

APPENDIX 5.3A

Agency Consultation Letters

MARIPOSA ENERGY FACILITY CONSULTATION RECORD TO LOCAL HISTORICAL SOCIETIES		
HISTORICAL SOCIETY / ORGANIZATION	Date	Comments Summary
East Contra Costa Historical Society and Museum 3890 Sellers Ave. Brentwood, California 94513 925-625-3553	4/10/09	Sent inquiry via email with map of project area. No response. Emailed Ann Wolfe, researcher (awolfe@scu.edu)
Tracy Historical Museum 1141 Adam Street Tracy, CA 95376 209-832-1106 209-835-6662	4/10/09	Sent inquiry via email with map of project area. Responded that they would TAGSCA@sbcglobal.net
Alameda County Historical Society PMB 307 484 Lake Park Avenue Oakland, CA 94610-2730 510-531-7352	4/10/09	Sent inquiry via email with map of project area. Responded that the Amador Livermore Valley Historical Society would be more helpful. info@AlamedaCountyHistory.org
Amador Livermore Valley Historical Society 603 Main Street Pleasanton, CA 94566	4/28/09	info@museummain.org info@museumonmain.org



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January 30, 2009

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Subject: DGC Kelso Combustion Turbine Project Literature Search

Dear Leigh,

CH2M HILL is assisting Diamond Generation Corporation (DGC) with the preparation of an Application for Certification (AFC) before the California Energy Commission (CEC) for a new power plant to be located in east Alameda County, California. The project will be located near the Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E) Kelso Substation, on privately-held land immediately south of the PG&E Kelso Substation/Byron Natural Gas Compressor Station facility. Please see the enclosed study area map (T2S R3E Section 1), Clifton Court Forebay 7.5 Minute USGS quadrangle).

We request you conduct a standard Records Search for the facility by performing the following tasks (within/inside the dashed line). ***Please note that per CEC requirements, I am requesting full copies of DPR forms within the literature search area as well as previous technical reports that occur partly or wholly within ¼ mile of the project.***

- Check NRHP and CRHP listings (if any NRHP or CRHP properties are present – provide copies of all pertinent inventory/nomination/registration forms).
- Check “determined eligible” listings for the NRHP or CRHP; provide copies of pertinent forms as appropriate.
- Check all other state and local listings for the presence of historic buildings, structures, landmarks, points of historical interest, or other cultural resources; provide copies of pertinent forms/documents as appropriate (HPDF records).
- Check for presence of known/recorded archaeological sites (historic and/or prehistoric); provide copies of inventory forms/Primary Record Forms as appropriate.
- Provide a bibliography of all reports, surveys, excavations, inventories, studies, etc., within the 1-mile boundary CHRIS search area marked on the attached quadrangle map. Provide a copy of all reports, surveys, excavations, inventories, studies, etc. within the boundary CHRIS search area marked on the attached quadrangle map.
- Annotate and return the map showing locations of known/recorded/registered cultural resource sites (archaeological sites, NRHP or CRHP historic properties, etc.) and mapped polygons for previously conducted surveys, inventories, and other studies.

Due to schedule constraints, we request that you conduct this search on an **expedited** priority basis.

SPECIAL NOTE: Upon completion of the Records Search, please use our Federal Express Account number #1035-3920-0 to ship the search results to me at the address listed below. If possible, please also note on the airbill form, CH2M HILL Project Number 382914.AP.DR.CR. If you have any questions, please call me at 714-435-6140 or 949-500-2496.

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Sincerely,

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Clint J. Helton, M.A., RPA

Enclosures: Project Location Map



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May 14, 2009

Mr. Dave Singleton
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Subject: DGC Kelso Combustion Turbine Project Literature Search

Dear Mr. Singleton,

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We would appreciate your checking the Sacred Lands Files to see if there are any culturally sensitive areas within the immediate project vicinity. We would also like to receive a list of Native American individuals or organizations interested in consulting on the project since we will attempt to contact local Indian groups to solicit their written input/concerns about the project.

Thanks again for your cooperation and assistance. We look forward to your earliest possible reply. If you have any questions, please call me at 714-435-6140.

Sincerely,

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Clint J. Helton, M.A., RPA
Project Scientist

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Re: Proposed DGC Kelso Combustion Turbine project, Alameda County.

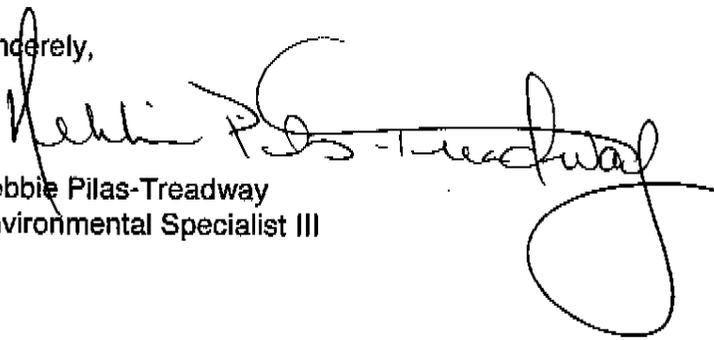
Dear Mr. Helton:

A record search of the sacred land 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. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe or group. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any of these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-4038.

Sincerely,


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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 Resources Code and Section 5097.98 of the Public Resources Code.

This list is only applicable for contacting local Native Americans with regard to cultural resources for the proposed DGC Kelso Combustion Turbine project, Alameda County.