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Mr. Rob Wood
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Dear Mr. Wood:

SWCA Environmental Consultants has been contracted by Power Engineers to conduct a cultural resources survey for a proposed power plant in Riverside County. The California Energy Commission is overseeing the project and a requirement exists to contact your offices for a Native American contact list and Sacred Lands File Search. I respectfully request these items.

The project area is located in the City of Riverside, east of Interstate 15 on Jurupa Avenue, immediately north of the Riverside Municipal Airport and can be seen on the 7.5 Minute USGS Quadrangle map, Riverside West; Township 2S; Range 5W. See map for exact location.

Thanks in advance for your time. Please let me know if you need anything else.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick O. Maxon". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Patrick Maxon, RPA
Director - Cultural Resources

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RE: Proposed cultural resources survey for a new power plant, City and County of Riverside

Dear Mr. Maxon:

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

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

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

Sincerely,

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Rob Wood

Environmental Specialist III

NATIVE AMERICAN CONTACTS
Riverside County
December 8, 2003

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January 13, 2004

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December 8, 2003

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January 22, 2004

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Re: Proposed Power Plant Development, Riverside Energy Center, Riverside County, California

Mr. Maxon

The Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians appreciates your efforts to include the Agua Caliente Tribal Historic Preservation Office in your project. We have examined your information on the project referenced above and compared this data to information in the Agua Caliente Cultural Register. The Register indicates that the project area is beyond both Agua Caliente Reservation lands and the Traditional Use Area of the Tribe. We would however, appreciate a copy of your report of investigations for permanent inclusion in the Register.

Again, we appreciate your interest in Tribal resources and heritage. If you have questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to call me at 1 760 883-1313 or at e.mail:
jnixon@aguacaliente.net.


Joseph M. Nixon, Ph. D., RPA
Cultural Resource Coordinator
AGUA CALIENTE BAND OF CAHUILLA INDIANS

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C: Tom Davis, Chief Planning Officer
Agua Caliente Register



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January 22, 2004

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Re: Proposed power plant – Riverside Energy Center – western Riverside County

Dear Mr. Maxon:

Even though the proposed project is not located within the boundary of the Augustine Reservation, there is the potential that the development might impact properties of traditional religious and cultural significance to the Augustine Band.

The Augustine Band of Cahuilla Mission Indians is part of the Cahuilla Indians groups who live in south-central California. Historically the Cahuilla occupied most of the area, from the summit of the San Bernardino Mountains in the north to Borrego Springs and the Chocolate Mountains in the south, a portion of the Colorado Desert west of Orocopia Mountain to the east, and the San Jacinto Plain near Riverside and the eastern slopes of Palomar Mountain to the west.

Although we might not be aware of any Native American resources or sacred sites located at or near the project at this moment, the Tribe recommends that other tribes in the vicinity be contacted and that there should be a Native American Monitor on site during the ground breaking activities. In addition, the Tribe reserves the right to be notified of any potential discovery and requests that the follow-up of any finding on the site be submitted to the Tribe for further actions.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Karen Kupcha", is written over a faint, illegible typed name.

Karen Kupcha
Tribal Administrator