

October 10, 2016

Geneva Kraus U.S. Army Corps of Engineers 1325 J Street Sacramento, CA 95814-2922

RE: Ulatis Creek Arundo Control and Restoration Project

Dear Ms. Kraus:

Thank you for your project notification letter dated September 2, 2016 regarding cultural information on or near the proposed Ulatis Creek Arundo Control and Restoration Project, Solano County, CA. 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 undiscovered archaeological deposits. 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.

Mr. James Sarmento Cultural Resources Manager Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation

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Please refer to identification number YD – 06162016-02 in any correspondence concerning this project.

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

Sincerely,

James Kinter

Tribal Secretary

Tribal Historic Preservation Officer