# Chapter 8 **Organizations and Persons Consulted**

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Note: All of the below entities were either notified or contacted directly to ask for or directly receive consultation on their applicable area of expertise in respect to this proposed project. This may not be an all-inclusive list.

# **Federal Agencies**

- U.S. Bureau of Land Management
- U.S. Department of Agriculture/Natural Resources Conservation Service
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency—Region IX
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

### **State Agencies**

California Air Resources Board

California Highway Patrol

Department of Conservation

Department of Parks and Recreation

Department of Water Resources

Department of Fish and Wildlife

Department of Forestry and Fire Protection

Department of Health Services

Integrated Waste Management Board

Native American Heritage Commission

Office of Historic Preservation

**Public Utilities Commission** 

Department of Transportation Division of Aeronautics

Department of Transportation Districts 06 and 09

Department of Toxic Substances Control

Regional Water Quality Control Board / Central Valley Region

State Clearinghouse Office of Planning and Research

# **Regional and Local**

California Native Plant Society

Kern County Department of Agriculture

Kern County Public Works Department

Kern County Parks and Recreation

Kern County Planning and Natural Resources Department

Kern County Sheriff Department

Kern County Superintendent of Schools

General Shafter School District

El Tejon School District

Kern County Water Agency

Kern Council of Governments

Pacific Gas & Electric Company

San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District

Southern San Joaquin Valley Information Center

Southern California Gas Company

Southern California Edison

#### **Native American Consultation**

Tejon Indian Tribe

In accordance with Senate Bill (SB) 18 and the California Tribal Consultation guidelines, the appropriate native groups were consulted with respect to the project's potential impacts on Native American places, features, and objects. As of the writing of this report, Staff has not received any comments from consulted tribes in regards to the department's SB 18 request. Staff notes consultation with appropriate Native American groups per SB 18 requirements has occurred.