PALA TRIBAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE



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Dave Jones County of Riverside 4080 Lemon St. Riverside, CA 92501

Re: AB-52 Consultation: PPT190011

Dear Ms. Jones:

The Pala Band of Mission Indians Tribal Historic Preservation Office has received your notification of the project referenced above. This letter constitutes our response on behalf of Robert Smith, Tribal Chairman.

We have consulted our maps and determined that the project as described is not within the boundaries of the recognized Pala Indian Reservation. Even though it is within the boundaries of the territory that the tribe considers its Traditional Use Area (TUA) or it is situated in close proximity to the Reservation and information generated would likely be useful in better understanding regional culture and history, we decline AB-52 consultation at this time However, we do not waive our right to request consultation under other applicable laws in the future.

We appreciate involvement with your initiative and look forward to working with you. If you have questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Alexis Wallick by telephone at 760-891-3537 or by e-mail at awallick@palatribe.com.

Sincerely,

Shasta C. Gaughen, PhD

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer

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