

**APPENDIX J – NHPA SECTION 106 CORRESPONDENCE**

---

STATE OF CALIFORNIAArnold Schwarzenegger, Governor**NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION**

915 CAPITOL MALL, ROOM 364  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814  
(916) 653-4082  
Fax (916) 657-5390  
Web Site [www.nahc.ca.gov](http://www.nahc.ca.gov)



February 20, 2008

Tracey E. Bishop  
Water Resources Engineer  
El Dorado County Water Agency  
3932 Ponderosa Road, Suite 200  
Shingle Springs, CA 95682

Sent by Fax: 530-672-6721  
Number of Pages: 2

Re: Proposed PL 101-514CVP Water Service Contract, Sacramento and El Dorado Counties.

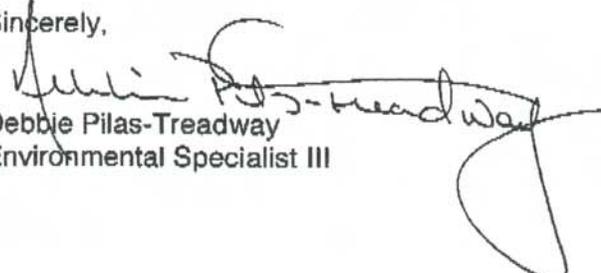
Dear Ms. Bishop:

A record search of the sacred land file has failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area. The absence of specific site information in the sacred lands file does not indicate the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites.

Enclosed is a list of Native Americans individuals/organizations who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. The Commission makes no recommendation or preference of a single individual, or group over another. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. I suggest you contact all of those indicated, if they cannot supply information, they might recommend others with specific knowledge. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe or group. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any of these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-4038.

Sincerely,

  
Debbie Pilas-Treadway  
Environmental Specialist III



## El Dorado County Water Agency

Helen K. Baumann  
Board of Supervisors

Bob Diekon  
Georgetown Divide P.U.D.

Norma Santiago  
Board of Supervisors

James R. "Jack" Sweeney  
Board of Supervisors

Jim Jones  
South Tahoe P.U.D.

William T. Hetland, P.E.  
General Manager

January 2, 2008

Ms. Debbie Pilas-Treadway  
Native American Heritage Commission  
915 Capitol Mall, # 364  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Sacred Lands Database Search/ Interested Parties List  
P.L 101-514 CVP Water Service Contract

Dear Ms. Pilas-Treadway:

The El Dorado County Water Agency is conducting a cultural resources study for Proposed USBR Contractor Service Areas in El Dorado County as depicted on the enclosed map.

We respectfully request that you search your Sacred Lands database and let us know if there are any such lands identified within the Proposed Contractor Service Areas. We are also seeking comments from Native American representatives, and would greatly appreciate you sending us a list of all potentially interested Native Americans or representatives for the Proposed Contractor Service Areas.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please call Tracey Eden-Bishop at 530-621-7668 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

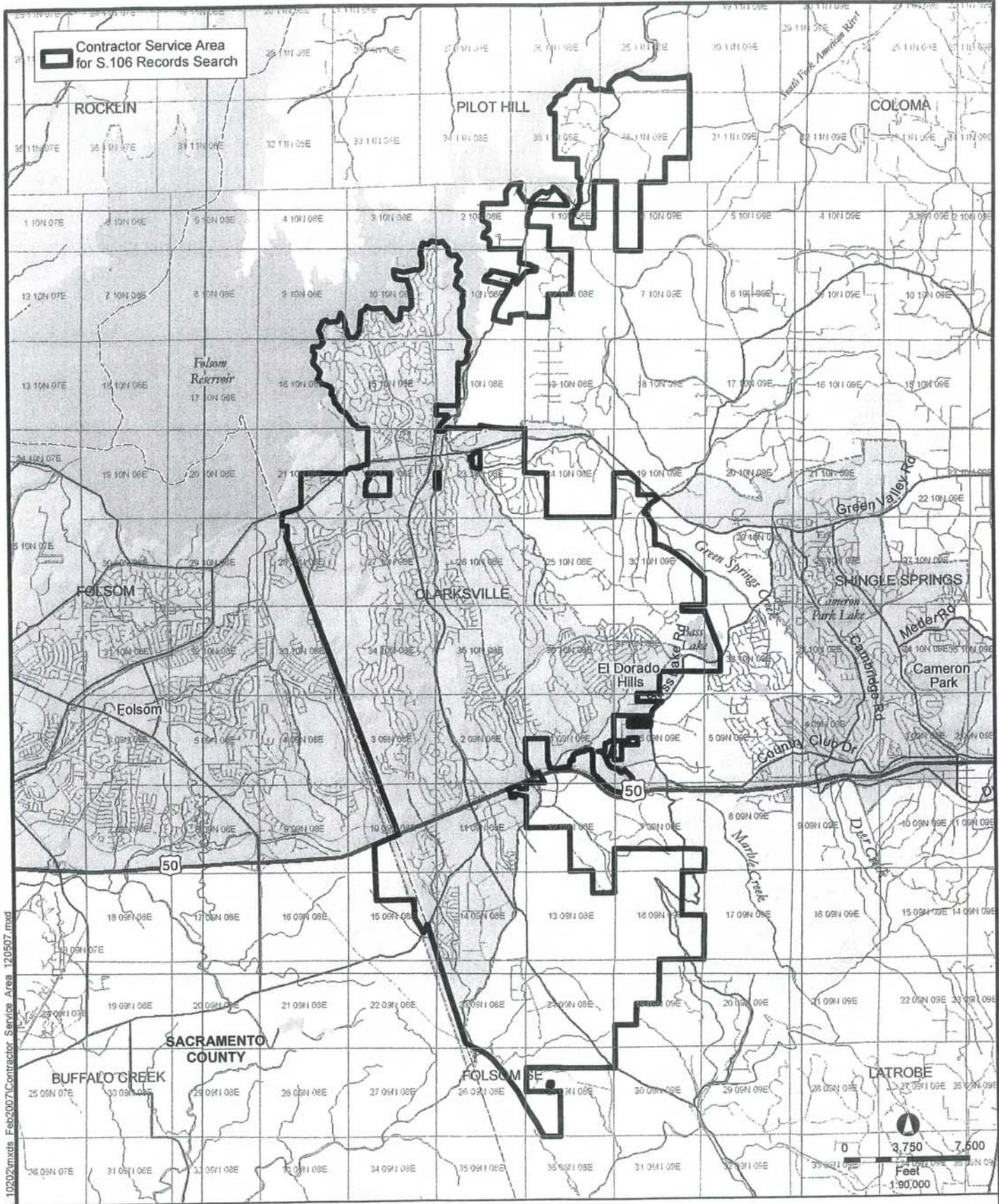
William T. Hetland, P.E.  
General Manager

WTH:TEB:kg

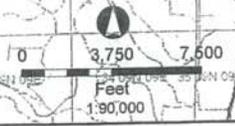
Enc: Project Area Map

Cc: Brian Deason, USBR  
Pat Welch, USBR  
Dan Corcoran, EID  
Trish Fernandez, EID  
Robert Shibilitani, PBS&J

 Contractor Service Area for S.106 Records Search



N:\GIS\Projects\EDCWA\_10202.mxd Feb2007\Contractor Service Area 120507.mxd



**P.L. 101-514 New CVP Water Service Contract - Contractor Service Area for S.106 Records Search**

D40202.00

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor

## NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION

915 CAPITOL MALL, ROOM 384  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814  
(916) 653-4082  
Fax (916) 657-5390  
Web Site www.nahc.ca.gov



January 10, 2008

William T. Hetland  
El Dorado County Water Agency  
3932 Ponderosa Road, Suite 200  
Shingle Springs, CA 95682

Sent by Fax: 530-672-6721

Number of Pages: 2

**RE: Proposed PL 101-514 CVP Water Service Contract, El Dorado County**

Dear Mr. Hetland:

A record search of the sacred land file has failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area. The absence of specific site information in the sacred lands file does not indicate the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites.

Enclosed is a list of Native Americans individuals/organizations who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. The Commission makes no recommendation or preference of a single individual, or group over another. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. I suggest you contact all of those indicated, if they cannot supply information, they might recommend others with specific knowledge. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe or group. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any of these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-4038.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Debbie Rilas-Treadway".

Debbie Rilas-Treadway  
Environmental Specialist III

Received by fax on:

1/11/08

**Native American Contacts**  
 El Dorado County  
 January 9, 2008

El Dorado County Indian Council  
 P.O. Box 564  
 El Dorado , CA 95623  
 (530) 647-0423

Miwok  
 Maidu

United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria  
 Jessica Tavares, Chairperson  
 10720 Indian Hill Road  
 Auburn , CA 95603  
 530-883-2390  
 530-883-2380 - Fax

Maidu  
 Miwok

Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians  
 Jeff Murray, Cultural Resources Manager  
 P.O. Box 1340  
 Shingle Springs , CA 95682  
 jmurray@ssband.org  
 (530) 676-8010  
 (530) 676-8033 Fax

Miwok  
 Maidu

United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn  
 Tribal Preservation Committee  
 10720 Indian Hill Road  
 Auburn , CA 95603  
 530-883-2390  
 530-883-2380 - Fax

Maidu  
 Miwok

Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians  
 Nicholas Fonseca, Chairperson  
 P.O. Box 1340  
 Shingle Springs , CA 95682  
 nfonseca@ssband.org  
 (530) 676-8010  
 (530) 676-8033 Fax

Miwok  
 Maidu

Todd Valley Miwok-Maidu Cultural Foundation  
 Christopher Suehead, Cultural Representative  
 PO Box 1490  
 Foresthill , CA 95631  
 tvmmcf@foothill.net  
 (530) 367-3893 - Voice / Fax

Miwok  
 Maidu

This list is current only as of the date of this document.

Distribution of this list does not relieve any person of statutory responsibility as defined in Section 7050.5 of the Health and Safety Code, Section 5097.94 of the Public Resources Code and Section 5097.98 of the Public Resources Code.

This list is only applicable for contacting local Native Americans with regard to cultural resources for the proposed PL 101-514 CVP Water Service Contract, El Dorado County.



## El Dorado County Water Agency

Helen K. Baumann  
*Board of Supervisors*

John P. Fraser  
*El Dorado Irrigation District*

Norma Santiago  
*Board of Supervisors*

James R. "Jack" Sweeney  
*Board of Supervisors*

James R. Jones  
*South Tahoe P.U.D.*

William T. Hetland, P.E.  
*General Manager*

February 7, 2008

See attached recipient list

Re: Request for Information regarding Cultural Resources

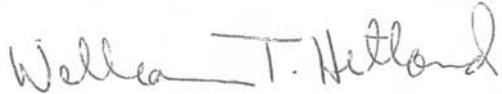
Dear Sirs or Madam:

The El Dorado County Water Agency is conducting a cultural resources study for P.L. 101-514 CVP Water Service Contract. The project area is located on the Pilot Hill, Clarksville and Folsom S.E. 7.5 minute USGS topographical quadrangles and is within Township 9 North, Range 8 East, Township 9 North 9, Range 9 East, Township 10 North, Range 8 East, Township 10 North, Range 9 East, Township 11 North, Range 8 East and Township 11 North, 9 East (see attached map).

As indicated in the attached letter from the Native American Heritage Commission, a records search has been completed and indicates that there are no Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area within their sacred lands file. Additional facilities are not required to execute this new water service contract, and therefore, pedestrian surveys are not planned at this time. However, to the extent that additional facilities would be required to ultimately deliver contract water to individual water purveyors within El Dorado County, potential environmental impacts of any such facilities would be examined under separate, project specific environmental documents in the future.

If you know of any specific cultural resources or issues of historical or Native American concern that may be affected by this proposed project, please notify me at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please call Tracey Eden-Bishop at 530-621-7668 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



William T. Hetland, P.E.  
General Manager

WTH:TEB:kg

Enc: Project Area Map  
Native American Heritage Commission letter

Cc : Brian Deason, USBR  
Pat Welch, USBR  
Dan Corcoran, EID  
Trish Fernandez, EID  
Robert Shibilitani, PBS&J  
Patricia Rivera, USBR  
Debbie Pilas-Treadway, NAHC

Request for Information regarding Cultural Resources  
February 7, 2008  
Recipient List

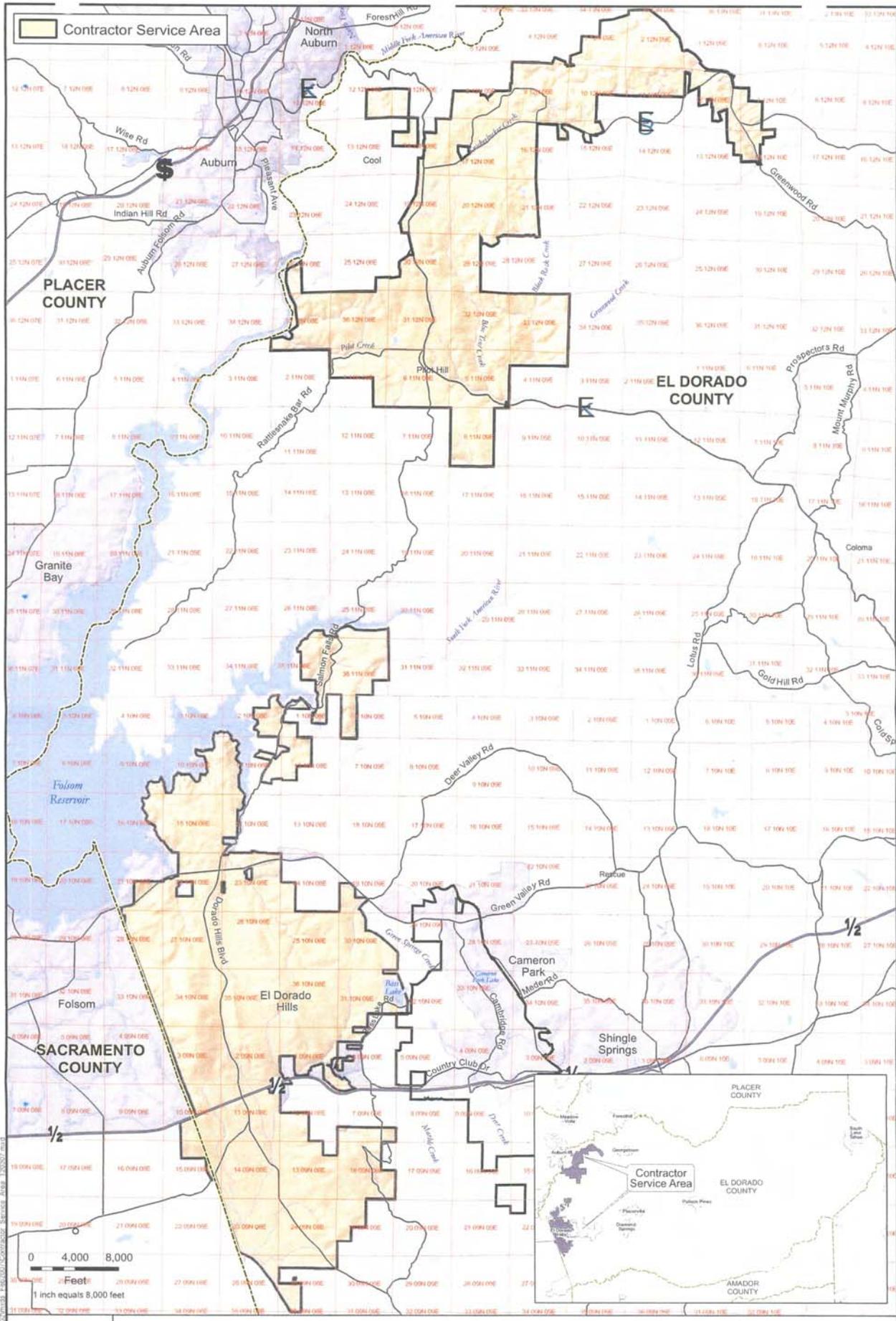
El Dorado County Indian Council  
P.O. Box 564  
El Dorado, CA 95623

Jeff Murray, Cultural Resources Manager  
Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians  
P.O. Box 1340  
Shingle Springs, CA 95682

Christopher Suehead, Cultural Representative  
Todd Valley Miwok-Maidu Cultural Foundation  
P.O. Box 1490  
Foresthill, CA 95631

Jessica Tavares, Chairperson  
United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria  
10720 Indian Hill Road  
Auburn, CA 95603

Tribal Preservation Committee  
United Auburn Indian community of the Auburn Rancheria  
10720 Indian Hill Rd  
Auburn, CA 95603



**P.L. 101-514 New CVP Water Service Contract  
Contract Service Area - for S.106 Records Search**



D50202.00

M:\GIS\Projects\ELC\101-514\Contract\_Serv\_Area\_120007.mxd



Debbie Pilas-Treadway  
<dpt\_nahc@pacbell.net>  
02/14/2008 02:26 PM

To tracey.eden-bishop@edcgov.us  
cc  
bcc

Subject Re: PL 101-514CVPWATER Service Contract

History: This message has been replied to.

It seems like I will never feel better ever again, but I still have hope : )

Sorry about not getting back to you.

We can do this via email. I need the quad map names, township, range and sections for the new area.

On Feb 14, 2008, at 2:09 PM, [tracey.eden-bishop@edcgov.us](mailto:tracey.eden-bishop@edcgov.us) wrote:

Debbie,

Just following up on this email since I haven't heard back from you.

Hope you are feeling better,

Tracey Eden-Bishop, P.E.  
Water Resources Engineer  
El Dorado County Water Agency  
3932 Ponderosa Road, Suite 200  
Shingle Springs, CA 95682  
530-621-7668  
[tracey.eden-bishop@edcgov.us](mailto:tracey.eden-bishop@edcgov.us)

----- Forwarded by Tracey Eden-Bishop/PV/EDC on 02/14/2008 02:06 PM -----

Tracey Eden-Bishop/PV/EDC

To [dpt\\_nahc@pacbell.net](mailto:dpt_nahc@pacbell.net)

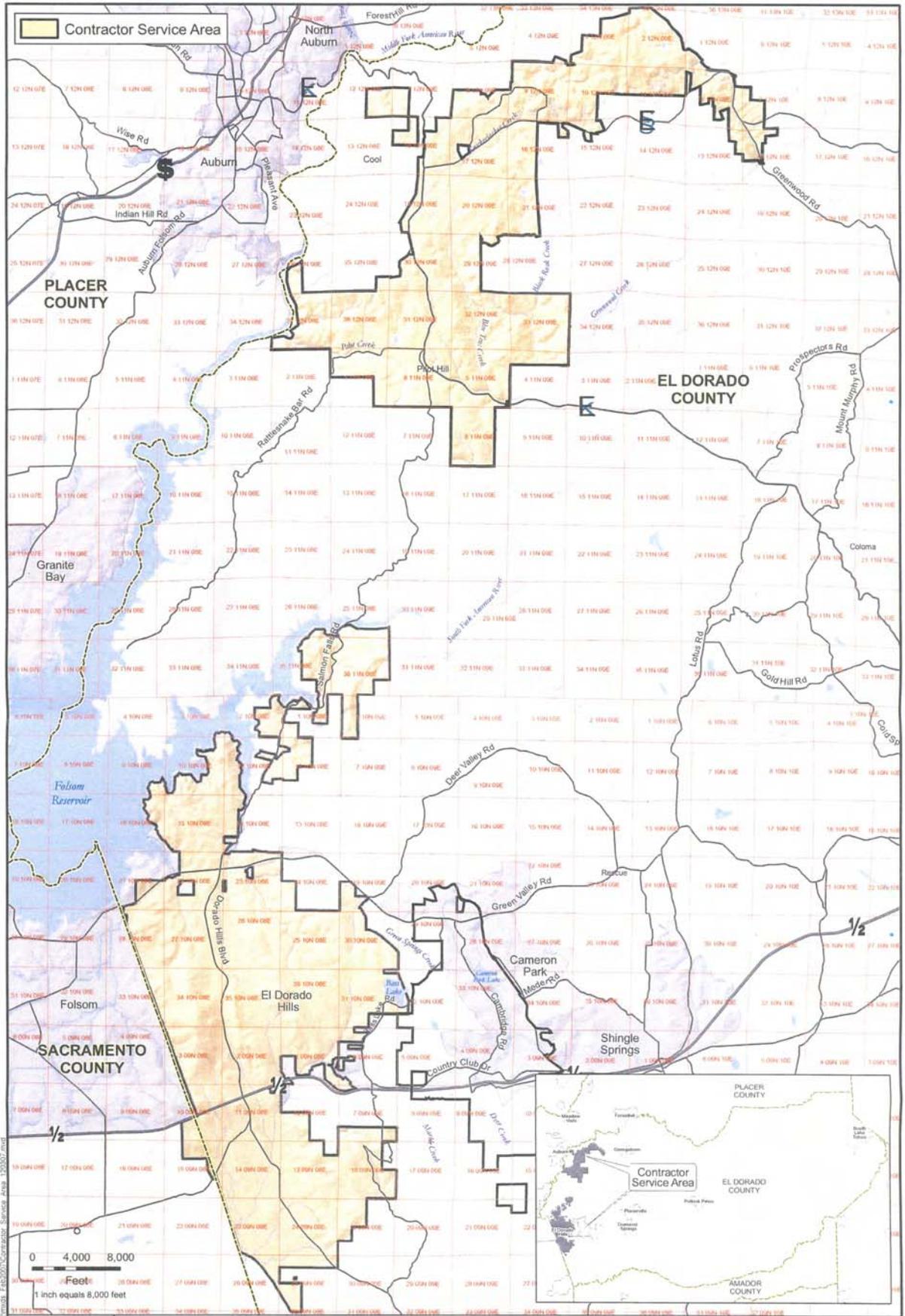
cc

02/07/2008 11:04 AM

Subject PL 101-514CVPWATER Service Contract

Debbie,

As you may recall you got a Sacred Lands Database Search request from us (January 2, 2008) which you have responded to (January 10, 2008). Unfortunately we sent you an incomplete map with that request. I have attached the correct map to this email. It includes area north of the South Fork of the American River which was not included in the original map. My question is do we need to submit another letter with the new map or can we do this via email.



\NGIS\GIS\2011\ECOM\_1000\mxd\Contractor\_Service\_Area\_120307.mxd



**P.L. 101-514 New CVP Water Service Contract  
Contract Service Area - for S.106 Records Search**

D50202.00

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor

**NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION**

915 CAPITOL MALL, ROOM 364  
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814  
(916) 653-4082  
Fax (916) 657-5390  
Web Site [www.nahc.ca.gov](http://www.nahc.ca.gov)



February 20, 2008

Tracey E. Bishop  
Water Resources Engineer  
El Dorado County Water Agency  
3932 Ponderosa Road, Suite 200  
Shingle Springs, CA 95682

Sent by Fax: 530-672-6721  
Number of Pages: 2

Re: Proposed PL 101-514CVP Water Service Contract, Sacramento and El Dorado Counties.

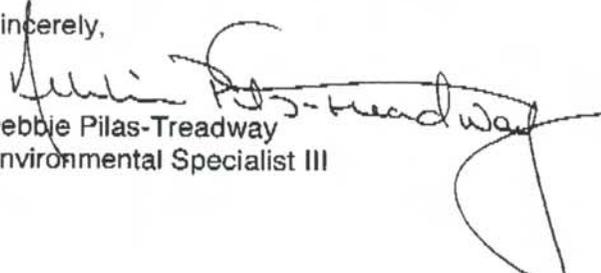
Dear Ms. Bishop:

A record search of the sacred land file has failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area. The absence of specific site information in the sacred lands file does not indicate the absence of cultural resources in any project area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites.

Enclosed is a list of Native Americans individuals/organizations who may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. The Commission makes no recommendation or preference of a single individual, or group over another. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. I suggest you contact all of those indicated, if they cannot supply information, they might recommend others with specific knowledge. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe or group. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from any of these individuals or groups, please notify me. With your assistance we are able to assure that our lists contain current information. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (916) 653-4038.

Sincerely,

  
Debbie Pilas-Treadway  
Environmental Specialist III

**Native American Contacts**  
**Sacramento & El Dorado Counties**  
**February 20, 2008**

Rose Enos  
 15310 Bancroft Road  
 Auburn, CA 95603  
 (530) 878-2378

Maidu  
 Washoe

Kenneth Council  
 4209 V Street  
 Sacramento, CA 95817  
 mrken@sonic.net  
 916-457-7144 - Home  
 916-213-3934 - cell

Miwok  
 Maidu

El Dorado County Indian Council  
 P.O. Box 564  
 El Dorado, CA 95623  
 (530) 647-0423

Miwok  
 Maidu

Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians  
 Jeff Murray, Cultural Resources Manager  
 P.O. Box 1340  
 Shingle Springs, CA 95682  
 jmurray@ssband.org  
 (530) 676-8010  
 (530) 676-8033 Fax

Miwok  
 Maidu

Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians  
 Nicholas Fonseca, Chairperson  
 P.O. Box 1340  
 Shingle Springs, CA 95682  
 nfonseca@ssband.org  
 (530) 676-8010  
 (530) 676-8033 Fax

Miwok  
 Maidu

Todd Valley Miwok-Maidu Cultural Foundation  
 Christopher Suehead, Cultural Representative  
 PO Box 1490  
 Foresthill, CA 95631  
 tvmmcf@foothill.net  
 (530) 367-3893 - Voice / Fax

Miwok  
 Maidu

United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria  
 Jessica Tavares, Chairperson  
 10720 Indian Hill Road  
 Auburn, CA 95603  
 530-883-2390  
 530-883-2380 - Fax

Maidu  
 Miwok

United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn  
 Tribal Preservation Committee  
 10720 Indian Hill Road  
 Auburn, CA 95603  
 530-883-2390  
 530-883-2380 - Fax

Maidu  
 Miwok

This list is current only as of the date of this document.

Distribution of this list does not relieve any person of statutory responsibility as defined in Section 7050.5 of the Health and Safety Code, Section 5097.94 of the Public Resources Code and Section 5097.98 of the Public Resources Code.

This list is only applicable for contacting local Native Americans with regard to cultural resources for the proposed PL 101-514CVP Water Service Contract, Sacramento and El Dorado Counties.



## El Dorado County Water Agency

Helen K. Baumann  
*Board of Supervisors*

John P. Fraser  
*El Dorado Irrigation District*

Norma Santiago  
*Board of Supervisors*

James R. "Jack" Sweeney  
*Board of Supervisors*

James R. Jones  
*South Tahoe P.U.D.*

William T. Hetland, P.E.  
*General Manager*

February 25, 2008

Rose Enos  
15310 Bancroft Road  
Auburn, CA 95603

Kenneth Council  
4209 V Street  
Sacramento, CA 95817

Re: Request for Information regarding Cultural Resources

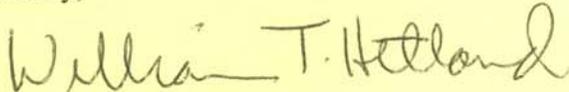
Dear Sir and Madam:

The El Dorado County Water Agency is conducting a cultural resources study for P.L. 101-514 CVP Water Service Contract. The project area is located on the Pilot Hill, Clarksville and Folsom S.E. 7.5 minute USGS topographical quadrangles and is within Township 9 North, Range 8 East, Township 9 North 9, Range 9 East, Township 10 North, Range 8 East, Township 10 North, Range 9 East, Township 11 North, Range 8 East and Township 11 North, 9 East (see attached map).

As indicated in the attached letter from the Native American Heritage Commission, a records search has been completed and indicates that there are no Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area within their sacred lands file. Additional facilities are not required to execute this new water service contract, and therefore, pedestrian surveys are not planned at this time. However, to the extent that additional facilities would be required to ultimately deliver contract water to individual water purveyors within El Dorado County, potential environmental impacts of any such facilities would be examined under separate, project specific environmental documents in the future.

If you know of any specific cultural resources or issues of historical or Native American concern that may be affected by this proposed project, please notify me at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please call Tracey Eden-Bishop at 530-621-7668 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



William T. Hetland, P.E.  
General Manager

WTH:TEB:kg

Enc: Project Area Map  
Native American Heritage Commission letter

Cc : Brian Deason, USBR  
Pat Welch, USBR  
Dan Corcoran, EID  
Trish Fernandez, EID  
Robert Shibilitani, PBS&J  
Patricia Rivera, USBR  
Debbie Pilas-Treadway, NAHC

(Please note that, for the parties copied, the Native American Heritage Commission letter and the Project Area Map are not included with this letter as they were previously sent on February 7, 2008.)

Request for Information regarding Cultural Resources  
Updated February 25, 2008 from February 7, 2008  
Recipient List

El Dorado County Indian Council  
P.O. Box 564  
El Dorado, CA 95623

Jeff Murray, Cultural Resources Manager  
Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians  
P.O. Box 1340  
Shingle Springs, CA 95682

Christopher Suehead, Cultural Representative  
Todd Valley Miwok-Maidu Cultural Foundation  
P.O. Box 1490  
Foresthill, CA 95631

Jessica Tavares, Chairperson  
United Auburn Indian Community of the Auburn Rancheria  
10720 Indian Hill Road  
Auburn, CA 95603

Tribal Preservation Committee  
United Auburn Indian community of the Auburn Rancheria  
10720 Indian Hill Rd  
Auburn, CA 95603

Rose Enos  
15310 Bancroft Road  
Auburn, CA 95603

Kenneth Council  
4209 V Street  
Sacramento, Ca 95817