material not shown by the Public Records.}

#### **PART II**

In addition to the matters set forth in Part I of this Schedule, the Title is subject to the following matters, and the Company insures against loss or damage sustained in the event that they are not subordinate to the lien of the Insured Mortgage:}

#### 2006 ALTA OWNER'S POLICY (06-17-06)

#### **EXCLUSIONS FROM COVERAGE**

The following matters are expressly excluded from the coverage of this policy, and the Company will not pay loss or damage, costs, attorneys' fees, or expenses that arise by reason of:

- 1. (a) Any law, ordinance, permit, or governmental regulation (including those relating to building and zoning) restricting, regulating, prohibiting, or relating to
  - (i) the occupancy, use, or enjoyment of the Land;
  - (ii) the character, dimensions, or location of any improvement erected on the Land;
  - (iii) the subdivision of land; or
  - (iv) environmental protection;
  - or the effect of any violation of these laws, ordinances, or governmental regulations. This Exclusion 1(a) does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 5.
  - (b) Any governmental police power. This Exclusion 1(b) does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 6.
- Rights of eminent domain. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 7 or 8.
- 3. Defects, liens, encumbrances, adverse claims, or other matters
  - (a) created, suffered, assumed, or agreed to by the Insured Claimant;
  - (b) not Known to the Company, not recorded in the Public Records at Date of Policy, but Known to the Insured Claimant and not disclosed in writing to the Company by the Insured Claimant prior to the date the Insured Claimant became an Insured under this policy;
  - (c) resulting in no loss or damage to the Insured Claimant;
  - (d) attaching or created subsequent to Date of Policy (however, this does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 9 and 10); or
  - (e) resulting in loss or damage that would not have been sustained if the Insured Claimant had paid value for the Title.
- 4. Any claim, by reason of the operation of federal bankruptcy, state insolvency, or similar creditors' rights laws, that the transaction vesting the Title as shown in Schedule A, is
  - (a) a fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer; or
  - (b) a preferential transfer for any reason not stated in Covered Risk 9 of this policy.
- 5. Any lien on the Title for real estate taxes or assessments imposed by governmental authority and created or attaching between Date of Policy and the date of recording of the deed or other instrument of transfer in the Public Records that vests Title as shown in Schedule A.

The above policy form may be issued to afford either Standard Coverage or Extended Coverage. In addition to the above Exclusions from Coverage, the Exceptions from Coverage in a Standard Coverage policy will also include the following Exceptions from Coverage:

### **EXCEPTIONS FROM COVERAGE**

This policy does not insure against loss or damage, and the Company will not pay costs, attorneys' fees or expenses, that arise by reason of: {The above policy form may be issued to afford either Standard Coverage or Extended Coverage. In addition to the above Exclusions from Coverage,

the Exceptions from Coverage in a Standard Coverage policy will also include the following Exceptions from Coverage:

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- (a) Taxes or assessments that are not shown as existing liens by the records of any taxing authority that levies taxes or assessments on real
  property or by the Public Records; (b) proceedings by a public agency that may result in taxes or assessments, or notices of such proceedings,
  whether or not shown by the records of such agency or by the Public Records.
- 2. Any facts, rights, interests, or claims that are not shown in the Public Records but that could be ascertained by an inspection of the Land or that may be asserted by persons in possession of the Land.
- 3. Easements, liens or encumbrances, or claims thereof, not shown by the Public Records.
- 4. Any encroachment, encumbrance, violation, variation, or adverse circumstance affecting the Title that would be disclosed by an accurate and complete land survey of the Land and that are not shown by the Public Records.
- 5. (a) Unpatented mining claims; (b) reservations or exceptions in patents or in Acts authorizing the issuance thereof; (c) water rights, claims or title to water, whether or not the matters excepted under (a), (b), or (c) are shown by the Public Records.
- 6. Any lien or right to a lien for services, labor or material not shown by the Public Records, }
- 7. {Variable exceptions such as taxes, easements, CC&R's, etc. shown here.}

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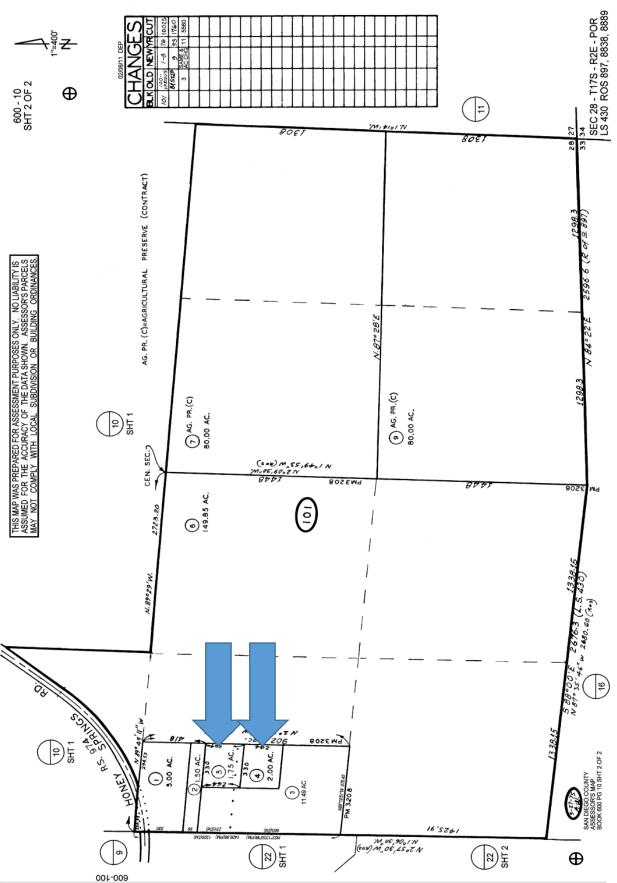
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#### ALTA EXPANDED COVERAGE RESIDENTIAL LOAN POLICY - ASSESSMENTS PRIORITY (04-02-15)

#### **EXCLUSIONS FROM COVERAGE**

The following matters are expressly excluded from the coverage of this policy and the Company will not pay loss or damage, costs, attorneys' fees or expenses which arise by reason of:

- 1. (a) Any law, ordinance, permit, or governmental regulation (including those relating to building and zoning) restricting, regulating, prohibiting, or relating to
  - (i) the occupancy, use, or enjoyment of the Land;
  - (ii) the character, dimensions, or location of any improvement erected on the Land;
  - (iii) the subdivision of land; or
  - (iv) environmental protection;
  - or the effect of any violation of these laws, ordinances, or governmental regulations. This Exclusion 1(a) does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 5, 6, 13(c), 13(d), 14 or 16.
  - (b) Any governmental police power. This Exclusion 1(b) does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 5, 6, 13(c), 13(d), 14 or 16.
- 2. Rights of eminent domain. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 7 or 8.
- 3. Defects, liens, encumbrances, adverse claims, or other matters
  - (a) created, suffered, assumed, or agreed to by the Insured Claimant;
  - (b) not Known to the Company, not recorded in the Public Records at Date of Policy, but Known to the Insured Claimant and not disclosed in writing to the Company by the Insured Claimant prior to the date the Insured Claimant became an Insured under this policy;
  - (c) resulting in no loss or damage to the Insured Claimant;
  - (d) attaching or created subsequent to Date of Policy (however, this does not modify or limit the coverage provided under Covered Risk 11, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27 or 28); or
  - (e) resulting in loss or damage that would not have been sustained if the Insured Claimant had paid value for the Insured Mortgage.
- 4. Unenforceability of the lien of the Insured Mortgage because of the inability or failure of an Insured to comply with applicable doing-business laws of the state where the Land is situated.
- Invalidity or unenforceability in whole or in part of the lien of the Insured Mortgage that arises out of the transaction evidenced by the Insured Mortgage and is based upon usury, or any consumer credit protection or truth-in-lending law. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided in Covered Risk 26.
- 6. Any claim of invalidity, unenforceability or lack of priority of the lien of the Insured Mortgage as to Advances or modifications made after the Insured has Knowledge that the vestee shown in Schedule A is no longer the owner of the estate or interest covered by this policy. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided in Covered Risk 11.
- 7. Any lien on the Title for real estate taxes or assessments imposed by governmental authority and created or attaching subsequent to Date of Policy. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided in Covered Risk 11(b) or 25.
- 8. The failure of the residential structure, or any portion of it, to have been constructed before, on or after Date of Policy in accordance with applicable building codes. This Exclusion does not modify or limit the coverage provided in Covered Risk 5 or 6.
- 9. Any claim, by reason of the operation of federal bankruptcy, state insolvency, or similar creditors' rights laws, that the transaction creating the lien of the Insured Mortgage, is
  - (a) a fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer. or
  - (b) a preferential transfer for any reason not stated in Covered Risk 27(b) of this policy.
- 10. Contamination, explosion, fire, flooding, vibration, fracturing, earthquake, or subsidence.
- 11. Negligence by a person or an Entity exercising a right to extract or develop minerals, water, or any other substances.



This map/plat is being furnished as an aid in locating the herein described Land in relation to adjoining streets, natural boundaries and other land, and is not a survey of the land depicted. Except to the extent a policy of title insurance is expressly modified by endorsement, if any, the Company does not insure dimensions, distances, location of easements, acreage or other matters shown thereon.

#### OWNER'S DECLARATION

Escrow No.:

30081580-989-989-LD1

Property Address: Vacant Land Jamul, CA 91935 The undersigned hereby declares as follows: 1. (Fill in the applicable paragraph and strike the other) Declarant ("Owner") is the owner or lessee, as the case may be, of certain premises located at Vacant Land, Jamul, CA 91935, further described as follows: See Preliminary Report/Commitment No. for full legal description (the "Land"). Declarant is the b. of ("Owner"), which is the owner or lessee, as the case may be, of certain premises located at Vacant Land, Jamul, CA 91935, further described as follows: See Preliminary Report/Commitment No. for full legal description (the "Land"). 2. (Fill in the applicable paragraph and strike the other) During the period of six months immediately preceding the date of this declaration no work has been a. done, no surveys or architectural or engineering plans have been prepared, and no materials have been furnished in connection with the erection, equipment, repair, protection or removal of any building or other structure on the Land or in connection with the improvement of the Land in any manner whatsoever. During the period of six months immediately preceding the date of this declaration certain work has b. been done and materials furnished in connection with upon the Land in the approximate total sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_, but no work whatever remains to be done and no materials remain to be furnished to complete the construction in full compliance with the plans and specifications, nor are there any unpaid bills incurred for labor and materials used in making such improvements or repairs upon the Land, or for the services of architects, surveyors or engineers, except as follows: . Owner, by the undersigned Declarant, agrees to and does hereby indemnify and hold harmless Fidelity National Title Company against any and all claims arising therefrom. Owner has not previously conveyed the Land; is not a debtor in bankruptcy (and if a partnership, the general 3. partner thereof is not a debtor in bankruptcy); and has not received notice of any pending court action affecting the title to the Land. Except as shown in the above-referenced Preliminary Report/Commitment, there are no unpaid or unsatisfied 4. mortgages, deeds of trust, Uniform Commercial Code financing statements, regular assessments, special assessments, periodic assessments or any assessment from any source, claims of lien, special assessments. or taxes that constitute a lien against the Land or that affect the Land but have not been recorded in the public records. There are no violations of the covenants, conditions and restrictions as shown in the above-referenced Preliminary Report/Commitment. The Land is currently in use as 5. occupy/occupies the Land; and the following are all of the leases or other occupancy rights affecting the Land: There are no other persons or entities that assert an ownership interest in the Land, nor are there unrecorded 6. easements, claims of easement, or boundary disputes that affect the Land. There are no outstanding options to purchase or rights of first refusal affecting the Land. 7. Between the most recent Effective Date of the above-referenced Preliminary Report/Commitment and the date 8. of recording of the Insured Instrument(s), Owner has not taken or allowed, and will not take or allow, any action or inaction to encumber or otherwise affect title to the Land. This declaration is made with the intention that Fidelity National Title Company (the "Company") and its policy issuing agents will rely upon it in issuing their title insurance policies and endorsements. Owner, by the undersigned Declarant, agrees to indemnify the Company against loss or damage (including attorneys fees, expenses, and costs) incurred by the Company as a result of any untrue statement made herein. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on Signature: Owner's Declaration Printed: 6/27/2017 2:26 PM by CT

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#### STATEMENT OF INFORMATION

## CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION STATEMENT TO BE USED IN CONNECTION WITH ORDER NO: 30081580-989-LD1 COMPLETION OF THIS FORM WILL EXPEDITE YOUR ORDER AND WILL HELP PROTECT YOU.

THE STREET ADDRESS of the property in this transaction is: IF NONE LEAVE BLANK ADDRESS: CITY: IMPROVEMENTS:  $\square$  SINGLE RESIDENCE ☐ MULTIPLE RESIDENCE □ COMMERCIAL □ OWNER OCCUPIED BY: □ LESSEE ☐ TENANTS ANY PORTION OF NEW LOAN FUNDS TO BE USED FOR CONSTRUCTION: □ YES □ NO **NAME** SPOUSES NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST FIRST MIDDLE LAST BIRTHPLACE BIRTH DATE BIRTHPLACE BIRTH DATE I HAVE LIVED IN CALIFORNIA SINCE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER I HAVE LIVED IN CALIFORNIA SINCE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER DRIVER'S LICENSE NO. DRIVER'S LICENSE NO. WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME: ΑT WE WERE MARRIED ON RESIDENCE(S) FOR LAST 10 YEARS NUMBER AND STREET CITY FROM TO NUMBER AND STREET CITY FROM TO NUMBER AND STREET CITY FROM ТО NUMBER AND STREET CITY FROM TO OCCUPATION(S) FOR LAST 10 YEARS HUSBAND PRESENT OCCUPATION FIRM NAME ADDRESS NO. OF YEARS PRIOR OCCUPATION FIRM NAME ADDRESS NO. OF YEARS PRIOR OCCUPATION FIRM NAME ADDRESS NO. OF YEARS WIFE PRESENT OCCUPATION FIRM NAME ADDRESS NO. OF YEARS PRIOR OCCUPATION FIRM NAME ADDRESS NO. OF YEARS PRIOR OCCUPATION FIRM NAME ADDRESS NO. OF YEARS FORMER MARRIAGES: IF NO FORMER MARRIAGES, WRITE "NONE": NAME OF FORMER SPOUSE IF DECEASED: DATE WHERE CURRENT LOAN ON PROPERTY PAYMENTS ARE BEING MADE TO: HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION NUMBER: \_ SIGNATURE HOME PHONE BUSINESS PHONE



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Under 31 U.S.C. § 5326(a), the Treasury Department's Financial Crimes Enforcement Network (FinCEN) issued a Geographic Targeting Order to title insurance companies requiring the collection of beneficial ownership information for certain real estate transactions.

Please complete the below questionnaire. This Company will rely on the answers provided to meet its reporting obligations.

## Who is completing this form?

Name	Position/Title	Position/Title		Law Firm			
Postal Address (Headquarters	City	City		Zip			
Phone	Email	Email					
Transactional Information							
Property Address (If Multiple properties so	ee NOTE below):						
City		State	Zip	County			
Date of Settlement Tota	al purchase price (if multi	iple properties see I	NOTE below)	<u>I</u>			
Type of Transaction: ☐ Residential	(1-4 family) ☐ Cor	nmercial	Bank Financi	Bank Financing: ☐ Yes ☐ No			
Purchase type: ☐ Natural Person	□ LLC	☐ Partnership	□ Other				
NOTE: If more than one property is purchased, list each address and purchase price as an addendum.							
Purchase Funds Information							
Total Amount paid by below instruments: \$							
Which type of Monetary Instruments were used (Use check boxes below)							
□ U.S. Currency (Paper money & coin)							
☐ Foreign Currency	Country:						
☐ Cashier's check(s)		☐ Money order(s)					
☐ Certified check(s)	☐ Personal or Business check(s)						
☐ Wire or other funds transfer(s)	□ Virtual Currency						



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## **Individual Primarily Representing Purchaser**

(Define as the individual authorized by the entity to enter into legally binding contracts).

Attach Legible copy of government issued identification (i.e., passport, driver's license, etc.)								
Type of ID		Issuing State or Country		Gov't ID Number				
Last Name			First Name				M.I.	
Date of Birth	Occupatio	n		Indivi	idual Taxpayer	ID # (if non	ne write N/A)	% of ownership
Address		City			State			Zip
Purchasing Entity Name & Address								
Name of Purchaser								
Taxpayer ID Number or EIN (If none write N/A)					Doing Business Name (DBA) (if none write N/A)			
Address City						State	Zip	

Complete the information below if the real estate purchase is being made by a corporation, LLC, partnership, other legal entity. (Do not report trusts.)

For Corporations, LLCs, Partnerships and Other Entities provide the information for:

- Each BENEFICIAL OWNER defined as an individual who, directly or indirectly, owns 25% or more of the equity interests of the Purchaser.
- If a legal entity or a series of legal entities own the equity interests of the Purchaser, provide information for each **BENEFICIAL OWNER**, of each legal entity in the series of legal entities.

(Note: It is NOT necessary to complete the address fields if the information is on a legible copy of the government issued ID submitted to the title company.)

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Attach Legible copy of govern	ment issued	identificatio	n (i.e., p	eassport, driver's licer	nse, etc.)		
Type of ID Is		Issuing State	ssuing State or Country		Gov't ID Number		
Last Name			First Name				M.I.
Date of Birth	Occupation	n	Individual Taxpayer I		ID # (if none write N/A)		% of ownership
Address		City	City			State	Zip
Attach Legible copy of govern	ment issued	identificatio	n (i.e., p	passport, driver's licer	nse, etc.)		
Type of ID		Issuing State	e or Cou	untry	Gov't ID	Number	
Last Name			First N	lame			M.I.
Date of Birth	Occupation	n		Individual Taxpayer	ID # (if none write N/A)		% of ownership
Address		City	City			State	Zip
Attach Legible copy of govern	ment issued	identificatio	n (i.e., p	passport, driver's licer	nse, etc.)		
Type of ID		Issuing State	suing State or Country Gov't ID			Number	
Last Name F		First N	Name			M.I.	
Date of Birth	Occupation	ation		Individual Taxpayer ID # (if none write N/A)			% of ownership
Address		City	ty State		State	Zip	
Attach Legible copy of government issued identification (i.e., passport, driver's license, etc.)							
Type of ID Iss		Issuing State	g State or Country Gov't ID Number		Number		
Last Name		First Name				M.I.	
Date of Birth	Occupation	pation		Individual Taxpayer ID # (if none write N/A)		e write N/A)	% of ownership
Address		City	,			State	Zip



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Type of ID Issuing Sta		Issuing State	e or Country Gov't ID		Gov't ID	D Number	
Last Name			First Name				M.I.
Date of Birth	Occupation	ccupation		Individual Taxpayer	ID # (if non	e write N/A)	% of ownership
Address		City				State	Zip

I declare that to the best of my knowledge, the information I have furnished is true, correct and complete. I understand that this Title Company will rely on this information for the purposes of completing any reports made pursuant to an obligation under 31 U.S.C. § 5326(a),

Signature:	Date:
Type or Print Name:	Title:

**APPENDIX B**REGULATORY DATABASE REPORT



**Project Property:** *APNs 600-101-04-00 and -05-00* 

APNs 600-101-04-00 and -05-00

Jamul CA

**Project No:** 

Report Type: Database Report

**Order No:** 22051900829

Requested by: C Young Associates

Date Completed: May 20, 2022

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# **Executive Summary**

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**Project Property:** APNs 600-101-04-00 and -05-00

APNs 600-101-04-00 and -05-00 Jamul CA

Order No: 22051900829

**Project No:** 

Coordinates:

 Latitude:
 32.66357606

 Longitude:
 -116.78689483

 UTM Northing:
 3,614,012.02

 UTM Easting:
 519,982.62

 UTM Zone:
 11S

UTWIZONE: 173

Elevation: 1,424 FT

**Order Information:** 

Order No: 22051900829

Date Requested: May 19, 2022

Requested by: C Young Associates

Report Type: Database Report

Historicals/Products:

ERIS Xplorer
Excel Add-On

Excel Add-On

# **Executive Summary: Report Summary**

Database	Searched	Search Radius	Project Property	Within 0.12mi	0.125mi to 0.25mi	0.25mi to 0.50mi	0.50mi to 1.00mi	Total
Standard Environmental Records								
Federal								
DOE FUSRAP	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
NPL	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROPOSED NPL	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
DELETED NPL	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
SEMS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
ODI	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
SEMS ARCHIVE	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
CERCLIS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
IODI	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
CERCLIS NFRAP	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
CERCLIS LIENS	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
RCRA CORRACTS	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
RCRA TSD	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
RCRA LQG	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
RCRA SQG	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
RCRA VSQG	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
RCRA NON GEN	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
RCRA CONTROLS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
FED ENG	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
FED INST	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
LUCIS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
NPL IC	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
ERNS 1982 TO 1986	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
ERNS 1987 TO 1989	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
ERNS	Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
FED BROWNFIELDS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
FEMA UST	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0

Dat	tabase	Searched	Search Radius	Project Property	Within 0.12mi	0.125mi to 0.25mi	0.25mi to 0.50mi	0.50mi to 1.00mi	Total
	FRP	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	HIST GAS STATIONS	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	REFN	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	BULK TERMINAL	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	SEMS LIEN	Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
	SUPERFUND ROD	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sta	ate			0	2	0	2	0	
	RESPONSE	Y	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ENVIROSTOR	Y	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DELISTED ENVS	Y	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SWF/LF	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	SWRCB SWF	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	WMUD	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	HWP	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SWAT	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	C&D DEBRIS RECY	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	RECYCLING	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	PROCESSORS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	CONTAINER RECY	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	LDS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	LUST	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	DELISTED LST	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	UST	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	UST CLOSURE	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
	HHSS	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	UST SWEEPS	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	AST	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	AST SWRCB	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	TANK OIL GAS	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	DELISTED TNK	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	CERS TANK	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	DELISTED CTNK	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	HIST TANK	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	LUR	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0

Database	Searched	Search Radius	Project Property	Within 0.12mi	0.125mi to 0.25mi	0.25mi to 0.50mi	0.50mi to 1.00mi	Total
CALSITES	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
HLUR	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
DEED	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
VCP	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
CLEANUP SITES	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
DELISTED COUNTY	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
Tribal								
INDIAN LUST	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
INDIAN UST	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
DELISTED ILST	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
DELISTED IUST	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
County	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
SWF SANDIEGO	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	_	
LOP SANDIEGO								0
HAZ SANDIEGO	Y	0.25	0	1	0	-	-	1
UST SANDIEGO	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
SAM SANDIEGO	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
Additional Environmental Records								
Federal								
FINDS/FRS	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
TRIS	Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
PFAS TRI	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
PFAS NPL	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
PFAS WATER	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
PFAS SSEHRI	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
ERNS PFAS	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
HMIRS	Y	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
NCDL	Y	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
TSCA	Y	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
HIST TSCA	Υ	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
FTTS ADMIN	Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
FTTS INSP	Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
PRP	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
SCRD DRYCLEANER	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0

Database		Searched	Search Radius	Project Property	Within 0.12mi	0.125mi to 0.25mi	0.25mi to 0.50mi	0.50mi to 1.00mi	Total
ICIS		Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
FED	DRYCLEANERS	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
DEL	ISTED FED DRY	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
FUD	S	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
FOR	MER NIKE	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
PIPE	ELINE INCIDENT	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
MLT	S	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
HIST	T MLTS	Υ	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
MINI	ES	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
SMC	CRA	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
MRD	DS .	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
URA	NIUM	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
ALT	FUELS	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
CON	ISENT DECREES	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
SST	S	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
PCB	т	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
PCB		Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
State									
		Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	CLEANERS	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
	ISTED DRYCLEANERS	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	_	0
	C GRANT	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
PFA		Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	_	0
	S GW	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	_	0
	SS CLEANUP	Υ	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	IC PITS	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	<u>-</u>	0
	C HWF	Y	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	P COMP ENF	Y	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
SCH		Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
CHM		Y	PO	0	-	_	_	_	0
	Γ CHMIRS	Y	PO	0	-	_	-	_	0
HAZ		Y	PO	0	-	_	<u>-</u>	_	0
	ΓMANIFEST	Y	0.125	0	0	-	<u>-</u>	_	0
	TRANSPORT	Y	0.123 PO	0	-	-	- -	-	0
	STE TIRE	Y	0.25	0	0	0	- -	-	
MED	DICAL WASTE	1	0.23	U	U	U	-	-	0

Database	Searched	Search Radius	Project Property	Within 0.12mi	0.125mi to 0.25mi	0.25mi to 0.50mi	0.50mi to 1.00mi	Total
HIST CORTESE	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
CDO/CAO	Y	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
CERS HAZ	Υ	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
DELISTED HAZ	Υ	0.5	0	0	0	0	-	0
GEOTRACKER	Y	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
MINE	Y	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIEN	Y	PO	0	-	-	-	-	0
WASTE DISCHG	Y	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
EMISSIONS	Υ	0.25	0	0	0	-	-	0
CDL	Υ	0.125	0	0	-	-	-	0
Tribal	No Tribal additional environmental record sources available for this State.						te.	
County	No Co	unty addit	ional enviro	nmental d	atabases w	ere selecte	d to be inclu	ıded in the search.
	Total:		0	1	0	0	0	1

<sup>\*</sup> PO - Property Only

<sup>\* &#</sup>x27;Property and adjoining properties' database search radii are set at 0.25 miles.

## Executive Summary: Site Report Summary - Project Property

MapDBCompany/Site NameAddressDirectionDistanceElev DiffPageKey(mi/ft)(ft)Number

No records found in the selected databases for the project property.

# Executive Summary: Site Report Summary - Surrounding Properties

Map Key	DB	Company/Site Name	Address	Direction	Distance (mi/ft)	Elev Diff (ft)	Page Number
1	HAZ SANDIEGO	HONEY SPRINGS RANCH	1850 HONEY SPRINGS RD, JAMUL, CA 91935 JAMUL CA 0	NW	0.10 / 514.70	-157	<u>17</u>

## Executive Summary: Summary by Data Source

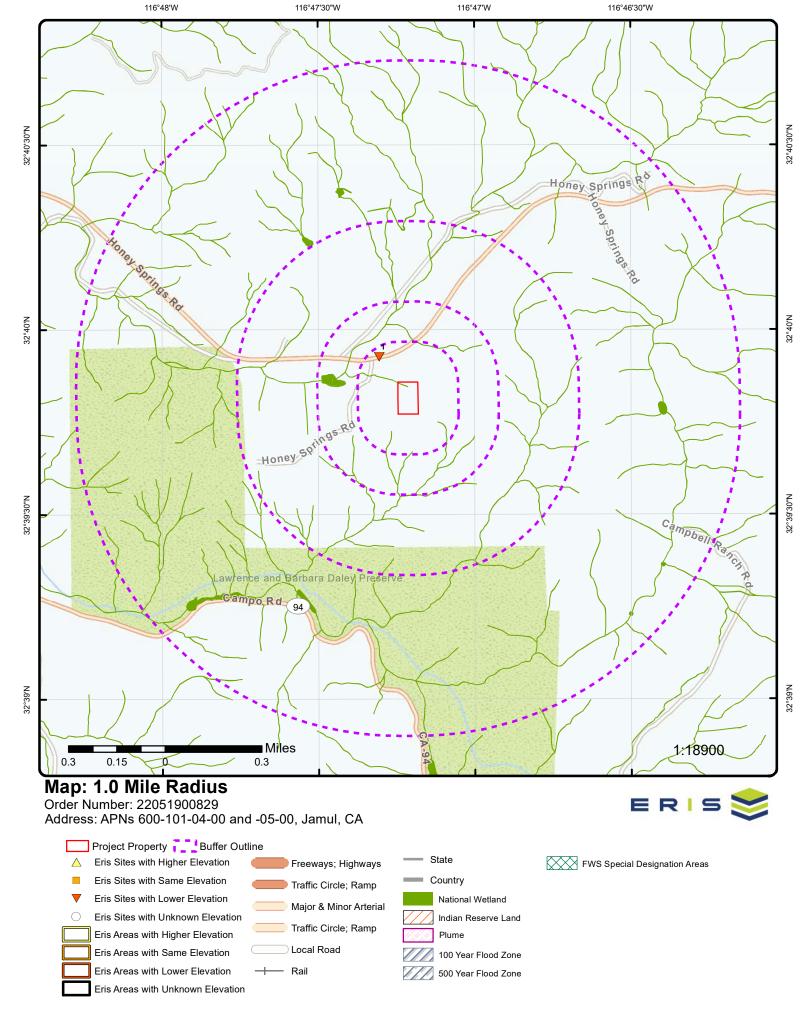
## **Standard**

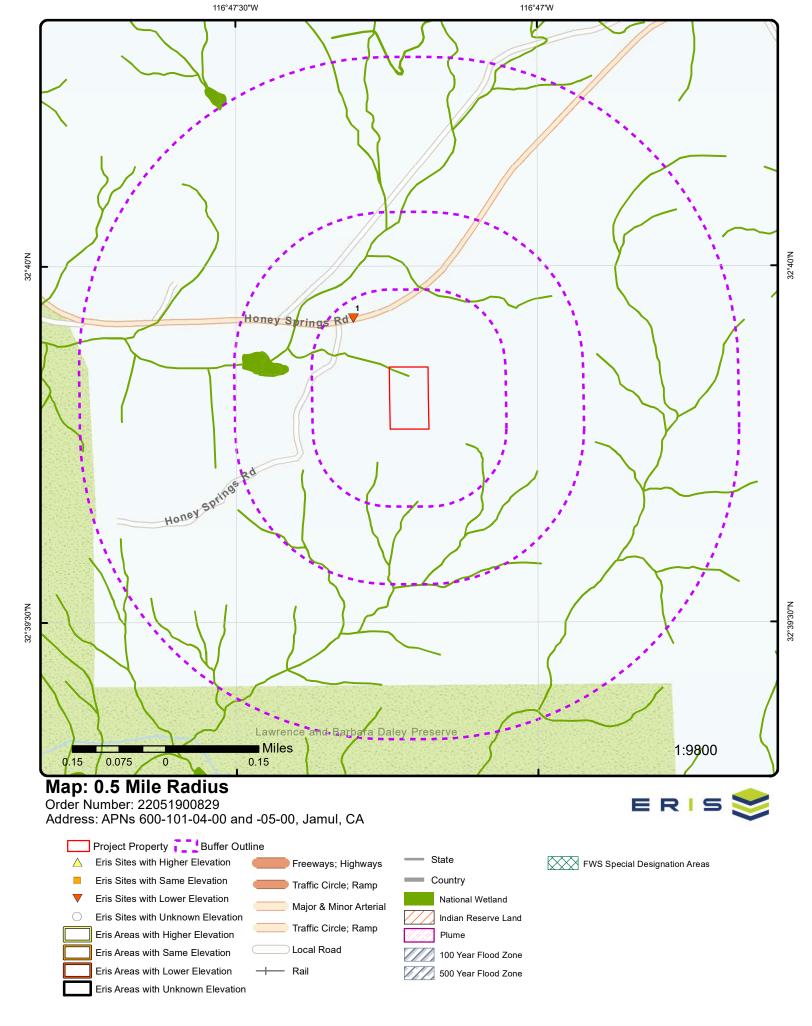
## **County**

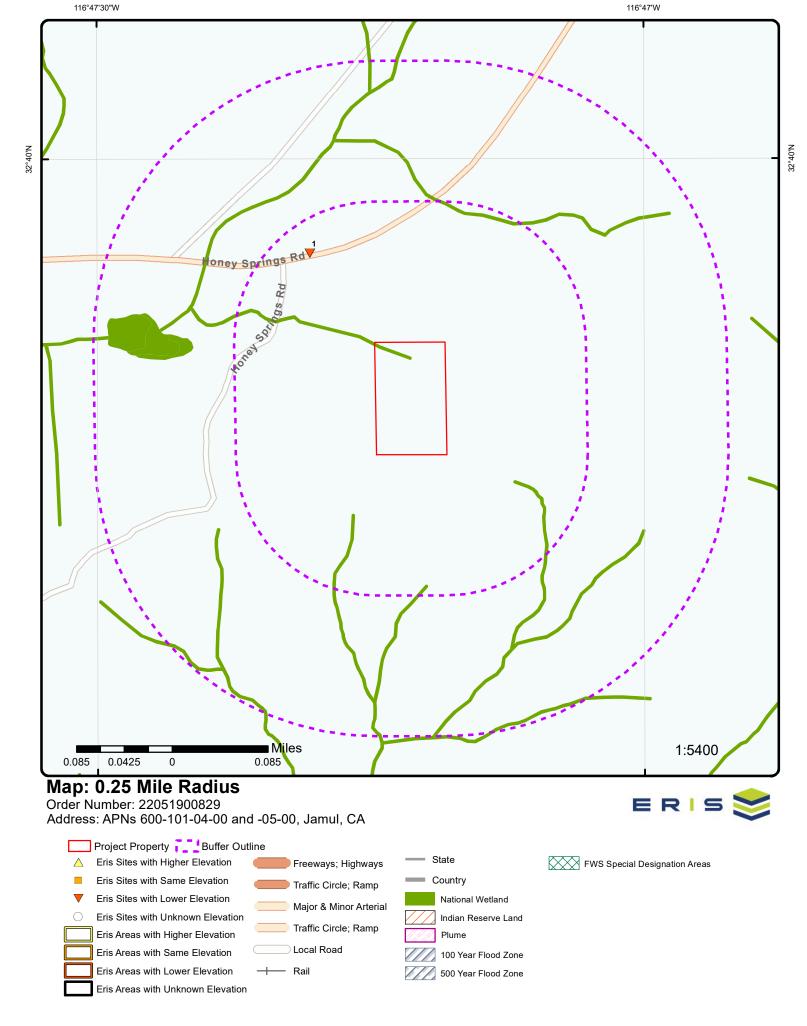
## **HAZ SANDIEGO** - San Diego County - Hazardous Materials Management Division Database

A search of the HAZ SANDIEGO database, dated May 1, 2022 has found that there are 1 HAZ SANDIEGO site(s) within approximately 0.25 miles of the project property.

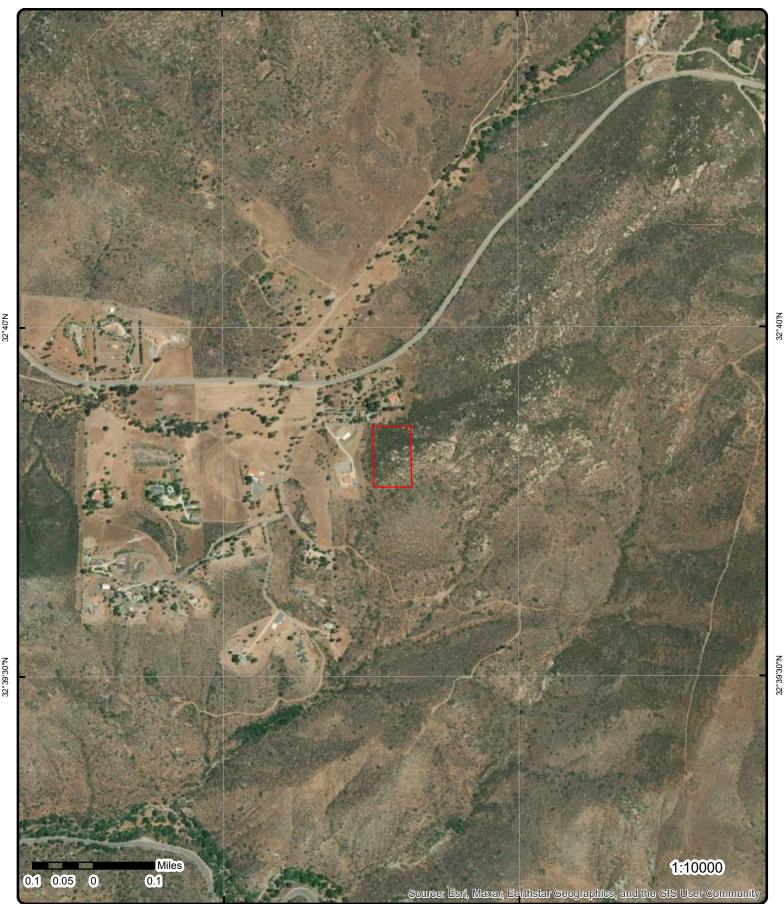
Lower Elevation	<u>Address</u>	<u>Direction</u>	Distance (mi/ft)	<u>Map Key</u>
HONEY SPRINGS RANCH	1850 HONEY SPRINGS RD, JAMUL, CA 91935 JAMUL CA 0	NW	0.10 / 514.70	1







116°47'30"W 116°47'W



Aerial Year: 2021

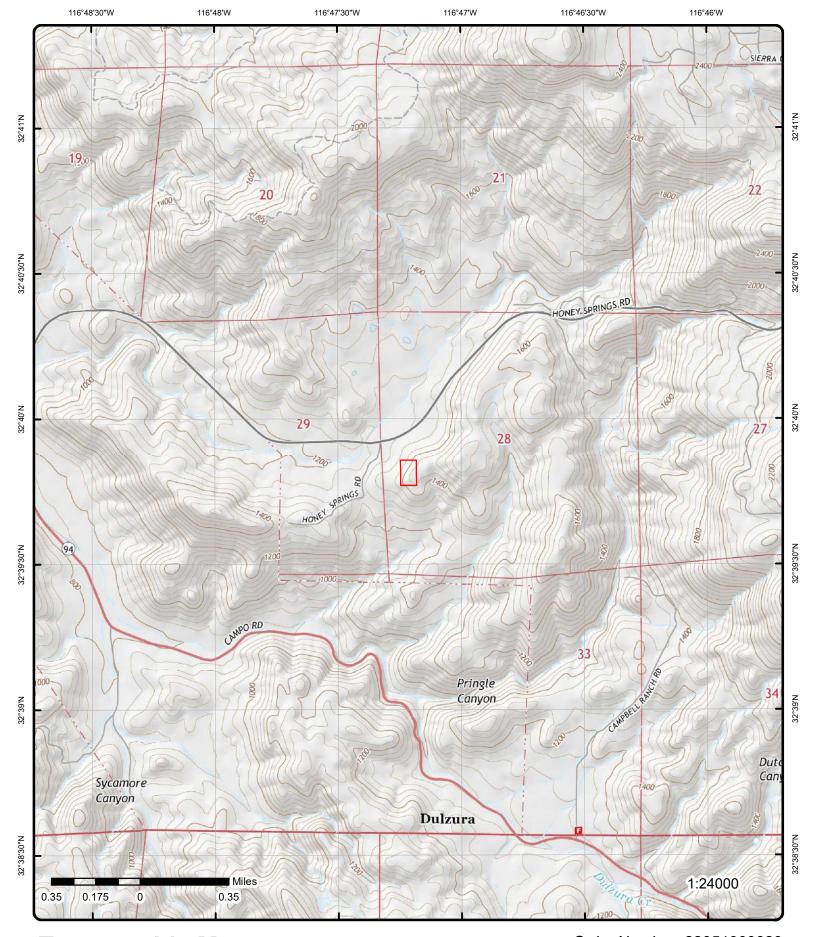
Address: APNs 600-101-04-00 and -05-00, Jamul, CA

Source: ESRI World Imagery

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Topographic Map Year: 2015

Address: APNs 600-101-04-00 and -05-00, CA

Quadrangle(s): Dulzura, CA

Source: USGS Topographic Map

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# **Detail Report**

Мар Кеу	Number of Records	Direction	Distance (mi/ft)	Elev/Diff (ft)	Site		DB
1	1 of 1	NW	0.10 / 514.70	1,266.88 / -157	-		HAZ SANDIEGO
Record ID: Facility Nai Facility City Facility Lat Facility Lor Facility Add	me: y: Code: itude: ngitude: dress:	2003-HUPFP-20277		GIS Fac	lity City: lity ZipCode:	DEH2003-HUPFP-202776 JAMUL 0 0	
GIS Facility	/ Name:	HONEY SPRIN	NGS RANCH				

# HMD Permits Map Data

GIS Facility Address: Tank Owner Name:

GIS Facility ID: GIS CERS ID: GIS Record Type: Per Type: Per Sub Type:	LUEG-DEH/HMD/UPFP/Facility	Status: ER Contact: ER Con Work Ph: Census Tract: Parcel Zip:	
Per Cat: Record Status: HW Tler: LRG QTY MW Gener: EPA ID No:	Completed	Community: Jurisdiction: Basin No: BOS Dist: Tbpg Grid:	
RMP CAL ARP: Tank Owner: SIC Code: NAICS Code: Disclose Qty Haz Mat:		Insp Dist: Feature ID: X Coord: Y Coord: Kiva Per Typ:	0 0 0 HK07 202776
Exp Date: Own/Operate USTs: UST Facility: Total No USTs: No of Tanks:		Agency Name: Point X: Point Y: Lat GS84: Lon GS84:	COSD 6395946.22406 1822339.31101 0
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Recycle100: Onsite Haz Waste Tre: RCRA LRG Qty: Haz Wst Coll Site: Accept Offs: Universal Waste Han:		X Map Coord: Y Map Coord: User Fld: Addr Type: ARC Address: ARC City:	-116.78847029744686 32.66547603594203
Toxic Gas: Hazmat EHS: Hazmat Rad: Haz Waste Rad: Haz Waste EHS: Full Name:		ARC Zipcode: ARC State: ARC APN: Zip: Farm Nursery: Indian or Territory:	
Email Perm: Phone Perm: Site Address: Parcel No:	600-090-17-00	County ID: Bill Code 2: Bill Code 3: Univ Waste Gen Type:	

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1850 HONEY SPRINGS RD, JAMUL, CA 91935

 Map Key
 Number of Records
 Direction
 Distance (mi/ft)
 Elev/Diff (ft)
 Site
 DB

 Record Ali:
 Unified Program Facility Permit Address:
 1850 HONEY SPRINGS RD

Address: 1850 HONEY SPRINGS RD
Business Type:
Bill Code:
ER Con Name:
ER Con Title:
Water Purv:
Fire Agency:
Geo SRC: Mapped to record address
Match Addr:

Match Addr: Hirt Flag:

# Unplottable Summary

Total: 0 Unplottable sites

DB Company Name/Site Address City Zip ERIS ID Name

No unplottable records were found that may be relevant for the search criteria.

# Unplottable Report

No unplottable records were found that may be relevant for the search criteria.						

## Appendix: Database Descriptions

Environmental Risk Information Services (ERIS) can search the following databases. The extent of historical information varies with each database and current information is determined by what is publicly available to ERIS at the time of update. ERIS updates databases as set out in ASTM Standard E1527-13 and E1527-21, Section 8.1.8 Sources of Standard Source Information:

"Government information from nongovernmental sources may be considered current if the source updates the information at least every 90 days, or, for information that is updated less frequently than quarterly by the government agency, within 90 days of the date the government agency makes the information available to the public."

### Standard Environmental Record Sources

## **Federal**

### Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program:

**DOE FUSRAP** 

Order No: 22051900829

The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) established the Formerly Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) in 1974 to remediate sites where radioactive contamination remained from the Manhattan Project and early U.S. Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) operations. The DOE Office of Legacy Management (LM) established long-term surveillance and maintenance (LTS&M) requirements for remediated FUSRAP sites. DOE evaluates the final site conditions of a remediated site on the basis of risk for different future uses. DOE then confirms that LTS&M requirements will maintain protectiveness.

Government Publication Date: Mar 4, 2017

National Priority List:

Sites on the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)'s National Priorities List of the most serious uncontrolled or abandoned hazardous waste sites identified for possible long-term remedial action under the Superfund program. The NPL, which EPA is required to update at least once a year, is based primarily on the score a site receives from EPA's Hazard Ranking System. A site must be on the NPL to receive money from the Superfund Trust Fund for remedial action. Sites are represented by boundaries where available in the EPA Superfund Site Boundaries maintained by the Shared Enterprise Geodata and Services (SEGS). Site boundaries represent the footprint of a whole site, the sum of all of the Operable Units and the current understanding of the full extent of contamination; for Federal Facility sites, the total site polygon may be the Facility boundary. Where there is no polygon boundary data available for a given site, the site is represented as a point.

Government Publication Date: Mar 30, 2022

## National Priority List - Proposed: PROPOSED NPL

Sites proposed - by the EPA, the state agency, or concerned citizens - for addition to the NPL due to contamination by hazardous waste and identified by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as a candidate for cleanup because it poses a risk to human health and/or the environment. Sites are represented by boundaries where available in the EPA Superfund Site Boundaries maintained by the Shared Enterprise Geodata and Services (SEGS). Site boundaries represent the footprint of a whole site, the sum of all of the Operable Units and the current understanding of the full extent of contamination; for Federal Facility sites, the total site polygon may be the Facility boundary. Where there is no polygon boundary data available for a given site, the site is represented as a point.

Government Publication Date: Mar 30, 2022

Deleted NPL:

DELETED NPL

Sites deleted from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)'s National Priorities List. The National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (NCP) establishes the criteria that the EPA uses to delete sites from the NPL. In accordance with 40 CFR 300.425.(e), sites may be deleted from the NPL where no further response is appropriate. Sites are represented by boundaries where available in the EPA Superfund Site Boundaries maintained by the Shared Enterprise Geodata and Services (SEGS). Site boundaries represent the footprint of a whole site, the sum of all of the Operable Units and the current understanding of the full extent of contamination; for Federal Facility sites, the total site polygon may be the Facility boundary. Where there is no polygon boundary data available for a given site, the site is represented as a point.

Government Publication Date: Mar 30, 2022

### **SEMS List 8R Active Site Inventory:**

SEMS

The Superfund Program has deployed the Superfund Enterprise Management System (SEMS), which integrates multiple legacy systems into a comprehensive tracking and reporting tool. This inventory contains active sites evaluated by the Superfund program that are either proposed to be or are on the National Priorities List (NPL) as well as sites that are in the screening and assessment phase for possible inclusion on the NPL. The Active Site Inventory Report displays site and location information at active SEMS sites. An active site is one at which site assessment, removal, remedial, enforcement, cost recovery, or oversight activities are being planned or conducted.

Government Publication Date: Feb 24, 2022

### Inventory of Open Dumps, June 1985:

ODI

The Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) provides for publication of an inventory of open dumps. The Act defines "open dumps" as facilities which do not comply with EPA's "Criteria for Classification of Solid Waste Disposal Facilities and Practices" (40 CFR 257).

Government Publication Date: Jun 1985

## **SEMS List 8R Archive Sites:**

SEMS ARCHIVE

The Superfund Enterprise Management System (SEMS) Archived Site Inventory displays site and location information at sites archived from SEMS. An archived site is one at which EPA has determined that assessment has been completed and no further remedial action is planned under the Superfund program at this time.

Government Publication Date: Feb 24, 2022

## Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System - CFRCUS:

**CERCLIS** 

Superfund is a program administered by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to locate, investigate, and clean up the worst hazardous waste sites throughout the United States. CERCLIS is a database of potential and confirmed hazardous waste sites at which the EPA Superfund program has some involvement. It contains sites that are either proposed to be or are on the National Priorities List (NPL) as well as sites that are in the screening and assessment phase for possible inclusion on the NPL. The EPA administers the Superfund program in cooperation with individual states and tribal governments; this database is made available by the EPA.

Government Publication Date: Oct 25, 2013

## EPA Report on the Status of Open Dumps on Indian Lands:

IODI

Public Law 103-399, The Indian Lands Open Dump Cleanup Act of 1994, enacted October 22, 1994, identified congressional concerns that solid waste open dump sites located on American Indian or Alaska Native (Al/AN) lands threaten the health and safety of residents of those lands and contiguous areas. The purpose of the Act is to identify the location of open dumps on Indian lands, assess the relative health and environment hazards posed by those sites, and provide financial and technical assistance to Indian tribal governments to close such dumps in compliance with Federal standards and regulations or standards promulgated by Indian Tribal governments or Alaska Native entities.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 1998

#### **CERCLIS - No Further Remedial Action Planned:**

**CERCLIS NFRAP** 

An archived site is one at which EPA has determined that assessment has been completed and no further remedial action is planned under the Superfund program at this time. The Archive designation means that, to the best of EPA's knowledge, assessment at a site has been completed and that EPA has determined no further steps will be taken to list this site on the National Priorities List (NPL). This decision does not necessarily mean that there is no hazard associated with a given site; it only means that, based upon available information, the location is not judged to be a potential NPL site.

Government Publication Date: Oct 25, 2013

## CERCLIS LIENS CERCLIS LIENS

A Federal Superfund lien exists at any property where EPA has incurred Superfund costs to address contamination ("Superfund site") and has provided notice of liability to the property owner. A Federal CERCLA ("Superfund") lien can exist by operation of law at any site or property at which EPA has spent Superfund monies. This database is made available by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Government Publication Date: Jan 30, 2014

## RCRA CORRACTS-Corrective Action:

**RCRA CORRACTS** 

Order No: 22051900829

RCRA Info is EPA's comprehensive information system, providing access to data supporting the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976 and the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984. At these sites, the Corrective Action Program ensures that cleanups occur. EPA and state regulators work with facilities and communities to design remedies based on the contamination, geology, and anticipated use unique to each site.

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

#### RCRA non-CORRACTS TSD Facilities:

RCRA TSD

RCRA Info is EPA's comprehensive information system, providing access to data supporting the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976 and the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984. This database includes Non-Corrective Action sites listed as treatment, storage and/or disposal facilities of hazardous waste as defined by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA).

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

RCRA Generator List:

RCRA Info is EPA's comprehensive information system, providing access to data supporting the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976 and the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984. RCRA Info replaces the data recording and reporting abilities of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Information System (RCRIS) and the Biennial Reporting System (BRS). A hazardous waste generator is any person or site whose processes and actions create hazardous waste (see 40 CFR 260.10). Large Quantity Generators (LQGs) generate 1,000 kilograms per month or more of hazardous waste or more than one kilogram per month of acutely hazardous waste.

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

#### RCRA Small Quantity Generators List:

**RCRA SQG** 

RCRA Info is the EPA's comprehensive information system, providing access to data supporting the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976 and the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984. RCRA Info replaces the data recording and reporting abilities of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Information System (RCRIS) and the Biennial Reporting System (BRS). A hazardous waste generator is any person or site whose processes and actions create hazardous waste (see 40 CFR 260.10). Small Quantity Generators (SQGs) generate more than 100 kilograms, but less than 1,000 kilograms, of hazardous waste per month.

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

## RCRA Very Small Quantity Generators List:

**RCRA VSQG** 

RCRA Info is the EPA's comprehensive information system, providing access to data supporting the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976 and the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984. A hazardous waste generator is any person or site whose processes and actions create hazardous waste (see 40 CFR 260.10). Very Small Quantity Generators (VSQG) generate 100 kilograms or less per month of hazardous waste, or one kilogram or less per month of acutely hazardous waste. Additionally, VSQG may not accumulate more than 1,000 kilograms of hazardous waste at any time.

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

RCRA Non-Generators: RCRA NON GEN

RCRA Info is EPA's comprehensive information system, providing access to data supporting the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) of 1976 and the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments (HSWA) of 1984. RCRA Info replaces the data recording and reporting abilities of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Information System (RCRIS) and the Biennial Reporting System (BRS). A hazardous waste generator is any person or site whose processes and actions create hazardous waste (see 40 CFR 260.10). Non-Generators do not presently generate hazardous waste.

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

RCRA Sites with Controls:

List of Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) facilities with institutional controls in place. RCRA gives the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) the authority to control hazardous waste from the "cradle-to-grave." This includes the generation, transportation, treatment, storage, and disposal of hazardous waste. RCRA also set forth a framework for the management of non-hazardous solid wastes. The 1986 amendments to RCRA enabled EPA to address environmental problems that could result from underground tanks storing petroleum and other hazardous substances.

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2022

## Federal Engineering Controls-ECs:

FED ENG

Engineering controls (ECs) encompass a variety of engineered and constructed physical barriers (e.g., soil capping, sub-surface venting systems, mitigation barriers, fences) to contain and/or prevent exposure to contamination on a property. This database is made available by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Government Publication Date: Dec 30, 2021

#### Federal Institutional Controls- ICs:

**FED INST** 

Order No: 22051900829

Institutional controls are non-engineered instruments, such as administrative and legal controls, that help minimize the potential for human exposure to contamination and/or protect the integrity of the remedy. Although it is EPA's (United States Environmental Protection Agency) expectation that treatment or engineering controls will be used to address principal threat wastes and that groundwater will be returned to its beneficial use whenever practicable, ICs play an important role in site remedies because they reduce exposure to contamination by limiting land or resource use and guide human behavior at a site.

Government Publication Date: Dec 30, 2021

### Land Use Control Information System:

**LUCIS** 

The LUCIS database is maintained by the U.S. Department of the Navy and contains information for former Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) properties across the United States.

Government Publication Date: Sep 1, 2006

## Institutional Control Boundaries at NPL sites:

NPL IC

Boundaries of Institutional Control areas at sites on the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)'s National Priorities List, or Proposed or Deleted, made available by the EPA's Shared Enterprise Geodata and Services (SEGS). United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)'s National Priorities List of the most serious uncontrolled or abandoned hazardous waste sites identified for possible long-term remedial action under the Superfund program. Institutional controls are non-engineered instruments such as administrative and legal controls that help minimize the potential for human exposure to contamination and/or protect the integrity of the remedy.

Government Publication Date: Mar 30, 2022

## **Emergency Response Notification System:**

ERNS 1982 TO 1986

Database of oil and hazardous substances spill reports controlled by the National Response Center. The primary function of the National Response Center is to serve as the sole national point of contact for reporting oil, chemical, radiological, biological, and etiological discharges into the environment anywhere in the United States and its territories.

Government Publication Date: 1982-1986

#### **Emergency Response Notification System:**

ERNS 1987 TO 1989

Database of oil and hazardous substances spill reports controlled by the National Response Center. The primary function of the National Response Center is to serve as the sole national point of contact for reporting oil, chemical, radiological, biological, and etiological discharges into the environment anywhere in the United States and its territories.

Government Publication Date: 1987-1989

## **Emergency Response Notification System:**

**ERNS** 

Database of oil and hazardous substances spill reports made available by the United States Coast Guard National Response Center (NRC). The NRC fields initial reports for pollution and railroad incidents and forwards that information to appropriate federal/state agencies for response. These data contain initial incident data that has not been validated or investigated by a federal/state response agency.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 2021

### The Assessment, Cleanup and Redevelopment Exchange System (ACRES) Brownfield Database:

**FED BROWNFIELDS** 

Brownfields are real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant, or contaminant. Cleaning up and reinvesting in these properties protects the environment, reduces blight, and takes development pressures off greenspaces and working lands. This database is made available by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Government Publication Date: Aug 20, 2021

#### FEMA Underground Storage Tank Listing:

FEMA UST

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) of the Department of Homeland Security maintains a list of FEMA owned underground storage tanks.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 2017

## Facility Response Plan:

FRP

List of facilities that have submitted Facility Response Plans (FRP) to EPA. Facilities that could reasonably be expected to cause "substantial harm" to the environment by discharging oil into or on navigable waters are required to prepare and submit Facility Response Plans (FRPs). Harm is determined based on total oil storage capacity, secondary containment and age of tanks, oil transfer activities, history of discharges, proximity to a public drinking water intake or sensitive environments.

Government Publication Date: Dec 2, 2020

## Historical Gas Stations:

HIST GAS STATIONS

Order No: 22051900829

This historic directory of service stations is provided by the Cities Service Company. The directory includes Cities Service filling stations that were located throughout the United States in 1930.

Government Publication Date: Jul 1, 1930

Petroleum Refineries:

List of petroleum refineries from the U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA) Refinery Capacity Report. Includes operating and idle petroleum refineries (including new refineries under construction) and refineries shut down during the previous year located in the 50 States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Guam, and other U.S. possessions. Survey locations adjusted using public data.

Government Publication Date: Feb 4, 2022

## Petroleum Product and Crude Oil Rail Terminals:

**BULK TERMINAL** 

List of petroleum product and crude oil rail terminals made available by the U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA). Includes operable bulk petroleum product terminals located in the 50 States and the District of Columbia with a total bulk shell storage capacity of 50,000 barrels or more, and/or the ability to receive volumes from tanker, barge, or pipeline; also rail terminals handling the loading and unloading of crude oil that were active between 2017 and 2018. Petroleum product terminals comes from the EIA-815 Bulk Terminal and Blender Report, which includes working, shell in operation, and shell idle for several major product groupings. Survey locations adjusted using public data.

Government Publication Date: Feb 4, 2022

LIEN on Property: SEMS LIEN

The EPA Superfund Enterprise Management System (SEMS) provides LIEN information on properties under the EPA Superfund Program.

Government Publication Date: Feb 24, 2022

### **Superfund Decision Documents:**

SUPERFUND ROD

This database contains a listing of decision documents for Superfund sites. Decision documents serve to provide the reasoning for the choice of (or) changes to a Superfund Site cleanup plan. The decision documents include Records of Decision (ROD), ROD Amendments, Explanations of Significant Differences (ESD), along with other associated memos and files. This information is maintained and made available by the US EPA (Environmental Protection Agency).

Government Publication Date: Nov 16, 2021

#### State

State Response Sites: RESPONSE

A list of identified confirmed release sites where the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) is involved in remediation, either in a lead or oversight capacity. These confirmed release sites are generally high-priority and high potential risk. This database is state equivalent NPL.

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

EnviroStor Database: ENVIROSTOR

The EnviroStor Data Management System is made available by the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC). Includes Corrective Action sites, Tiered Permit sites, Historical Sites and Evaluation/Investigation sites. This database is state equivalent CERCLIS.

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

## **Delisted State Response Sites:**

**DELISTED ENVS** 

Sites removed from the list of State Response Sites made available by the EnviroStor Data Management System, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC).

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

## Solid Waste Information System (SWIS):

SWF/LF

The Solid Waste Information System (SWIS) database made available by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) contains information on solid waste facilities, operations, and disposal sites throughout the State of California. The types of facilities found in this database include landfills, transfer stations, material recovery facilities, composting sites, transformation facilities, waste tire sites, and closed disposal sites.

Government Publication Date: Feb 2, 2022

## Solid Waste Disposal Sites with Waste Constituents Above Hazardous Waste Levels:

**SWRCB SWF** 

Order No: 22051900829

This is a list of solid waste disposal sites identified by California State Water Resources Control Board with waste constituents above hazardous waste levels outside the waste management unit.

Government Publication Date: Sep 20, 2006

Waste Management Unit Database:

WMUD

The Waste Management Unit Database System tracks and inventories waste management units. CCR Title 27 contains criteria stating that Waste Management Units are classified according to their ability to contain wastes. Containment shall be determined by geology, hydrology, topography, climatology, and other factors relating to the ability of the Unit to protect water quality. Water Code Section 13273.1 requires that operators submit a water quality solid waste assessment test (SWAT) report to address leak status. The WMUDS was last updated by the State Water Resources control board in 2000.

Government Publication Date: Jan 1, 2000

## **EnviroStor Hazardous Waste Facilities:**

**HWP** 

A list of hazardous waste facilities including permitted, post-closure and historical facilities found in the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) EnviroStor database.

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

## Sites Listed in the Solid Waste Assessment Test (SWAT) Program Report:

**SWAT** 

In a 1993 Memorandum of Understanding, the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) agreed to submit a comprehensive report on the Solid Waste Assessment Test (SWAT) Program to the California Integrated Waste Management Board (CIWMB). This report summarizes the work completed to date on the SWAT Program, and addresses both the impacts that leakage from solid waste disposal sites (SWDS) may have upon waters of the State and the actions taken to address such leakage.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 1995

#### Construction and Demolition Debris Recyclers:

C&D DEBRIS RECY

This listing of Construction and Demolition Debris Recyclers is maintained by the California Intergrated Waste Management Board-common C&D materials include lumber, drywall, metals, masonry (brick, concrete, etc.), carpet, plastic, pipe, rocks, dirt, paper, cardboard, or green waste related to land development.

Government Publication Date: Jun 20, 2018

RECYCLING RECYCLING

This list of Certified Recycling Centers that are operating under the state of California's Beverage Container Recycling Program is maintained by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.

Government Publication Date: Apr 12, 2022

#### **Listing of Certified Processors:**

**PROCESSORS** 

This list of Certified Processors that are operating under the state of California's Beverage Container Recycling Program is maintained by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.

Government Publication Date: Apr 12, 2022

## <u>Listing of Certified Dropoff, Collection, and Community Service Programs:</u>

**CONTAINER RECY** 

This list of Certified Dropoff, Collection, and Community Service Programs (non-buyback) operating under the state of California's Beverage Container Recycling Program is maintained by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.

Government Publication Date: Apr 12, 2022

LDS LDS

Land Disposal Sites in GeoTracker, the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)'s data management system. The Land Disposal program regulates of waste discharge to land for treatment, storage and disposal in waste management units. Waste management units include waste piles, surface impoundments, and landfills.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

## Leaking Underground Fuel Tank Reports:

LUST

List of Leaking Underground Storage Tanks within the Cleanup Sites data in GeoTracker database. GeoTracker is the State Water Resources Control Board's (SWRCB) data management system for managing sites that impact groundwater, especially those that require groundwater cleanup (Underground Storage Tanks, Department of Defense and Site Cleanup Program) as well as permitted facilities such as operating Underground Storage Tanks. The Leak Prevention Program that overlooks LUST sites is the SWRCB in California's Environmental Protection Agency.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

## **Delisted Leaking Storage Tanks:**

**DELISTED LST** 

Order No: 22051900829

List of Leaking Underground Storage Tanks (LUST) cleanup sites removed from GeoTracker, the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)'s database system, as well as sites removed from the SWRCB's list of UST Case closures.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

#### Permitted Underground Storage Tank (UST) in GeoTracker:

UST

List of Permitted Underground Storage Tank (UST) sites made available by the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) in California's Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Government Publication Date: Apr 25, 2022

#### Proposed Closure of Underground Storage Tank Cases:

**UST CLOSURE** 

List of UST cases that are being considered for closure by either the California Environmental Protection Agency, State Water Resources Control Board or the Executive Director that have been posted for a 60-day public comment period.

Government Publication Date: May 5, 2021

### Historical Hazardous Substance Storage Information Database:

**HHSS** 

The Historical Hazardous Substance Storage database contains information collected in the 1980s from facilities that stored hazardous substances. The information was originally collected on paper forms, was later transferred to microfiche, and recently indexed as a searchable database. When using this database, please be aware that it is based upon self-reported information submitted by facilities which has not been independently verified. It is unlikely that every facility responded to the survey and the database should not be expected to be a complete inventory of all facilities that were operating at that time. This database is maintained by the California State Water Resources Control Board's (SWRCB) Geotracker.

Government Publication Date: Aug 27, 2015

### Statewide Environmental Evaluation and Planning System:

**UST SWEEPS** 

The Statewide Environmental Evaluation and Planning System (SWEEPS) is a historical listing of active and inactive underground storage tanks made available by the California State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB).

Government Publication Date: Oct 1, 1994

## Aboveground Storage Tanks:

AST

A statewide list from 2009 of aboveground storage tanks (ASTs) made available by the Cal FIRE Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM). This list is no longer maintained or updated by the Cal FIRE OSFM.

Government Publication Date: Aug 31, 2009

#### SWRCB Historical Aboveground Storage Tanks:

**AST SWRCB** 

A list of aboveground storage tanks made available by the California State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB). Effective January 1, 2008, the Certified Unified Program Agencies (CUPAs) are vested with the responsibility and authority to implement the Aboveground Petroleum Storage Act (APSA).

Government Publication Date: Dec 1, 2007

#### Oil and Gas Facility Tanks:

TANK OIL GAS

Locations of oil and gas tanks that fall under the jurisdiction of the Geologic Energy Management Division of the California Department of Conservation (CalGEM) (CCR 1760). CalGEM was formerly the Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (DOGGR).

Government Publication Date: Apr 4, 2022

## **Delisted Storage Tanks:**

DELISTED TNK

This database contains a list of storage tank sites that were removed by the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) in California's Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Cal FIRE Office of State Fire Marshal (OSFM).

Government Publication Date: May 2, 2022

## California Environmental Reporting System (CERS) Tanks:

**CERS TANK** 

List of sites in the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) Regulated Site Portal which fall under the Aboveground Petroleum Storage and Underground Storage Tank regulatory programs. The CalEPA oversees the statewide implementation of the Unified Program which applies regulatory standards to protect Californians from hazardous waste and materials.

Government Publication Date: Apr 5, 2022

## Delisted California Environmental Reporting System (CERS) Tanks:

**DELISTED CTNK** 

This database contains a list of Aboveground Petroleum Storage and Underground Storage Tank sites that were removed from in the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) Regulated Site Portal.

Government Publication Date: Apr 5, 2022

<u>Historical Hazardous Substance Storage Container Information - Facility Summary:</u>

HIST TANK

The State Water Resources Control Board maintained the Hazardous Substance Storage Containers listing and inventory in th 1980s. This facility summary lists historic tank sites where the following container types were present: farm motor vehicle fuel tanks; waste tanks; sumps; pits, ponds, lagoons, and others; and all other product tanks. This set, published in May 1988, lists facility and owner information, as well as the number of containers. This data is historic and will not be updated.

Government Publication Date: May 27, 1988

## Site Mitigation and Brownfields Reuse Program Facility Sites with Land Use Restrictions:

LUR

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) Site Mitigation and Brownfields Reuse Program (SMBRP) list includes sites cleaned up under the program's oversight and generally does not include current or former hazardous waste facilities that required a hazardous waste facility permit. The list represents land use restrictions that are active. Some sites have multiple land use restrictions.

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

CALSITES Database: CALSITES

This historical database was maintained by the Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) for more than a decade. CALSITES contains information on Brownfield properties with confirmed or potential hazardous contamination. In 2006, DTSC introduced EnviroStor as the latest Brownfields site database.

Government Publication Date: May 1, 2004

#### Hazardous Waste Management Program Facility Sites with Deed / Land Use Restrictions:

**HLUR** 

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) Hazardous Waste Management Program (HWMP) has developed a list of current or former hazardous waste facilities that have a recorded land use restriction at the local county recorder's office. The land use restrictions on this list were required by the DTSC HWMP as a result of the presence of hazardous substances that remain on site after the facility (or part of the facility) has been closed or cleaned up. The types of land use restriction include deed notice, deed restriction, or a land use restriction that binds current and future owners.

Government Publication Date: Feb 18, 2021

#### **Deed Restrictions and Land Use Restrictions:**

DEED

List of Deed Restrictions, Land Use Restrictions and Covenants in GeoTracker made available by the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) in California's Environmental Protection Agency. A deed restriction (land use covenant) may be required to facilitate the remediation of past environmental contamination and to protect human health and the environment by reducing the risk of exposure to residual hazardous materials.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

#### Voluntary Cleanup Program:

VCP

List of sites in the Voluntary Cleanup Program made available by the Department of Toxic Substances and Control (DTSC). The Voluntary Cleanup Program was designed to respond to lower priority sites. Under the Voluntary Cleanup Program, DTSC enters site-specific agreements with project proponents for DTSC oversight of site assessment, investigation, and/or removal or remediation activities, and the project proponents agree to pay DTSC's reasonable costs for those services.

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

## **GeoTracker Cleanup Program Sites:**

**CLEANUP SITES** 

A list of Cleanup Program sites in the state of California made available by The State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) of the California Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). SWRCB tracks leaking underground storage tank cleanups as well as other water board cleanups.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

### **Delisted County Records:**

DELISTED COUNTY

Records removed from county or CUPA databases. Records may be removed from the county lists made available by the respective county departments because they are inactive, or because they have been deemed to be below reportable thresholds.

Government Publication Date: May 9, 2022

## **Tribal**

## Leaking Underground Storage Tanks (LUSTs) on Indian Lands:

INDIAN LUST

LUSTs on Tribal/Indian Lands in Region 9, which includes California.

Government Publication Date: Oct 12, 2021

## Underground Storage Tanks (USTs) on Indian Lands:

**INDIAN UST** 

Order No: 22051900829

USTs on Tribal/Indian Lands in Region 9, which includes California.

## **Delisted Tribal Leaking Storage Tanks:**

**DELISTED ILST** 

 $Leaking\ Underground\ Storage\ Tank\ facilities\ which\ have\ been\ removed\ from\ the\ Regional\ Tribal\ LUST\ lists\ made\ available\ by\ the\ EPA.$ 

Government Publication Date: Oct 12, 2021

## **Delisted Tribal Underground Storage Tanks:**

**DELISTED IUST** 

Underground Storage Tank facilities which have been removed from the Regional Tribal UST lists made available by the EPA.

Government Publication Date: Oct 13, 2021

## County

#### San Diego County - Solid Waste Facility List:

**SWF SANDIEGO** 

A list of open and closed Solid Waste Facilities in the County of San Diego. The County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health Solid Waste Local Enforcement Agency (LEA) is certified by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to enforce state solid waste laws and regulations in San Diego County, excluding the City of San Diego. The list is made available by San Diego County Department of Environmental Health. *Government Publication Date: Apr 13, 2021* 

### San Diego County - Local Oversight Program List:

LOP SANDIEGO

A list of Underground Storage Tank (UST) release sites in the County of San Diego. This list is made available by San Diego County Department of Environmental Health.

Government Publication Date: Jun 15, 2020

## San Diego County - Hazardous Materials Management Division Database:

**HAZ SANDIEGO** 

A list of facilities with Unified Program Facility Permit in San Diego County. This list has been made available by County of San Diego Environmental Health.

Government Publication Date: May 1, 2022

#### San Diego County - UST List:

**UST SANDIEGO** 

A list of registered Underground Storage Tanks in the County of San Diego. The list is made available by the San Diego County Hazardous Materials Division.

Government Publication Date: Apr 25, 2022

## San Diego County - Site Assessment and Mitigation Investigation Sites:

SAM SANDIEGO

List of sites which have undergone a Site Assessment and Mitigation investigation. This list is made available by the County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health.

Government Publication Date: Jun 30, 2020

## Additional Environmental Record Sources

## **Federal**

## Facility Registry Service/Facility Index:

FINDS/FRS

The Facility Registry Service (FRS) is a centrally managed database that identifies facilities, sites, or places subject to environmental regulations or of environmental interest. FRS creates high-quality, accurate, and authoritative facility identification records through rigorous verification and management procedures that incorporate information from program national systems, state master facility records, and data collected from EPA's Central Data Exchange registrations and data management personnel. This list is made available by the Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA).

Government Publication Date: Nov 2, 2020

## Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) Program:

**TRIS** 

Order No: 22051900829

The EPA's Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) is a database containing data on disposal or other releases of over 650 toxic chemicals from thousands of U. S. facilities and information about how facilities manage those chemicals through recycling, energy recovery, and treatment. One of TRI's primary purposes is to inform communities about toxic chemical releases to the environment.

Government Publication Date: Aug 24, 2021

#### Perfluorinated Alkyl Substances (PFAS) Releases:

**PFAS TRI** 

List of Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) facilities at which the reported chemical is a Per- or polyfluorinated alkyl substance (PFAS) included in the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)'s consolidated PFAS Master List of PFAS Substances. The EPA's Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) is a database containing data on disposal or other releases of over 650 toxic chemicals from thousands of U.S. facilities and information about how facilities manage those chemicals through recycling, energy recovery, and treatment.

Government Publication Date: Aug 24, 2021

### **PFOA/PFOS Contaminated Sites:**

PFAS NPL

List of sites where PFOA or PFOS contaminants have been found in drinking water or soil. Made available by the Federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Government Publication Date: Jan 11, 2022

## Perfluorinated Alkyl Substances (PFAS) Water Quality:

**PFAS WATER** 

The Water Quality Portal (WQP) is a cooperative service sponsored by the United States Geological Survey (USGS), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the National Water Quality Monitoring Council (NWQMC). This listing includes records from the Water Quality Portal where the characteristic (environmental measurement) is in the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)'s consolidated PFAS Master List of PFAS Substances. *Government Publication Date: Jul 20, 2020* 

#### SSEHRI PFAS Contamination Sites:

PFAS SSEHRI

This PFAS Contamination Site Tracker database is compiled by the Social Science Environmental Health Research Institute (SSEHRI) at Northeastern University. According to the SSEHRI, the database records qualitative and quantitative data from each known site of PFAS contamination, including timeline of discovery, sources, levels, health impacts, community response, and government response. The goal of this database is to compile information and support public understanding of the rapidly unfolding issue of PFAS contamination. All data presented was extracted from government websites, news articles, or publicly available documents, and this is cited in the tracker. Disclaimer: The source conveys this database undergoes regular updates as new information becomes available, some sites may be missing and/or contain information that is incorrect or outdated, as well as their information represents all contamination sites SSEHRI is aware of, not all possible contamination sites. This data is not intended to be used for legal purposes. Limited location details are available with this data. Access the following for the most current informations https://pfasproject.com/pfascontamination-site-tr acker/

Government Publication Date: Dec 12, 2019

### National Response Center PFAS Spills:

**ERNS PFAS** 

National Response Center (NRC) calls from 1990 to the most recent complete calendar year where there is indication of Aqueous Film Forming Foam (AFFF) usage. NRC calls may reference AFFF usage in the "Material Involved" or "Incident Description" fields. Data made available by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Disclaimer: dataset may include initial or misidentified incident data not yet validated or investigated by a federal/state response agency.

Government Publication Date: Feb 23, 2022

#### Hazardous Materials Information Reporting System:

**HMIRS** 

US DOT - Department of Transportation Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) Incidents Reports Database taken from Hazmat Intelligence Portal, U.S. Department of Transportation.

Government Publication Date: Sep 1, 2020

#### National Clandestine Drug Labs:

NCDL

The U.S. Department of Justice ("the Department") provides this data as a public service. It contains addresses of some locations where law enforcement agencies reported they found chemicals or other items that indicated the presence of either clandestine drug laboratories or dumpsites. In most cases, the source of the entries is not the Department, and the Department has not verified the entry and does not guarantee its accuracy.

\*\*Government Publication Date: Nov 22, 2021\*\*

## **Toxic Substances Control Act:**

TSCA

Order No: 22051900829

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is amending the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) section 8(a) Inventory Update Reporting (IUR) rule and changing its name to the Chemical Data Reporting (CDR) rule.

The CDR enables EPA to collect and publish information on the manufacturing, processing, and use of commercial chemical substances and mixtures (referred to hereafter as chemical substances) on the TSCA Chemical Substance Inventory (TSCA Inventory). This includes current information on chemical substance production volumes, manufacturing sites, and how the chemical substances are used. This information helps the Agency determine whether people or the environment are potentially exposed to reported chemical substances. EPA publishes submitted CDR data that is not Confidential Business Information (CBI).

Government Publication Date: Apr 11, 2019

HIST TSCA:

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is amending the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) section 8(a) Inventory Update Reporting (IUR) rule and changing its name to the Chemical Data Reporting (CDR) rule.

The 2006 IUR data summary report includes information about chemicals manufactured or imported in quantities of 25,000 pounds or more at a single site during calendar year 2005. In addition to the basic manufacturing information collected in previous reporting cycles, the 2006 cycle is the first time EPA collected information to characterize exposure during manufacturing, processing and use of organic chemicals. The 2006 cycle also is the first time manufacturers of inorganic chemicals were required to report basic manufacturing information.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 2006

## FTTS Administrative Case Listing:

**FTTS ADMIN** 

An administrative case listing from the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, & Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), together known as FTTS. This database was obtained from the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) National Compliance Database (NCDB). The FTTS and NCDB was shut down in 2006.

Government Publication Date: Jan 19, 2007

#### FTTS Inspection Case Listing:

**FTTS INSP** 

An inspection case listing from the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, & Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), together known as FTTS. This database was obtained from the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) National Compliance Database (NCDB). The FTTS and NCDB was shut down in 2006.

Government Publication Date: Jan 19, 2007

#### Potentially Responsible Parties List:

PRP

Early in the cleanup process, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) conducts a search to find the potentially responsible parties (PRPs). EPA looks for evidence to determine liability by matching wastes found at the site with parties that may have contributed wastes to the site.

Government Publication Date: Mar 30, 2022

#### State Coalition for Remediation of Drycleaners Listing:

SCRD DRYCLEANER

The State Coalition for Remediation of Drycleaners (SCRD) was established in 1998, with support from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Office of Superfund Remediation and Technology Innovation. Coalition members are states with mandated programs and funding for drycleaner site remediation. Current members are Alabama, Connecticut, Florida, Illinois, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, North Carolina, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Wisconsin.

Government Publication Date: Nov 08, 2017

### Integrated Compliance Information System (ICIS):

ICIS

The Integrated Compliance Information System (ICIS) is a system that provides information for the Federal Enforcement and Compliance (FE&C) and the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) programs. The FE&C component supports the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Civil Enforcement and Compliance program activities. These activities include Compliance Assistance, Compliance Monitoring and Enforcement. The NPDES program supports tracking of NPDES permits, limits, discharge monitoring data and other program reports.

Government Publication Date: Jan 15, 2022

<u>Drycleaner Facilities:</u> FED DRYCLEANERS

A list of drycleaner facilities from Enforcement and Compliance History Online (ECHO) online search. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) tracks facilities that possess NAIC and SIC codes that classify businesses as drycleaner establishments.

Government Publication Date: May 5, 2021

## **Delisted Drycleaner Facilities:**

**DELISTED FED DRY** 

List of sites removed from the list of Drycleaner Facilities (sites in the EPA's Integrated Compliance Information System (ICIS) with NAIC or SIC codes identifying the business as a drycleaner establishment).

Government Publication Date: May 5, 2021

## Formerly Used Defense Sites:

FUDS

Formerly Used Defense Sites (FUDS) are properties that were formerly owned by, leased to, or otherwise possessed by and under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Defense prior to October 1986, where the Department of Defense (DoD) is responsible for an environmental restoration. This list is published by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Government Publication Date: May 26, 2021

## Former Military Nike Missile Sites:

**FORMER NIKE** 

This information was taken from report DRXTH-AS-IA-83A016 (Historical Overview of the Nike Missile System, 12/1984) which was performed by Environmental Science and Engineering, Inc. for the U.S. Army Toxic and Hazardous Materials Agency Assessment Division. The Nike system was deployed between 1954 and the mid-1970's. Among the substances used or stored on Nike sites were liquid missile fuel (JP-4); starter fluids (UDKH, aniline, and furfuryl alcohol); oxidizer (IRFNA); hydrocarbons (motor oil, hydraulic fluid, diesel fuel, gasoline, heating oil); solvents (carbon tetrachloride, trichloroethylene, trichloroethane, stoddard solvent); and battery electrolyte. The quantities of material a disposed of and procedures for disposal are not documented in published reports. Virtually all information concerning the potential for contamination at Nike sites is confined to personnel who were assigned to Nike sites. During deactivation most hardware was shipped to depot-level supply points. There were reportedly instances where excess materials were disposed of on or near the site itself at closure. There was reportedly no routine site decontamination.

Government Publication Date: Dec 2, 1984

## PHMSA Pipeline Safety Flagged Incidents:

PIPELINE INCIDENT

A list of flagged pipeline incidents made available by the U.S. Department of Transportation (US DOT) Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA). PHMSA regulations require incident and accident reports for five different pipeline system types.

Government Publication Date: Jul 7, 2020

#### Material Licensing Tracking System (MLTS):

MLTS

A list of sites that store radioactive material subject to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) licensing requirements. This list is maintained by the NRC. As of September 2016, the NRC no longer releases location information for sites. Site locations were last received in July 2016.

Government Publication Date: May 11, 2021

#### Historic Material Licensing Tracking System (MLTS) sites:

HIST MLTS

A historic list of sites that have inactive licenses and/or removed from the Material Licensing Tracking System (MLTS). In some cases, a site is removed from the MLTS when the state becomes an "Agreement State". An Agreement State is a State that has signed an agreement with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) authorizing the State to regulate certain uses of radioactive materials within the State.

Government Publication Date: Jan 31, 2010

Mines Master Index File: MINES

The Master Index File (MIF) contains mine identification numbers issued by the Department of Labor Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) for mines active or opened since 1971. Note that addresses may or may not correspond with the physical location of the mine itself.

Government Publication Date: Nov 2, 2021

## Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act Sites:

SMCRA

An inventory of land and water impacted by past mining (primarily coal mining) is maintained by the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement (OSMRE) to provide information needed to implement the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 (SMCRA). The inventory contains information on the location, type, and extent of Abandoned Mine Land (AML) impacts, as well as information on the cost associated with the reclamation of those problems. The inventory is based upon field surveys by State, Tribal, and OSMRE program officials. It is dynamic to the extent that it is modified as new problems are identified and existing problems are reclaimed.

Government Publication Date: Dec 18, 2020

Mineral Resource Data System:

The Mineral Resource Data System (MRDS) is a collection of reports describing metallic and nonmetallic mineral resources throughout the world. Included are deposit name, location, commodity, deposit description, geologic characteristics, production, reserves, resources, and references. This database contains the records previously provided in the Mineral Resource Data System (MRDS) of USGS and the Mineral Availability System/Mineral Industry Locator System (MAS/MILS) originated in the U.S. Bureau of Mines, which is now part of USGS. The USGS has ceased systematic updates of the MRDS database with their focus more recently on deposits of critical minerals while providing a well-documented baseline of historical mine locations from USGS topographic maps.

Government Publication Date: Mar 15, 2016

## <u>Uranium Mill Tailings Radiation Control Act Sites:</u>

URANIUM

The Legacy Management Office of the Department of Energy (DOE) manages radioactive and chemical waste, environmental contamination, and hazardous material at over 100 sites across the U.S. The L.M. Office manages this database of sites registered under the Uranium Mill Tailings Control Act (UMTRCA).

Government Publication Date: Mar 4, 2017

Alternative Fueling Stations:

**ALT FUELS** 

List of alternative fueling stations made available by the US Department of Energy's Office of Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy. Includes Biodiesel stations, Ethanol (E85) stations, Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Propane) stations, Ethanol (E85) stations, Natural Gas stations, Hydrogen stations, and Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment (EVSE). The National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) obtains information about new stations from trade media, Clean Cities coordinators, a Submit New Station form on the Station Locator website, and through collaborating with infrastructure equipment and fuel providers, original equipment manufacturers (OEMs), and industry groups.

Government Publication Date: Mar 7, 2022

Superfunds Consent Decrees: CONSENT DECREES

A list of Superfund consent decrees made available by the Department of Justice, Environment & Natural Resources Division (ENRD).

Government Publication Date: Sep 30, 2018

#### Registered Pesticide Establishments:

SSTS

List of active EPA-registered foreign and domestic pesticide-producing and device-producing establishments based on data from the Section Seven Tracking System (SSTS). The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) Section 7 requires that facilities producing pesticides, active ingredients, or devices be registered. The list of establishments is made available by the EPA.

Government Publication Date: Mar 30, 2022

### Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) Transformers:

**PCBT** 

Locations of Transformers Containing Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) registered with the United States Environmental Protection Agency. PCB transformer owners must register their transformer(s) with EPA. Although not required, PCB transformer owners who have removed and properly disposed of a registered PCB transformer may notify EPA to have their PCB transformer de-registered. Data made available by EPA.

Government Publication Date: Oct 15, 2019

## Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) Notifiers:

PCB

Facilities included in the national list of facilities that have notified the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) of Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) activities. Any company or person storing, transporting or disposing of PCBs or conducting PCB research and development must notify the EPA and receive an identification number.

Government Publication Date: Jan 20, 2022

#### **State**

<u>Dry Cleaning Facilities:</u>

DRYCLEANERS

A list of drycleaner related facilities that have EPA ID numbers. These are facilities with certain SIC codes: power laundries, family and commercial, linen supply, commercial laundry, dry cleaning and pressing machines - Coin Operated Laundry and Dry Cleaning. This is provided by the Department of Toxic Substance Control.

Government Publication Date: Dec 20, 2021

Delisted Drycleaners: DELISTED DRYCLEANERS

Sites removed from the list of drycleaner related facilities that have EPA ID numbers, made available by the California Department of Toxic Substance Control.

Government Publication Date: Feb 28, 2020

## Non-Toxic Dry Cleaning Incentive Program:

DRYC GRANT

Order No: 22051900829

A list of grant recipients of the Non-Toxic Dry Cleaning Incentive Program made available by the California Air Resources Board (CARB). The program provides grants to eligible dry cleaning businesses to assist them in transitioning away from PERC machines to alternative non-toxic and non-smog forming technologies.

Government Publication Date: Feb 28, 2020

## Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS):

PFAS

List of sites from the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB)'s GeoTracker at which one or more of the potential contaminants of concern are in the PFAS Master List of PFAS Substances made available by the Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA).

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

PFOA/PFOS Groundwater:

A list of water wells from the Groundwater Ambient Monitoring and Assessment Program (GAMA) Groundwater Information System with the groundwater chemical perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA) (NL = 0.014 UG/L) or perfluorooctanoic sulfonate (PFOS) (NL = 0.013 UG/L). The GAMA Groundwater Information System search is made available by California Water Boards.

## Hazardous Waste and Substances Site List - Site Cleanup:

**HWSS CLEANUP** 

The Hazardous Waste and Substances Sites (Cortese) List is a planning document used by the State, local agencies and developers to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act requirements in providing information about the location of hazardous materials release sites. This list is published by California Department of Toxic Substance Control.

Government Publication Date: May 20, 2021

TOXIC PITS TOXIC PITS

The Toxic Pits Cleanup Act (TPCA) list identifies sites suspected of containing hazardous substances where cleanup has not yet been completed. This list was maintained by the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB), is not longer maintained, and updates are not planned.

Government Publication Date: Jul 1, 1995

## List of Hazardous Waste Facilities Subject to Corrective Action:

DTSC HWF

This is a list of hazardous waste facilities identified in Health and Safety Code (HSC) § 25187.5. These facilities are those where Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has taken or contracted for corrective action because a facility owner/operator has failed to comply with a date for taking corrective action in an order issued under HSC § 25187, or because DTSC determined that immediate corrective action was necessary to abate an imminent or substantial endangerment.

Government Publication Date: Jul 18, 2016

## EnviroStor Inspection, Compliance, and Enforcement:

**INSP COMP ENF** 

A list of permitted facilities with inspections and enforcements tracked in the Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) EnviroStor.

Government Publication Date: Apr 29, 2021

## School Property Evaluation Program Sites:

SCH

A list of sites registered with The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) School Property Evaluation and Cleanup (SPEC) Division. SPEC is responsible for assessing, investigating and cleaning up proposed school sites. The Division ensures that selected properties are free of contamination or, if the properties were previously contaminated, that they have been cleaned up to a level that protects the students and staff who will occupy the new school.

Government Publication Date: Jan 6, 2022

## California Hazardous Material Incident Report System (CHMIRS):

CHMIRS

A list of reported hazardous material incidents, spills, and releases from the California Hazardous Material Incident Report System (CHMIRS). This list has been made available by the California Office of Emergency Services (OES).

Government Publication Date: Feb 8, 2022

## Historical California Hazardous Material Incident Report System (CHMIRS):

HIST CHMIRS

A list of reported hazardous material incidents, spills, and releases from the California Hazardous Material Incident Report System (CHMIRS) prior to 1993. This list has been made available by the California Office of Emergency Services (OES).

Government Publication Date: Jan 1, 1993

### Hazardous Waste Manifest Data:

HAZNET

A list of hazardous waste manifests received each year by Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC). The volume of manifests is typically 900,000 - 1,000,000 annually, representing approximately 450,000 - 500,000 shipments.

Government Publication Date: Oct 24, 2016

## Historical Hazardous Waste Manifest Data:

HIST MANIFEST

A list of historic hazardous waste manifests received by the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) from year the 1980 to 1992. The volume of manifests is typically 900,000 - 1,000,000 annually, representing approximately 450,000 - 500,000 shipments.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 1992

## DTSC Registered Hazardous Waste Transporters:

**HW TRANSPORT** 

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) maintains this list of Registered Hazardous Waste Transporters.

Government Publication Date: Oct 19, 2020

#### Registered Waste Tire Haulers:

WASTE TIRE

Order No: 22051900829

This list of registered waste tire haulers is maintained by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.

## California Medical Waste Management Program Facility List:

**MEDICAL WASTE** 

This list of Medical Waste Management Program Facilities is maintained by the California Department of Public Health. The Medical Waste Management Program (MWMP) regulates the generation, handling, storage, treatment, and disposal of medical waste by providing oversight for the implementation of the Medical Waste Management Act (MWMA). The MWMP permits and inspects all medical waste off-site treatment facilities, medical waste transfer stations. This list contains transporters, treatment, and transfer facilities.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 2020

HIST CORTESE

List of sites which were once included on the Cortese list. The Hazardous Waste and Substances Sites (Cortese) List is a planning document used by the State, local agencies and developers to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act requirements for providing information about the location of hazardous sites.

Government Publication Date: Nov 13, 2008

## Cease and Desist Orders and Cleanup and Abatement Orders:

CDO/CAO

The California Environment Protection Agency "Cortese List" of active Cease and Desist Orders (CDO) and Cleanup and Abatement Orders (CAO). This list contains many CDOs and CAOs that do NOT concern the discharge of wastes that are hazardous materials. Many of the listed orders concern, as examples, discharges of domestic sewage, food processing wastes, or sediment that do not contain hazardous materials, but the Water Boards' database does not distinguish between these types of orders.

Government Publication Date: Dec 6, 2021

## California Environmental Reporting System (CERS) Hazardous Waste Sites:

**CERS HAZ** 

List of sites in the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) Regulated Site Portal which fall under the following regulatory programs:
Hazardous Chemical Management, Hazardous Waste Onsite Treatment, Household Hazardous Waste Collection, Hazardous Waste Generator, RCRA LQ HW Generator. The CalEPA oversees the statewide implementation of the Unified Program which applies regulatory standards to protect Californians from hazardous waste and materials.

Government Publication Date: Apr 5, 2022

## Delisted Environmental Reporting System (CERS) Hazardous Waste Sites:

DELISTED HAZ

This database contains a list of sites that were removed from the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) in the following regulatory programs: Hazardous Chemical Management, Hazardous Waste Onsite Treatment, Household Hazardous Waste Collection, Hazardous Waste Generator, RCRA LQ HW Generator.

Government Publication Date: Nov 29, 2018

<u>Sites in GeoTracker:</u>

GeoTracker is the State Water Resource Control Boards' data management system for sites that impact, or have the potential to impact, water quality in California, with emphasis on groundwater. This is a list of sites in GeoTracker that aren't otherwise categorized as LUST, Land Disposal Sites (LDS), Cleanup Sites, or sites having Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR). This listing includes program types such as Underground Injection Control (UIC), Confined Animal Facilities (CAF), Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program, plans, and non-case information.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

Mines Listing:

This list includes mine site locations extracted from the Mines Online database, maintained by the California Department of Conservation. Mines Online (MOL) is an interactive web map designed with GIS features that provide information such as the mine name, mine status, commodity sold, location, and other mine specific data. Please note: Mine location information is provided to assist experts in determining the location of mine operators in accordance with California Civil Code section 1103.4 and reflects information reported by mine operators in annual reports provided under Public Resources Code section 2207. While the Division of Mine Reclamation (DMR) attempts to populate MOL with accurate location information, the DMR cannot guarantee the accuracy of operator reported location information.

Government Publication Date: Dec 17, 2021

## Recorded Environmental Cleanup Liens:

LIEN

The California Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) maintains this list of liens placed upon real properties. A lien is utilized by the DTSC to obtain reimbursement from responsible parties for costs associated with the remediation of contaminated properties.

Government Publication Date: May 4, 2022

Waste Discharge Requirements:

WASTE DISCHG

List of sites in California State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) Program in California, made available by the SWRCB via GeoTracker. The WDR program regulates point discharges that are exempt pursuant to Subsection 20090 of Title 27 and not subject to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act. The scope of the WDRs Program also includes the discharge of wastes classified as inert, pursuant to section 20230 of Title 27.

Government Publication Date: Feb 15, 2022

## **Toxic Pollutant Emissions Facilities:**

**EMISSIONS** 

A list of criteria and toxic pollutant emissions data for facilities in California made available by the California Environmental Protection Agency - Air Resources Board (ARB). Risk data may be based on previous inventory submittals. The toxics data are submitted to the ARB by the local air districts as requirement of the Air Toxics "Hot Spots" Program. This program requires emission inventory updates every four years.

Government Publication Date: Dec 31, 2019

## Clandestine Drug Lab Sites:

CDL

Order No: 22051900829

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) maintains a listing of drug lab sites. DTSC is responsible for removal and disposal of hazardous substances discovered by law enforcement officials while investigating illegal/clandestine drug laboratories.

Government Publication Date: Jan 19, 2021

## **Tribal**

No Tribal additional environmental record sources available for this State.

#### County

No County additional environmental databases were selected to be included in the search.

# **Definitions**

<u>Database Descriptions:</u> This section provides a detailed explanation for each database including: source, information available, time coverage, and acronyms used. They are listed in alphabetic order.

**<u>Detail Report</u>**: This is the section of the report which provides the most detail for each individual record. Records are summarized by location, starting with the project property followed by records in closest proximity.

**<u>Distance:</u>** The distance value is the distance between plotted points, not necessarily the distance between the sites' boundaries. All values are an approximation.

**Direction:** The direction value is the compass direction of the site in respect to the project property and/or center point of the report.

**<u>Elevation:</u>** The elevation value is taken from the location at which the records for the site address have been plotted. All values are an approximation. Source: Google Elevation API.

**Executive Summary:** This portion of the report is divided into 3 sections:

'Report Summary'- Displays a chart indicating how many records fall on the project property and, within the report search radii.

'Site Report Summary'-Project Property'- This section lists all the records which fall on the project property. For more details, see the 'Detail Report' section.

'Site Report Summary-Surrounding Properties'- This section summarizes all records on adjacent properties, listing them in order of proximity from the project property. For more details, see the 'Detail Report' section.

**Map Key:** The map key number is assigned according to closest proximity from the project property. Map Key numbers always start at #1. The project property will always have a map key of '1' if records are available. If there is a number in brackets beside the main number, this will indicate the number of records on that specific property. If there is no number in brackets, there is only one record for that property.

The symbol and colour used indicates 'elevation': the red inverted triangle will dictate 'ERIS Sites with Lower Elevation', the yellow triangle will dictate 'ERIS Sites with Higher Elevation' and the orange square will dictate 'ERIS Sites with Same Elevation.'

<u>Unplottables:</u> These are records that could not be mapped due to various reasons, including limited geographic information. These records may or may not be in your study area, and are included as reference.

Order No: 22051900829

APPENDIX C
REGULATORY AGENCY RECORDS

From: DEH, Public Records < PublicRecords. DEH@sdcounty.ca.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, June 1, 2022 1:54 PM

To: danw@cyaforensics.com

**Subject:** Records Request - APN 600-101-04 & -05-00

Good Afternoon,

No requested records were found for the provided APNs.

New Search Function: Scanned files for closed Site Assessment and Mitigation Program cases and Monitoring Well Program permits can be downloaded directly through the new DEH Document Library at:

http://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/deh/doclibrary/

You can search by Record ID, APN, address, document category, or keyword.

Thank you,

Edwin C. Andrus
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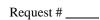
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# PUBLIC RECORDS REQUEST FOR THE SITE ASSESSMENT AND MITIGATION (SAM) PROGRAM AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS DIVISION (HMD)

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**APPENDIX D**PHOTOGRAPHS





1. Site from NW Corner Looking SE



2. Site from NW Corner Looking East



3. Site from Northern Boundary Looking South



4. Site from Northern Boundary Looking West



5. Site from Northern Boundary Looking SW



6. North-Central Portion of Site





7. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking North



8. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking NE



9. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking East



10. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking SE



11. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking South



12. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking SW





13. Peak of Site Looking NW



14. Site and adjacent Open Space Looking SW



15. Site and adjacent Residential Properties Looking West



 Site and adjacent Residential Properties Looking West



17. Site and adjacent Residential Properties Looking NW



 Site and adjacent Residential Properties Looking NW

# **APPENDIX E**INTERVIEW QUESTIONAIRRE

C Young Associates Due Diligence Environmental Questionnaire - OWNER
Project Name/Location: Honey Springs Janua CA
APNs: 600-101-05-00
Completed by: Simi Rush
Company or Organization: Willis Allen Real Extre
Title: Real for
Date: 5/19/22 @ 12:15 pm via phone with Martha Slee
Please email completed questionnaire to colin@cyaforensics.com
1.) Who is the current owner of the subject property and when was it purchased?  Martha Slee - current owner  Out claimed June 8, 1990  Original purchase as jant awners opprox. 1980  2.) Who are the past owners of the property and years of ownership (if available)?  Rechard Slee  Martha A sice jointly  3.) What was the past use of the subject property?  Vacant land, no Known other usage
4.) Are you aware of any environmental cleanup liens that are filed or recorded against the subject property?
5.) Are you aware of any activity and land use limitations that are in place on the property that have been filed or recorded in a registry?
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6.) Are you aware of any specialized knowledge or experience related to the property or nearby properties that is pertinent to potential adverse environmental conditions?

7.) Are you aware of commonly known or reasonably obtainable information that would help C Young Associates to identify conditions indicative of releases or threatened releases of hazardous wastes/materials at the property? Such information includes knowledge of specific chemicals that are present or were once present on the property, spills or other chemicals releases that may have occurred, underground or aboveground storage tanks and environmental cleanups that have been conducted on the property.
No
8.) Based on your knowledge and experience related to the property, are there any obvious indicators that point to the presence or likely presence of contamination at the property?  No.

Please email completed questionnaire to colin@cyaforensics.com

**APPENDIX F**QUALIFICATIONS

# COLIN P. YOUNG, CIH

#### PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

#### Current

C Young Associates (CYA), La Jolla, California, 1996-2000, 2003, 01/2009-Present

#### **Previous**

- ERM-West, Inc., San Diego, California, Partner-Managing Principal, San Diego Office, 12/03-01/09
- Geocon, Inc., San Diego, California, Vice President/Southern California Operations Manager, 2000-2003, Project Manager/ Marketing Coordinator, 1989-1991
- Metcalf & Eddy, Inc., San Diego, California, Associate/Business Manager-Environmental Services Division, October 1994-1996
- University of California, San Diego (UCSD), Instructor for Occupational Medicine/Public Health & Safety Extension Certificate Program, 1992-2003
- Brown & Root Environmental/Halliburton NUS Corporation
  - o San Diego, California, West Region Manager-Western Division Operations, 1991-1993
  - o Boston, Massachusetts, U.S. EPA, Region 1 FIT Public Health Specialist, 1982-1985
- Westec Services, Inc./ERCE, San Diego, California, Project Manager/ Manager of Corporate Health & Safety, 1986-1989

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE and QUALIFICATIONS-Academic

- UCSD, Course Instructor for Occupational Medicine Certificate Program, *Industrial Hygiene for the Occupational Health Nurse*, 1992-1995
- UCSD, Course Instructor for Occupational Health & Safety/ Hazardous Materials Certificate Program, *Principles in Industrial Hygiene*, 1995-2003

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE and QUALIFICATIONS-Technical

#### Industrial Hygiene

Provide, or have provided, forensic investigation, human health assessment and exposure/injury prevention related services, including the performance of "sick-building"/indoor air quality evaluations, worker exposure assessments, biological contamination (e.g., bioaerosol/mold) studies, litigation support, workers' comp. investigations, asbestos and lead assessments, industrial process safety evaluations, health & safety training and support programs for environmental, hazardous waste, industrial and construction projects and activities. Services have been provided to legal, insurance, industrial, commercial and governmental (e.g., Navy, DOE, regulatory, etc.) clients, alike. Experience representations are summarized, as follows:

 Provide technical and risk management counsel on civil and exposure/toxic tort matters involving alleged environmental impairment and human exposures to hazardous materials, including chemicals and bioaerosols. To date, approximately 200 legal matters have been supported.

- Provided industrial hygiene/health & safety support and programs for more than 400 environmental and hazardous waste investigations and remediation programs for the US EPA and private entities. Typical projects involved the handling of, and/or potential for exposure to, biological contaminants, fuel and chlorinated hydrocarbons, pesticides, PCBs, asbestos, lead and explosive materials.
- Performed numerous surveys of commercial, industrial and residential structures believed to contain unhealthy and/or potentially hazardous indoor air-quality conditions, including chemical and bioaerosol intrusion.
- Performed numerous industrial process safety evaluations in support of both Workers'
  Compensation claim-reduction (i.e., limitation of liability) programs and impending
  Workers' Compensation claims. The services have been provided for the benefit of
  employers, property owners and business/property insurers and legal counsel.
- Provided training and developed corporate health and safety programs for more than thirty industrial facilities, environmental laboratories and/or engineering consulting firms.
- Performed a Job Safety Analysis (JSA) of more than 300 aerospace manufacturing processes in support of the company's existing and developing Industrial Health & Safety Program.
- Developed and managed a complex health and safety program for a multi-million dollar remediation project for the Department of Energy at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL) in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. The remedial and site safety program innovatively employed the use of remotely operated vehicles (i.e., submarines) to retrieve and decommission over 7000 containers of explosive, water-reactive and radiologicallycontaminated materials.
- Developed and managed a health & safety/quality assurance-quality control (QA/QC) program for a study involving the assessment of 15 uncontrolled disposal sites at the Naval Air Weapons Station (NAWS) in China Lake, California. The studies evaluated the degree of environmental impact from chemical, biological and live ordnance wastes in the (typical) 115°F area climate.
- Contributed to the development of health and safety Standard Operating Procedures and training protocols currently used by each of the U.S. EPA FIT, Zone 1 offices.

#### **Environmental Engineering**

Provide, or have provided, forensic studies, environmental site assessments; remediation programs; environmental litigation support, and; regulatory compliance support and permitting.

- Developed and managed a multimillion-dollar burn dump remediation project for a client who was redeveloping a former Navy facility. Provided project management and oversight, data interpretation, training, and HASP development. The contaminants of concern include burn ash, lead, asbestos, PCBs, chlorinated and/or petroleum hydrocarbons.
- Managed multiple environmental assessments and mitigation programs of former

agricultural properties. Many possessed impairment by the historic and legal application of pesticides and/or natural occurrence of arsenic. In all situations, the impairment was managed on-site by controlled burial of the impaired soils, resulting in no need for costly or wasteful removal, transport and treatment/disposal of the same.

- Provided technical support for an underground storage tank (UST) investigation at San Diego International Airport's (Lindbergh Field) tank farm. The project was performed for the local Port Authority and involved the in situ inspection of the interior of numerous fuel tanks throughout the fuel farm. This activity required the use of Level B PPE in confined space environments.
- Provided management of a million-dollar environmental design contract for Naval Public Works Center (PWC), San Diego, California. Services included the development of SPCC Plans, preparation of RCRA Part B permits, performance of cathodic protection evaluations and the design of TSD facilities.
- Planned and managed a multitude of UST investigations for the Department of Defense at MCB Camp Pendleton, North Island NAS and 32nd Street Naval Station, California. The results of each investigation were used to develop remediation specifications for MCON projects planned at each site. The remedial programs were subsequently implemented using fixed or unit-cost pricing structures dependent on the prepared specifications. Remediation technologies applied included controlled aeration, vapor extraction (VES), pump and treat, and dig and dispose. All of the projects were performed either on or under budget.
- Provided operations management of a multi-million dollar fuel recovery/remediation project at the fuel farm at Naval Air Station North Island (NASNI), California. Ground water at the site had been impaired by a 2-3 foot thick layer of fuel hydrocarbon, released from a multitude of concrete USTs on the base. The remediation technology applied to date included pump and treat.
- Provided Delivery Order management of a large-scale asbestos survey project at Naval Amphibious Base, Coronado for Southwest Division NAVFACENGCOM.
- Planned and managed an assessment and remediation project at Fire Fighting Training
  Areas at Pacific Missile Test Center (PMTC) in Point Mugu and CBC Port Hueneme,
  California, for the Western Division NAVFACENGCOM. The remedial programs were
  subsequently implemented using fixed or unit-cost pricing structures dependent on the
  prepared specifications. Remediation technologies applied included VES and dig and
  dispose. Each of the projects was performed under budget.
- Removed and performed an investigation of multiple USTs located on agricultural property owned by the Viejas Indian Reservation. The property is slated for Casino and Resort expansion.
- Performed a UST investigation at several commercial service stations. Determined MTBE impacts to beneficial-use ground water. Data used to initiate a ground water investigation and remediation plans.
- Provided environmental support and waste characterization services for engineering (i.e.,

- clean-out) projects performed within lead-impacted storm water basins throughout San Diego County.
- Provided technical and environmental management support for numerous engineering projects performed within lead-impacted areas along the highways of Orange County.
   Formulated a Lead Management Plan for the engineering/utility contractor providing the construction services for Caltrans.
- Provided environmental compliance support services to supplement an aerospace manufacturing company's environmental department. Products supported include the Hazardous Materials Business Plan, Storm Water Pollution Prevention (SWPP) Plan, Underground Storage Tank (UST) Program, Compliance Audit Program, etc.
- Providing environmental support to the owners of a property involved in litigation over the condemnation of the property by the local municipality acquisition.

#### **ACADEMIC HISTORY**

- University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Massachusetts, B.S., School of Environmental Science and Public Health, 1982
- Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, Massachusetts, Certificate of Risk Analysis in Environmental Health, 1985

#### PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH) No. 3987, American Board of Industrial Hygiene (ABIH), 1988; Recertified 1995, 2001, 2006, 2011, 2015
- Certified Safety Specialist/Executive (CSS/CSE), World Safety Organization (WSO), 1986 (inactive)
- AHERA-Certified Asbestos Inspector-California No. 855, U.S. EPA/UC Berkeley, 1989 (inactive)

#### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

- Certificate in Professional Engineering Practice, ASFE/Institute for Professional Practice, 1990
  - o Program Facilitator, 1991
- Professional "Loss Prevention" Training, ASFE, 1989
- Professional Management Training, Management Action Programs (MAP), 1990
- HazWOpER (29CFR 1910.120) Training, 1982; Trainer, 1986-Present
- Guidelines for the Assessment of Microbiological Contamination, AIHA, 2002

### **PUBLICATIONS**

Fung M.D., F. Y., Young CIH, C. P., Mold-Associated Asthma, IAQ 2001, ASHRAE

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### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION HISTORY

- American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA), Fairfax, VA
- · American Academy of Industrial Hygiene (AAIH), Lansing, MI
- American Lung Association, San Diego and Imperial Counties, CA, Member-Board of Directors, 2002-2006, Board Chair 2006
- · ASFE, Silver Spring, MD
  - o "Loss Prevention Education" Committee (1990-1991)
- American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE)
- · Association for Environmental Health and Sciences (AEHS), Amherst, MA
- American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH), Cincinnati, OH
- Institute for Professional Practice (IPP), Silver Spring, MD
- · Society of American Military Engineers (SAME), San Diego, CA
- · American Indoor Air Quality Council

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# DANIEL A. WEIS, R.E.H.S.

#### PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

#### Current

- C Young Associates (CYA), La Jolla, California, Senior Associate/Technical Advisor, 01/2009-Present
- Weis Environmental, Carlsbad, California, Environmental Manager, 8/2020-Present

### **Previous**

- Advantage Environmental Consultants, San Marcos, California, Branch Manager, 11/2005-8/2020
- Rincon Consultants, Carlsbad, California, Project Manager, 11/2003-11/2005
- Geocon, Inc., San Diego, California, Project Manager, 11/2001-11/2003
- Geosoils, Inc., Carlsbad, California, Field Technician, 11/1999-11/2001

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE SUMMARY

Twenty-one years of experience in the environmental sciences consulting field. Responsibilities include client development and management, project management, technical oversight and quality control for assessment, and remediation and construction oversight services. Clients include, but are not limited to, local government entities, developers (affordable housing and market rate), Federal government entities, law firms, architectural and engineering firms, commercial lending institutions, conservancies, commercial/industrial real estate owners/managers, insurance companies, wireless telecommunication carriers and other real estate developers. Experienced in the completion of assessment, construction and remediation quality assurance during the completion of urban redevelopment/brownfields projects, many of which have been located in downtown areas of San Diego, Los Angeles, Oakland, San Francisco, and other urban communities throughout the State of California.

Completed or managed over 2,500 due diligence related environmental assessments and completed or managed over 500 subsurface environmental investigations of soil gas, soil, groundwater and other media. Investigations have included human health and ecological risk assessments, evaluations of indoor air conditions based on interpretations of subsurface conditions, underground storage tank (UST) evaluation/closure and hazardous waste characterization/management. Subsurface activities performed include the completion of soil borings using various drilling technologies, soil and groundwater sampling, installation and sampling of groundwater monitoring wells, free product evaluations, exploratory trenching and realtime delineation using mobile analytical laboratories and other soil screening technology. Assets evaluated include industrial, commercial, residential, agricultural and vacant land sites throughout the State of California and numerous other states, with many of the assessments completed under the regulatory oversight of local environmental regulatory agencies, the California Regional Water Quality Control Boards (RWQCBs) and the California Environmental Protection Agency Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC). Has also conducted and/or managed hundreds of public/environmental health related assessments including electromagnetic field surveys, radionuclide surveys, indoor air quality investigations, radon surveys, drinking water assessments,

asbestos containing materials (ACM) and lead-based paint (LBP) surveys and mold/microbial evaluations.

Managed over 100 remediation or construction management related projects primarily related to source removal of subsurface contaminants, including but not limited to, petroleum hydrocarbons, chlorinated solvents, heavy metals, organochlorine pesticides and other agricultural related chemicals, dioxins and furans and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs). Has also assisted in cost recovery efforts from private parties and State/Federal funding programs for environmental assessment and remediation work and has served as an expert witness during legal proceedings pertaining to environmental related claims.

### SPECIFIC PROJECT EXPERIENCE (COMPLETED WITH VARIOUS FIRMS)

- 14th and Island, San Diego, California Development of Site Mitigation Plan, contaminated soil management and disposal concurrent with site construction activities at the superblock construction site in downtown San Diego and achievement of regulatory closure with the County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health.
- 2198 Market Street, San Francisco, California Phase I and II Environmental Site Assessments, supplemental subsurface investigation, Site Mitigation Plan development, contaminated soil management and disposal concurrent with site construction activities and negotiation/achievement of regulatory closure with the City of San Francisco Department of Public Health.
- Former EZ Serve, 9305 Mission Gorge Road, Santee, California Closure report preparation and San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board interface and negotiation/achievement of regulatory closure under State of California low-threat policy.
- French Field Former Vista Burn Dump, Oceanside, California Oversight of the capping of a former burn dump/landfill facility and restoration for public use as a sports facility. Negotiation and achievement of regulatory closure with the California Department of Toxic Substances Control with concurrence from the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board and the County of San Diego Local Enforcement Agency.
- Indoor Skydiving Facility, 1401 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, California Development of Soil Management Plan and contaminated soil management and disposal concurrent with site construction activities in downtown San Diego.
- Lemon Grove Avenue Realignment Project, Lemon Grove, California Development of Impacted Soil Management Plan, Community Health and Safety Plan and Worker Health and Safety Plan and oversight of the implementation of such plans during construction activities.
- North Side Interior Road and Utilities Project at San Diego International Airport, San Diego, California - Subsurface assessment, development of Soil Management Plan and Work Health and Safety Plan and implementation and monitoring of soil management strategies.
- Olympic and Hill, Los Angeles, California Removal of multiple underground storage tanks and underlying contaminated soil and achievement of regulatory closure with the City of Los Angeles Fire Department.
- San Ysidro U.S. Land Port of Entry, San Diego, California Subsurface assessment and development and implementation of soil management strategies.

- Tabata Ranch Site, Carlsbad, California Development of Soil Management Plan and Community Health and Safety Plan, completion of soil removal action of petroleum hydrocarbon impacted soil, oversight and management of selective reuse and replacement of pesticide impacted soil and subsequent export of inert soils and achievement of regulatory closure with the County of San Diego Department of Environmental Health. Consent to discharge inert soils at an off-site receiving location was granted by the San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board.
- VA Medical Center Long Beach, 5901 East 7th Street, Long Beach, California VA Long Beach: Seismic Corrections – Mental Health, Community Living Center and Chiller Replacements Project – Asbestos containing materials and lead-based paint surveys and preparation of abatement contractor bid specifications.

#### **EDUCATION**

- Bachelor of Arts University of Delaware, Newark, DE (1995)
- Master of Science Public Health, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA (1998)

### PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATIONS, LICENSES, AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Registered Environmental Health Specialist #8172 in the State of California
- OSHA 40-hour Hazardous Waste Operations Worker and Supervisor Certifications and Annual Refreshers

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Gersberg, R.M., Brown, C., Zambrano, V., Worthington, K., and Weis, D. (2000) Quality of urban runoff in the Tijuana River watershed. In Westerhoff, P. (editors), SCERP Monograph Series (no.2) on Water Issues Along the United States and Mexico Border. : Southwest Center for Environmental Research and Policy, 31-45.
- Weis, D.A., Callaway, J.C., and R.M. Gersberg (2001). Vertical Accretion Rates and Heavy Metal Chronologies in Wetland Sediments of the Tijuana Estuary. Estuaries 24(6A).
- Gersberg, R.M., Pitt, J.L., Weis, D.A., and D.D. Yorkey. Characterizing In-Stream Metal Loading in the Tijuana River Watershed. (2002). National TMDL Science and Policy Conference, Specialty Conference Proceeding on CD Rom, November 13-16, Phoenix, Arizona

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Building Industry Association
- San Diego Environmental Professionals
- San Diego Housing Federation

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