

November 19, 2020

Sites Project Authority Attn: Kevin Spesert, External Affairs Manager P.O. Box 517 Maxwell, CA 95955

RE: Sites Reservoir Project YD-04142017-03

Dear Mr. Spesert:

Thank you for your project notification dated, November 13, 2020, regarding cultural information on or near the proposed Sites Reservoir Project, Yolo County. We appreciate your effort to contact us and wish to respond.

The Cultural Resources Department has reviewed the project and concluded that it is within the aboriginal territories of the Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation. Therefore, we have a cultural interest and authority in the proposed project area.

Based on the information provided, the Tribe has concerns that the project could impact unknown cultural resources. Additionally, Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation requests a site visit to the project area to evaluate our cultural concerns.

Please contact the following individual to coordinate a date and time for the site visit.

Laverne Bill, Cultural Resources Manager Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation Office: (530) 723-3891

Email: lbill@yochadehe-nsn.gov

Please refer to identification number YD – 04142017-03 in any correspondence concerning this project.

Thank you for providing us with this notice and the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

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Tribal Historic Preservation Officer