



Santiago Basin Saddle Repair Project

Appendix E

AB52 Tribal Consultation

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From: Woodside, Greg <gwoodside@ocwd.com>
Sent: Friday, December 28, 2018 4:58 PM
To: gttribalcouncil@aol.com
Subject: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project
Attachments: San Gabriel AB52 Consultation Letter Santiago Basins Saddle Repair.pdf

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Thank you

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Executive Director of Planning and Natural Resources



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December 28, 2018

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San Gabriel Band of Mission Indians
PO Box 693
San Gabriel, CA 91778

by email to: GTTribalcouncil@aol.com

Subject: Assembly Bill 52 Consultation for the Santiago Basins Saddle Repair Project, City of Orange, California

Dear Chairperson Morales:

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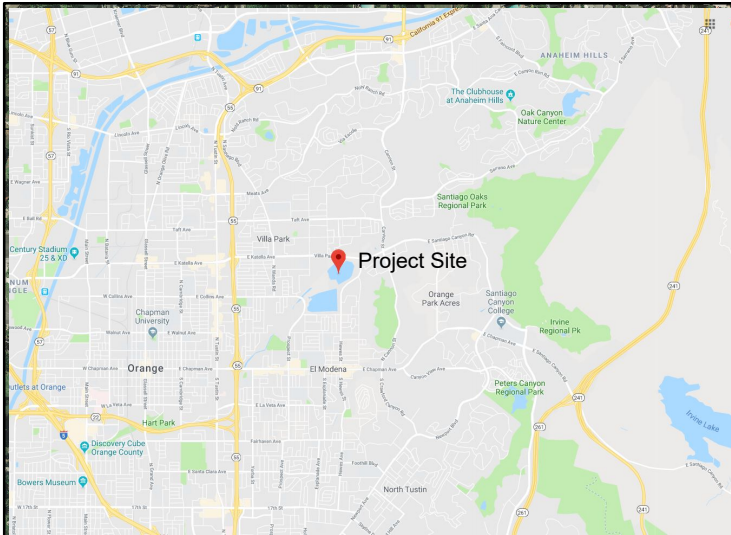
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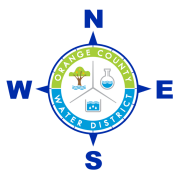
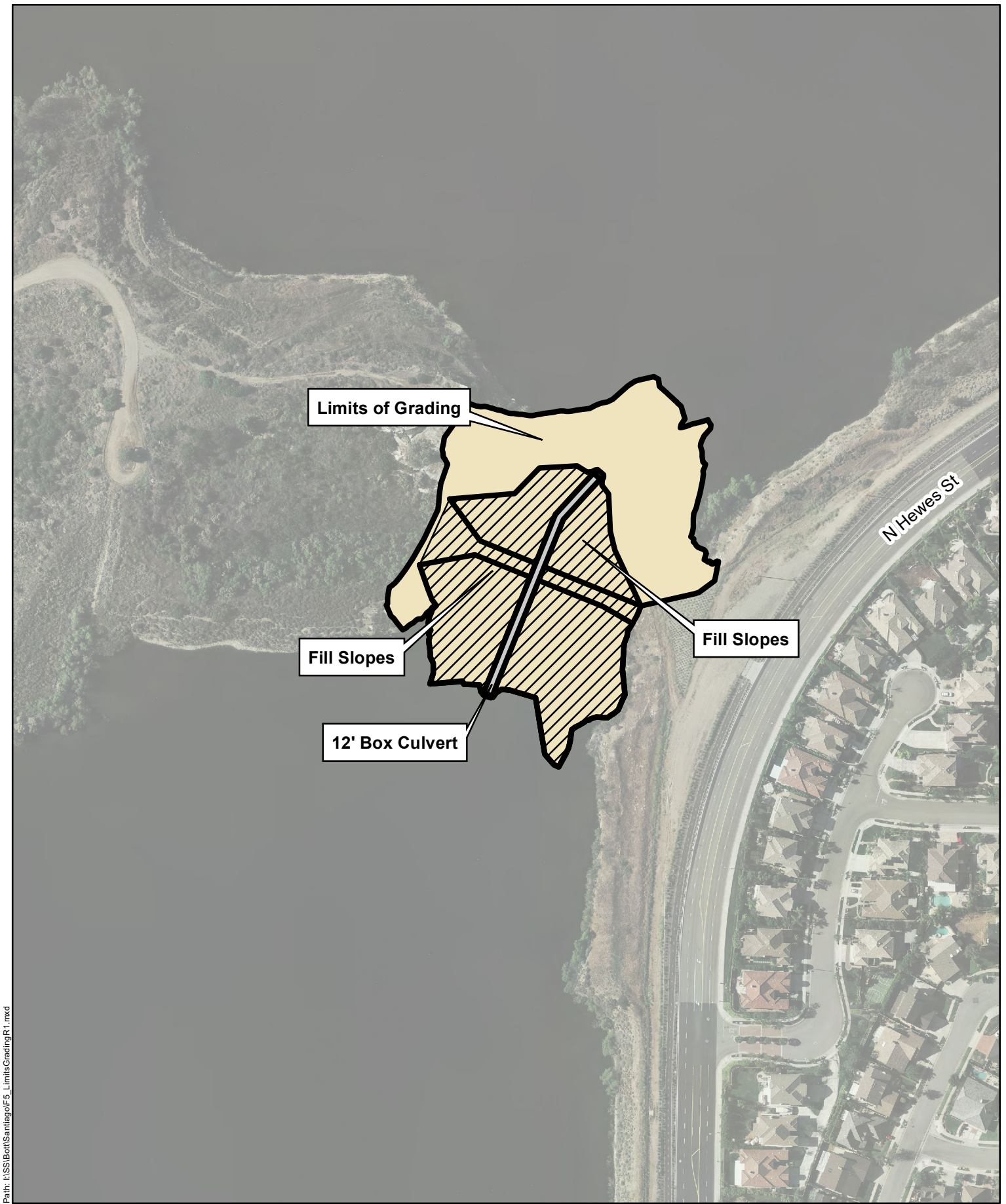
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Limits of Grading**

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Sent: Friday, December 28, 2018 4:56 PM
To: kaamalam@gmail.com
Subject: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project
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Joyce Stanfield Perry, Tribal Manager
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4955 Paseo Segovia
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by email to: kaamalam@gmail.com

Subject: Assembly Bill 52 Consultation for the Santiago Basins Saddle Repair Project, City of Orange, California

Dear Tribal Manager Stanfield Perry:

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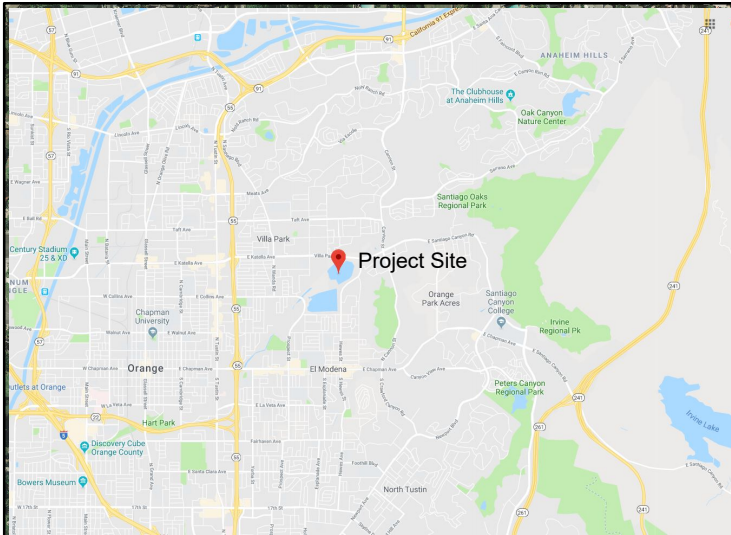
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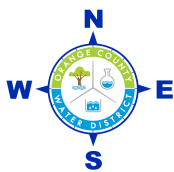
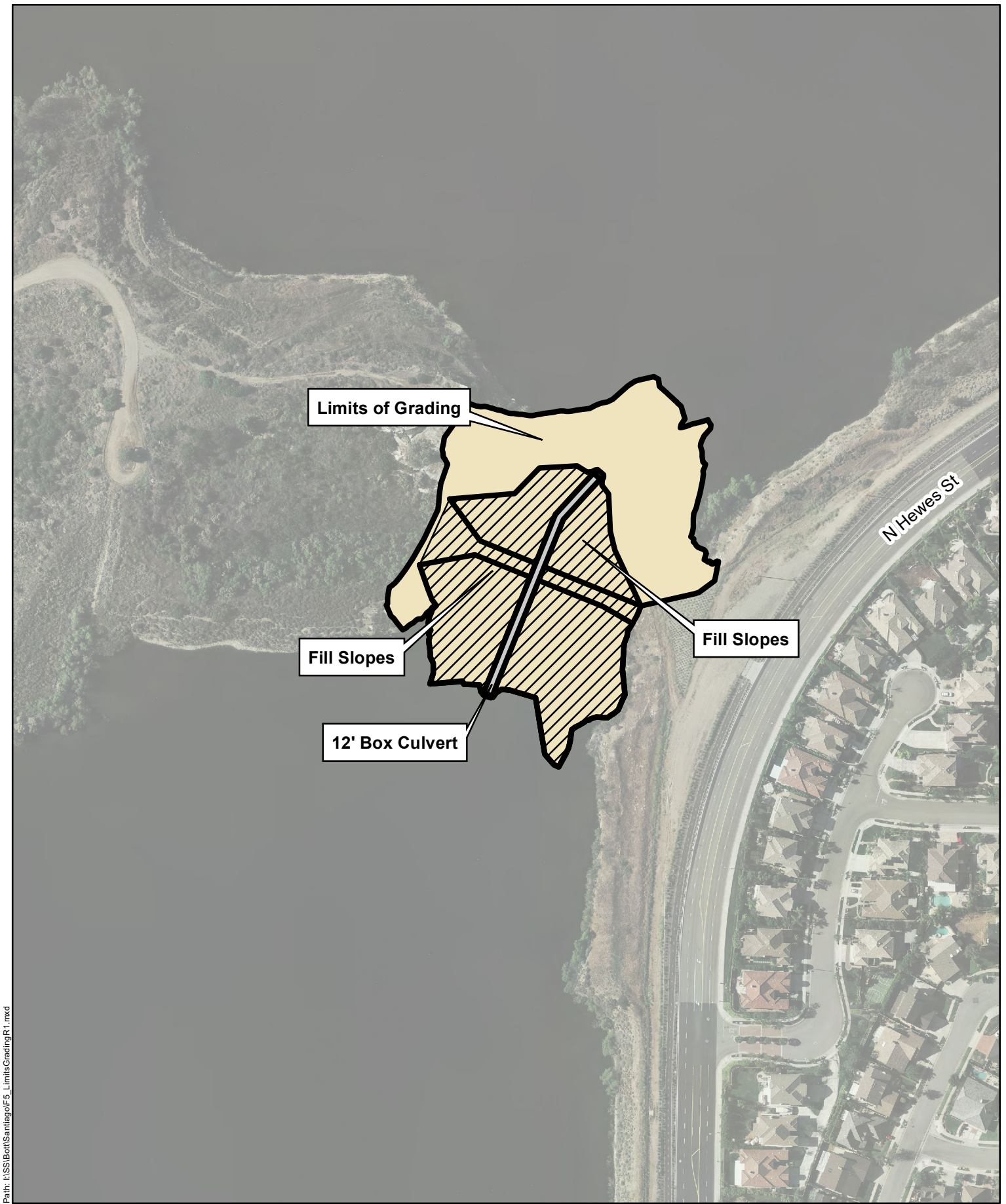
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From: [Nevill, Shawn](#)
To: [Joyce Perry](#)
Cc: [Christine Saunders](#); [Woodside, Greg](#)
Subject: RE: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project
Date: Thursday, February 21, 2019 1:59:00 PM
Attachments: [image003.png](#)
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Hi Joyce,

On behalf of Greg Woodside, I am following up on the previous consultation efforts regarding the Orange County Water District Santiago Basins Saddle Repair project. As indicated in the emails below and per your request, you were provided with the Cultural Resources Assessment report for the project site by email on January 17, 2019. Since that date, OCWD has not received any further communication from the Tribe.

As we are preparing to finalize the CEQA document, we want to be sure we afford every opportunity to conclude the consultation in a timely manner and ensure that we receive any comments that the Tribe may have regarding the presence of Tribal Cultural Resources within the Project site. Accordingly, please reply at your earliest convenience if you wish to continue the consultation effort.

In any case, we look forward to our continued relationship with the Juaneño Band on this project and others that will follow. Please feel free to contact me at any time with any questions or comments that you have.

Regards,
Shawn

Shawn Nevill
Principal Planner



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From: Woodside, Greg
Sent: Friday, February 15, 2019 4:55 PM
To: Joyce Perry <kaamalam@gmail.com>
Cc: Nevill, Shawn <sneville@ocwd.com>; Christine Saunders <csaunders@sagecrest.us>
Subject: RE: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project

Hi Joyce,

I wanted to check in on this project (Santiago Basins Saddle Repair).

We are nearing the end of the preparation of the draft CEQA document.

I sent a copy of the Cultural Resources Report (in email below) and wanted to see if you had any comments or questions.

We are planning to release the draft CEQA document for public comment in about two weeks.

Thank you.

Greg

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From: Woodside, Greg <gwoodside@ocwd.com>

Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 3:06 PM

To: Joyce Perry <kaamalam@gmail.com>

Subject: RE: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project

Hi Joyce,

In relation to the email below, a copy of the non-confidential Cultural Resources Report is attached.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss further, please let me know.

Thank you.

Greg

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From: Woodside, Greg <gwoodside@ocwd.com>

Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 2:23 PM

To: Joyce Perry <kaamalam@gmail.com>

Subject: RE: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project

Hi Joyce,

Thank you for your email below.

We need to compile a non-confidential version of the Cultural Resources Report and I will send that to you.

(if you would like to review the confidential version, I think the way to do that is for me come to your office with a hard copy; or you could come read it in our office here).

I will be on vacation January 18-25; back on January 28.

Hopefully I can email the non-confidential version to you today.

Greg

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From: Joyce Perry <kaamalam@gmail.com>

Sent: Tuesday, January 15, 2019 12:35 PM

To: Woodside, Greg <gwoodside@ocwd.com>

Subject: Re: AB 52 consultation for OCWD project

Good Afternoon Greg,

We would like to continue consultation regarding the Santiago Basins Saddle Repair Project in the City of Orange. We ask to review the Cultural Resource Study, an Information Center Records search and literature review through the South Center Coast Information Center (SCCIC) and NAHC Sacred Lands Files search. Once we received this information we will be able to provide a recommendation. Thank You.

Húu'uni 'óomaqati yáamaqati.

Teach peace

Joyce Stanfield Perry

Payomkawichum Kaamalam - President

Juaneño Band of Mission Indians, Acjachemen Nation

Tribal Manager, Cultural Resource Director

On Fri, Dec 28, 2018 at 4:56 PM Woodside, Greg <gwoodside@ocwd.com> wrote:

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Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indians-Kizh Nation
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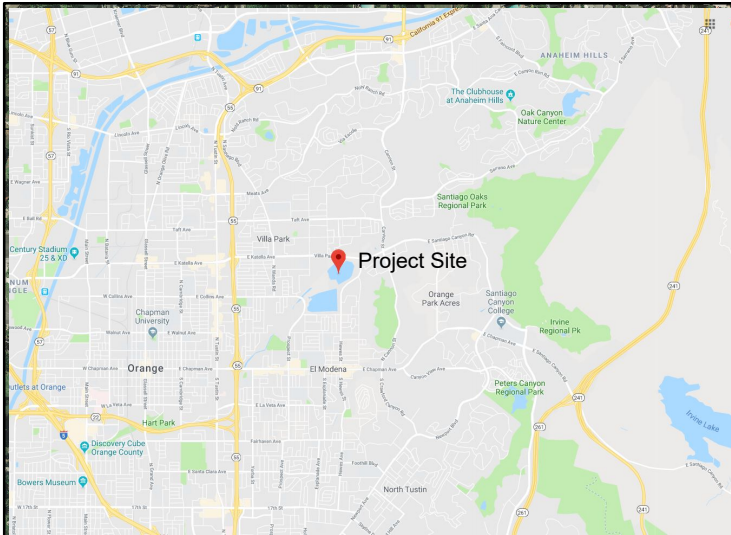
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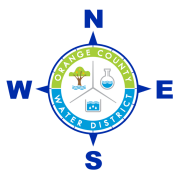
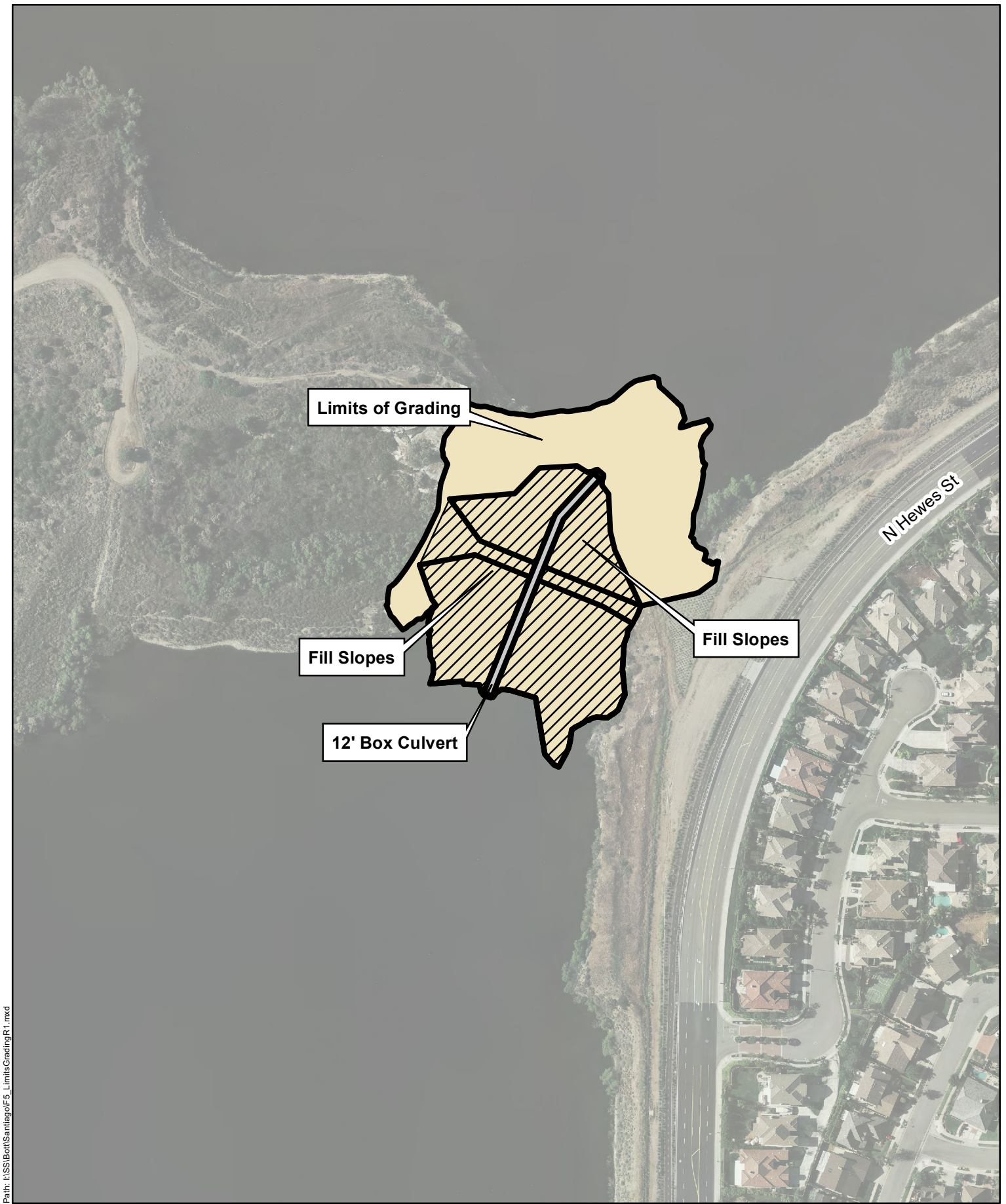
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GABRIELEÑO BAND OF MISSION INDIANS - KIZH NATION

Historically known as The San Gabriel Band of Mission Indians / Gabrielino Tribal Council
recognized by the State of California as the aboriginal tribe of the Los Angeles basin

City of Orange
18700 Ward Street
Fountain Valley, CA 92708

January 17, 2019

Re: AB52 Consultation request for the Santiago Basins Saddle Repair Project, City of Orange, CA

Dear Greg Woodside,

Please find this letter as a written request for consultation regarding the above-mentioned project pursuant to Public Resources Code § 21080.3.1, subd. (d). Your project lies within our ancestral tribal territory, meaning belonging to or inherited from, which is a higher degree of kinship than traditional or cultural affiliation. Your project is located within a sensitive area and may cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of our tribal cultural resources. Most often, a records search for our tribal cultural resources will result in a "no records found" for the project area. The Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC), ethnographers, historians, and professional archaeologists can only provide limited information that has been previously documented about California Native Tribes. For this reason, the NAHC will always refer the lead agency to the respective Native American Tribe of the area. The NAHC is only aware of general information and are not the experts on each California Tribe. Our Elder Committee & tribal historians are the experts for our Tribe and can provide a more complete history (both written and oral) regarding the location of historic villages, trade routes, cemeteries and sacred/religious sites in the project area.

Additionally, CEQA now defines Tribal Cultural Resources (TCRs) as their own independent element separate from archaeological resources. Environmental documents shall now address a separate Tribal Cultural Resource section which includes a thorough analysis of the impacts to only Tribal Cultural Resources (TCRs) and includes independent mitigation measures created with Tribal input during AB-52 consultations. As a result, all mitigation measures, conditions of approval and agreements regarding TCRs (i.e. prehistoric resources) shall be handled solely with the Tribal Government and not through an Environmental/Archaeological firm.

In effort to avoid adverse effects to our tribal cultural resources, we would like to consult with you and your staff to provide you with a more complete understanding of the prehistoric use(s) of the project area and the potential risks for causing a substantial adverse change to the significance of our tribal cultural resources.

Consultation appointments are available on Wednesdays and Thursdays at our offices at 910 N. Citrus Ave. Covina, CA 91722 or over the phone. Please call toll free 1-844-390-0787 or email admin@gabrielenoindians.org to schedule an appointment.

*** Prior to the first consultation with our Tribe, we ask all those individuals participating in the consultation to view a video produced and provided by CalEPA and the NAHC for sensitivity and understanding of AB52. You can view their videos at: <http://calepa.ca.gov/Tribal/Training/> or <http://nahc.ca.gov/2015/12/ab-52-tribal-training/>*

With Respect,

Andrew Salas, Chairman

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