Appendix L
Tribal Cultural Resources
December 13, 2021

Fernandeno Tataviam Band of Mission Indians
Jairo Avila
1019 Second St., Suite 1
San Fernando, CA 91340

Subject: AB 52 Project Notification and Notice to Request to Consult for the Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project, Los Angeles, California

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Figure 1
Proposed Project Location and Zones
Figure 2
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Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indians - Kizh Nation
Andrew Salas
P.O. Box 393
Covina, CA 91723

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SOURCE: Nearmap, 2021; Hargreaves Jones Landscape Architects, 2020; ESA, 2021

Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project

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Proposed Project Location and Zones
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Gabrieleno/Tongva San Gabriel Band of Mission Indians
Anthony Morales
P.O. Box 693
San Gabriel, CA 91778

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Gabrielino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council
Christina Conley
P.O. Box 941078
Simi Valley, CA 93094

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Robert Dorame  
P.O. Box 490  
Bellflower, CA 90707

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Project Site Location
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Gabriellino/Tongva Nation
Sandonne Goad
106 1/2 Judge John Aiso St., #231
Los Angeles, CA 90012

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Gabrielino-Tongva Tribe
Charles Alvarez
23454 Vanowen Street
West Hills, CA 91307

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Source: Nearmap, 2021; Hargreaves Jones Landscape Architects, 2020; ESA, 2021

Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project

Figure 1
Proposed Project Location and Zones
Figure 2
Project Site Location
December 13, 2021

Santa Rosa Band of Cahuilla Indians  
Lovina Redner  
P.O. Box 391820  
Anza, CA 92539  

Subject: AB 52 Project Notification and Notice to Request to Consult for the Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project, Los Angeles, California  

Dear Ms. Redner:

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The proposed Project would be located in the Silver Lake neighborhood of the City of Los Angeles which primarily consists of residential uses with some smaller commercial areas and some existing public access in and around the SLRC that allows park uses. The Project area is bounded by Tesla Avenue on the north, Armstrong Avenue and Silver Lake Boulevard on the east, Van Pelt Place, and Silver Lake Boulevard on the south, and West Silver Lake Drive on the west in the City and County of Los Angeles. The Project would be located within the United States Geological Survey (USGS) Topographic Series, Hollywood California Quadrangle, Section 8, Township 1 South, Range 13 West. (Figures 1 and 2)

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c/o ESA- Nicolle Steiner
626 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1100
Los Angeles, CA 90017

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Sincerely,

Wendy Delgado.
**Figure 1**

Proposed Project Location and Zones

- **Existing LADWP Facility**
- **Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project**

**Proposed Enhancements**
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  - Includes habitat terraces, islands, lookout, shade pavilion, sloped walk to water, promenade, and embankment enhancements
- **THE EUCALYPTUS GROVE**
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  - Includes habitat islands and introducing fish
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  - Includes promenade, embankment enhancements, seating terraces, adult fitness, and overlook
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**Existing Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project**

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December 13, 2021

Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians
Isaiah Vivanco
P.O. Box 487
San Jacinto, CA 92581

Subject: AB 52 Project Notification and Notice to Request to Consult for the Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project, Los Angeles, California

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THE MEADOW
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Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project
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Project Site Location
This list is current only as of the date of this document. Distribution of this list does not relieve any person of statutory responsibility as defined in Section 7050.5 of the Health and Safety Code, Section 5097.94 of the Public Resource Section 5097.98 of the Public Resources Code.

This list is only applicable for contacting local Native Americans with regard to cultural resources assessment for the proposed Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project, Los Angeles County.
November 19, 2021

Sara Dietler  
ESA  

Via Email to: sdietler@esassoc.com

Re: Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project, Los Angeles County

Dear Ms. Dietler:

A record search of the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) Sacred Lands File (SLF) was completed for the information submitted for the above referenced project. The results were positive. Please contact the Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indians – Kizh Nation on the attached list for information. Please note that tribes do not always record their sacred sites in the SLF, nor are they required to do so. A SLF search is not a substitute for consultation with tribes that are traditionally and culturally affiliated with a project’s geographic area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites, such as the appropriate regional California Historical Research Information System (CHRIS) archaeological Information Center for the presence of recorded archaeological sites.

Attached is a list of Native American tribes who may also have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. Please contact all of those listed; if they cannot supply information, they may recommend others with specific knowledge. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call or email to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from tribes, please notify the NAHC. With your assistance, we can assure that our lists contain current information.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at my email address: Andrew.Green@nahc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Andrew Green  
Cultural Resources Analyst

Attachment
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September 19, 2022

Christina Conley, Cultural Resource Administrator
Gabriolino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council
P.O. Box 941078
Simi Valley, CA 93094

ASSEMBLY BILL 52 —CONSULTATION FOR THE PROPOSED SILVER LAKE RESERVOIR COMPLEX MASTER PLAN PROJECT

Pursuant to the provisions of Assembly Bill 52 (AB 52) and PRC § 21080.3.1 (b), as the lead agency under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the City of Los Angeles Bureau of Engineering (BOE) sent a letter formally requesting to consult on the CEQA review of the proposed Silver Lake Reservoir Complex Master Plan Project with the Gabriolino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council on December 13, 2021.

Thank you for your consultation on this project. BOE provided Gabriolino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council with the proposed Tribal Cultural Resources Mitigation Measure (MM-TCR-1) as well as additional historic disturbance information for the Project on July 13, 2022.

This letter is to inform Gabriolino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council that the mitigation measures previously provided have been revised due to continued consultation with other tribes involved. Please see Attachment 1 for the revised mitigation measure (MM-TCR-1).

As we have not received further comments on this information and mitigation measure, this letter is to notify Gabriolino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council that the BOE is formally closing the period of consultation, prior to the release of the Draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR). Project construction is estimated to start in 2025 but may commence at a later date.
We have appreciated your input on this project and look forward to continuing to build upon our relationship with the Gabrielino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council. The Gabrielino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council will receive a Notice of Availability of the Draft EIR in the mail notifying Gabrielino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council of the public review and comment period, public meeting, and reviewing locations.

Sincerely,

Chris Adams

Chris Adams, Environmental Specialist III
Environmental Management Group

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Cc: Wendy Delgado, Bureau of Engineering
    Sara Dietler, ESA

Attachment 1

MM-TCR-1: Native American Monitoring. Prior to the commencement of any ground disturbing activity at the project site, the City shall reach out to retain a Native American Monitor from both the Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indians-Kizh Nation and the Gabrielino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council to provide a Native American monitor. Should neither Tribe be available to monitor during ground disturbance, work may continue but should Tribal Cultural Resources be encountered work will stop and both Tribes will be immediately notified. The Tribal monitors will only be present on-site during the construction phases that involve ground-disturbing activity in areas of quaternary alluvium within the Knoll, and will not be necessary in portions of the Knoll where the Puente Sandstone bedrock formation is present either at depth or at the surface. In addition, any ground disturbance required in the Eucalyptus Grove will be subject to Tribal monitoring. Ground disturbing activities are defined by the Tribe as activities that may include, but are not limited to, pavement removal, potholing, or auguring, grubbing, tree removals, boring, grading, excavation, drilling, and trenching within the areas above. The on-site Tribal monitoring shall end when all ground-disturbing activities within the Knoll and the Eucalyptus Grove are completed, or when
the Tribal representatives and Tribal Monitors have indicated that the project site has little to no potential for impacting Tribal Cultural Resources.

In the event that cultural resources of Native American origin are identified during construction, the City will coordinate with the qualified archaeologist (who meets the Secretary of the Interior’s Professional Qualifications Standards), and both tribes that participated in consultation. If the City, in consultation with the Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indians-Kizh Nation and the Gabrielino Tongva Indians of California Tribal Council, determines that the resource is a Tribal Cultural Resource and thus significant under CEQA, a treatment plan shall be prepared and implemented in accordance with state guidelines and in consultation with the two Native American tribes. The treatment plan may include, but would not be limited to, avoidance, capping in place, excavation and removal of the resource, interpretive displays, sensitive area signage, or other mutually agreed upon measure.
CONFIDENTIAL - AB52 TRIBAL CONSULTATION

September 20, 2022

Andrew Salas, Chairperson
Gabrieleño Band of Mission Indians – Kizh Nation
P.O. Box 393
Covina, CA 91723

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