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Re: Record search results for the proposed project at 1601 State Highway 20 at APN 002-120-025 and 1301 Wescott Road at APN 002-011-004, Colusa, CA.

Dear Mr. Amar Cheema:

Per your request received by our office on October 7, 2019, a records search was conducted for the above referenced project by reviewing pertinent Northwest Information Center (NWIC) base maps that reference cultural resources records and reports, historic-period maps, and literature for Colusa County. Please note that use of the term cultural resources includes both archaeological resources and historical buildings and/or structures.

Review of this information indicates that there have been one cultural resource study that covers approximately 5% of the APN 002-011-004 project area and approximately 15% of the APN 002-120-025 project area (Machado 2016: S-49309). These project areas contain no recorded archaeological resources. The State Office of Historic Preservation Historic Property Directory (OHP HPD) (which includes listings of the California Register of Historical Resources, California State Historical Landmarks, California State Points of Historical Interest, and the National Register of Historic Places) lists no recorded buildings or structures within or adjacent to either of the proposed project areas. In addition to these inventories, the NWIC base maps show no recorded buildings or structures within the proposed project areas.

At the time of Euroamerican contact the Native Americans that lived in the area were speakers of the River Patwin language, part of the South Wintuan language family (Johnson 1978:354). There is one Native American resource in or adjacent to the proposed project areas referenced in the ethnographic literature [the village of Koru (Barrett 1908 and Kroeber 1932)].

Based on an evaluation of the environmental setting and features associated with known sites, Native American resources in this part of Colusa County have been found in areas near intermittent and perennial watercourses, near hill to valley interfaces, and near ecotones. The APN 002-120-025 and APN 002-011-004 project areas are located on alluvial valley lands approximately 0.8 miles west of Sacramento River. In addition, historic maps indicate the project areas were located adjacent to an unnamed creek. Given the similarity of one or more of these environmental factors and the ethnographic sensitivity of the area, there is a moderately high potential for unrecorded Native American resources in the proposed APN 002-120-025 and APN 002-011-004 project areas.

Review of historical literature and maps indicated the possibility of historic-period activity within both of the project areas. The 1907 Colusa USGS 15-minute topographic quadrangle depicts one building within or immediately adjacent to the project at APN 002-011-004, and a portion of a raceway within APN 002-120-025. With this in mind, there is a moderately high potential for unrecorded historic-period archaeological resources in both of the proposed project areas.

The 1949 (photorevised 1973) Colusa USGS 7.5-minute topographic quadrangle depicts two buildings or structures within each of the project areas. These unrecorded buildings or structures meet the Office of Historic Preservation's minimum age standard that buildings, structures, and objects 45 years or older may be of historical value.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1) There is a moderately high potential of identifying Native American archaeological resources and a moderately high potential of identifying historic-period archaeological resources in the project areas. We recommend a qualified archaeologist conduct further archival and field study in the unsurveyed areas to identify cultural resources. Field study may include, but is not limited to, pedestrian survey, hand auger sampling, shovel test units, or geoarchaeological analyses as well as other common methods used to identify the presence of archaeological resources. Please refer to the list of consultants who meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>.

2) We recommend the lead agency contact the local Native American tribe(s) regarding traditional, cultural, and religious heritage values. For a complete listing of tribes in the vicinity of the project, please contact the Native American Heritage Commission at 916/373-3710.

3) The proposed project areas may contain two unrecorded buildings or structures; therefore, prior to commencement of project activities, if these structures are still standing, it is recommended that these resources be assessed by a professional familiar with the architecture and history of Colusa County. Please refer to the list of consultants who meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>.

4) Review for possible historic-period buildings or structures has included only those sources listed in the attached bibliography and should not be considered comprehensive.

5) If archaeological resources are encountered **during construction**, work should be temporarily halted in the vicinity of the discovered materials and workers should avoid altering the materials and their context until a qualified professional archaeologist has evaluated the situation and provided appropriate recommendations. Project personnel should not collect cultural resources. Native American resources include chert or obsidian flakes, projectile points, mortars, and pestles; and dark friable soil containing shell and bone dietary debris, heat-affected rock, or human burials. Historic-period resources include stone or adobe foundations or walls; structures and remains with square nails; and refuse deposits or bottle dumps, often located in old wells or privies.

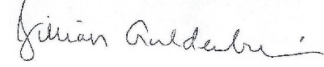
6) It is recommended that any identified cultural resources be recorded on DPR 523 historic resource recordation forms, available online from the Office of Historic Preservation's website: [http://ohp.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page\\_id=1069](http://ohp.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page_id=1069)

Due to processing delays and other factors, not all of the historical resource reports and resource records that have been submitted to the Office of Historic Preservation are available via this records search. Additional information may be available through the federal, state, and local agencies that produced or paid for historical resource management work in the search area. Additionally, Native American tribes have historical resource information not in the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) Inventory, and you should contact the California Native American Heritage Commission for information on local/regional tribal contacts.

The California Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) contracts with the California Historical Resources Information System's (CHRIS) regional Information Centers (ICs) to maintain information in the CHRIS inventory and make it available to local, state, and federal agencies, cultural resource professionals, Native American tribes, researchers, and the public. Recommendations made by IC coordinators or their staff regarding the interpretation and application of this information are advisory only. Such recommendations do not necessarily represent the evaluation or opinion of the State Historic Preservation Officer in carrying out the OHP's regulatory authority under federal and state law.

Thank you for using our services. Please contact this office if you have any questions, (707) 588-8455.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jillian Guldenbrein".

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Researcher

## LITERATURE REVIEWED

In addition to archaeological maps and site records on file at the Northwest Information Center of the Historical Resources Information System, the following literature was reviewed:

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Woodbridge, Sally B.

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\*\*Note that the Office of Historic Preservation's *Historic Properties Directory* includes National Register, State Registered Landmarks, California Points of Historical Interest, and the California Register of Historical Resources as well as Certified Local Government surveys that have undergone Section 106 review.