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Curt Aikens
 Yuba County Water Agency
 1220 F Street
 Marysville, CA 95901

Subject: Our House Dam Road for the Log Cabin and Our House Diversion Dams Sediment Management Plan Implementation on Yuba County Water Agency's Yuba River Development Project in Yuba, Sierra and Nevada Counties (FERC No. 2246-079)

Dear Curt Aikens,

Thank you for providing additional information regarding the above referenced project. The United Auburn Indian Community (UAIC) of the Auburn Rancheria is comprised of Miwok and Southern Maidu (Nisenan) people whose tribal lands are within Placer County and whose service area includes El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sutter, and Yuba counties. The UAIC is concerned about development within its aboriginal territory that has potential to impact the lifeways, cultural sites, and landscapes that may be of sacred or ceremonial significance. We appreciate the opportunity to comment on this and other projects in your jurisdiction.

We are currently reviewing the information provided by your agency in order to ascertain whether the project could affect cultural resources that may be of importance to the UAIC. Please continue to send us copies of the proposed project's environmental documents so that we have the opportunity to comment on potential impacts and proposed mitigation measures related to cultural resources. The information gathered will provide us with a better understanding of the project and the cultural resources on site and is invaluable for consultation purposes. Finally, please contact us if you find any Native American cultural resources in, or around, your project area.

Thank you again for taking these matters into consideration, and for involving the UAIC in the planning process. We look forward to reviewing the additional documents requested. Please contact Marcos Guerrero, Cultural Resources Manager, at (530) 883-2364 or email at mguerrero@auburnrancheria.com if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gene Whitehouse,
 Chairman

CC: Marcos Guerrero, CRM



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