### **APPENDIX E**

AB 52 Correspondence



June 16, 2022

Mr. Andrew Salas, Chairperson Gabrieleño Band of Mission Indians – Kizh Nation P.O. Box 393 Covina, CA 91723

Subject: Notice of Proposed Project Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.3.1 (Assembly Bill [AB]

52) Consultation for the Anita Street Lift Station Project, Laguna Beach, California

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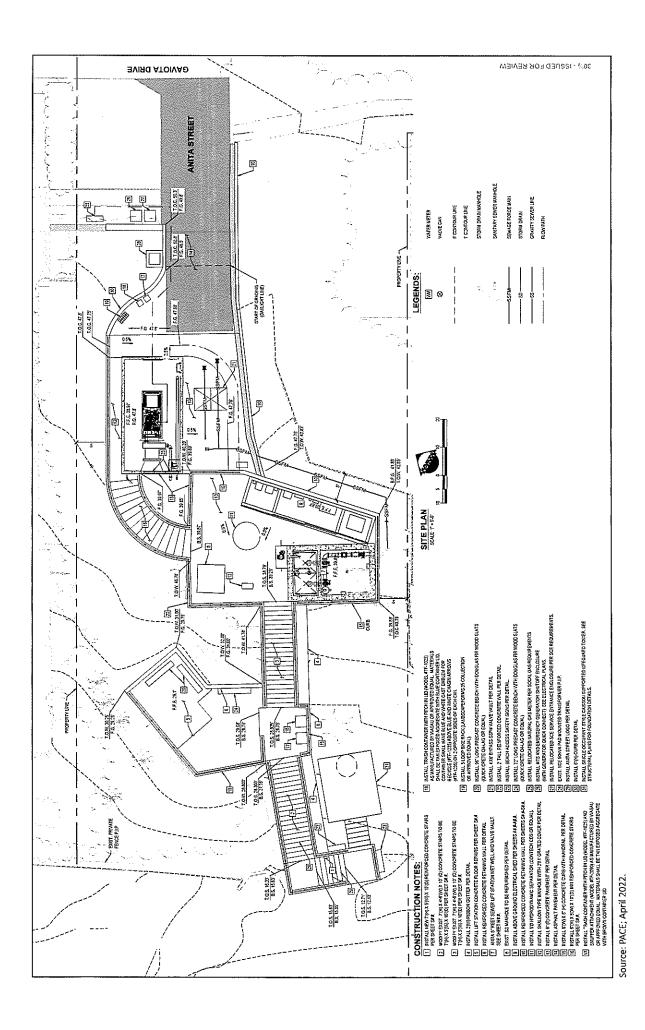
### Figure 1

## Local Vicinity

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Source: City of Laguna Beach, Aerial Photograph; 2008.



ANITA STREET WET WELL AND COASTAL ACCESSWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT Preliminary Site Plan





Source: ESRI, USGS and the City of Laguna Beach; June 2022.



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**USGS Topographic Map** 



June 16, 2022

Chief Anthony Morales San Gabriel Band of Mission Indians P.O. Box 693 San Gabriel, CA 91778

Subject: Notice of Proposed Project Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.3.1 (Assembly Bill [AB]

52) Consultation for the Anita Street Lift Station Project, Laguna Beach, California

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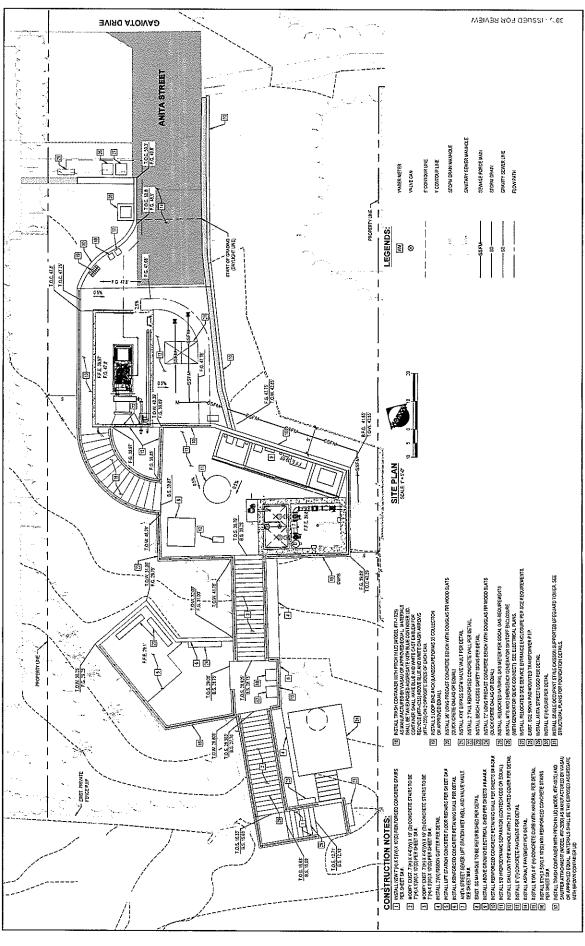
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Local Vicinity





Source: PACE; April 2022.



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June 16, 2022

Mr. Joseph Ontiveros, Cultural Resource Director Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians P.O. Box 487 San Jacinto, CA 92581

Subject: Notice of Proposed Project Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.3.1 (Assembly Bill [AB]

52) Consultation for the Anita Street Lift Station Project, Laguna Beach, California

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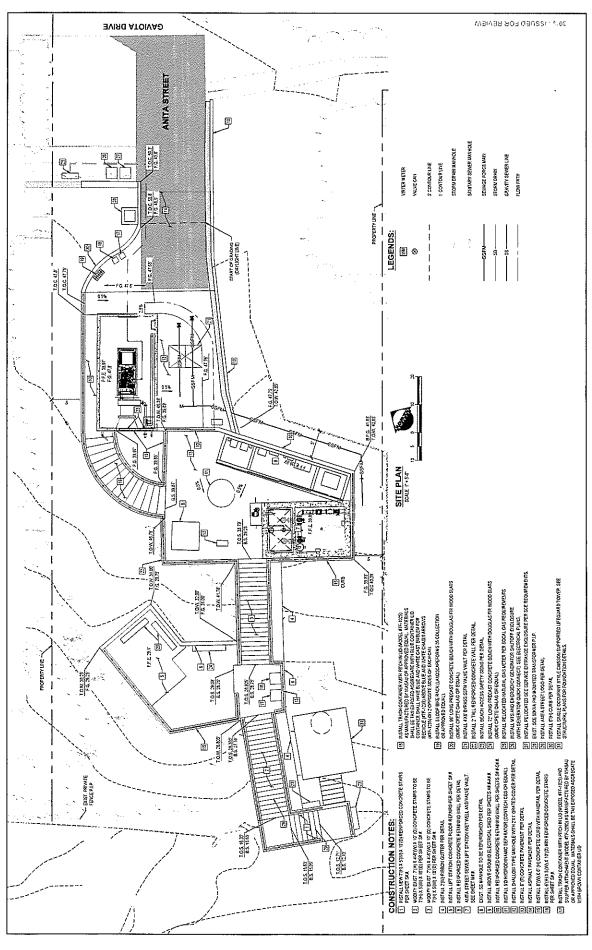
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June 16, 2022

Ms. Joyce Stanfield Perry, Tribal Manager Juaneno Band of Mission Indians 4955 Paseo Segovia Irvine, CA 92603

Subject: Notice of Proposed Project Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.3.1 (Assembly Bill [AB]

52) Consultation for the Anita Street Lift Station Project, Laguna Beach, California

Dear Ms. Perry:

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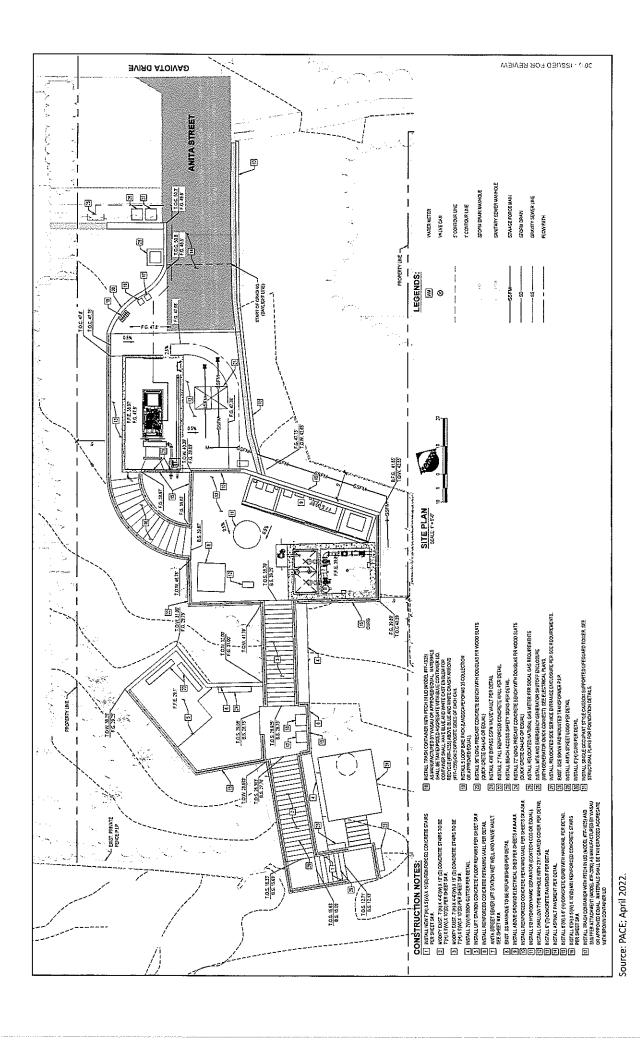
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June 16, 2022

Ms. Linda Candelaria Gabrielino-Tongva Tribe 80839 Camino Santa Juliana Indio, CA 92203

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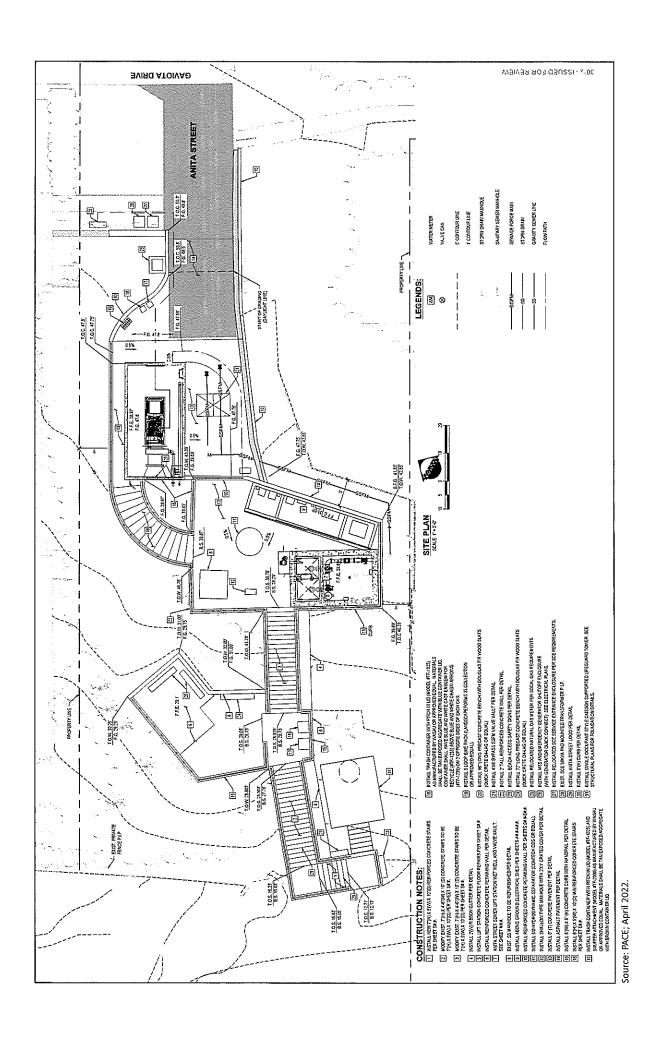
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California Cultural Resource Preservation Alliance, Inc.
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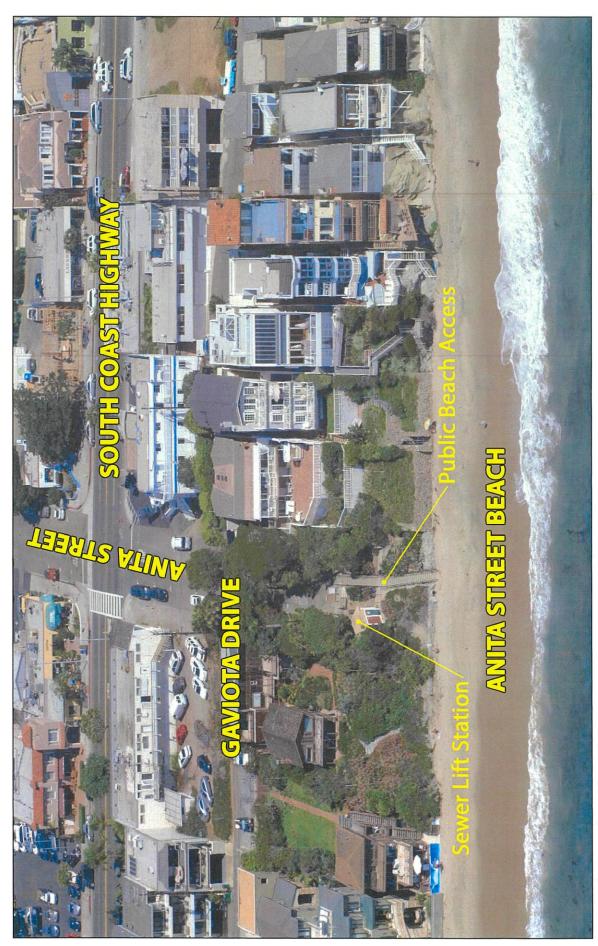
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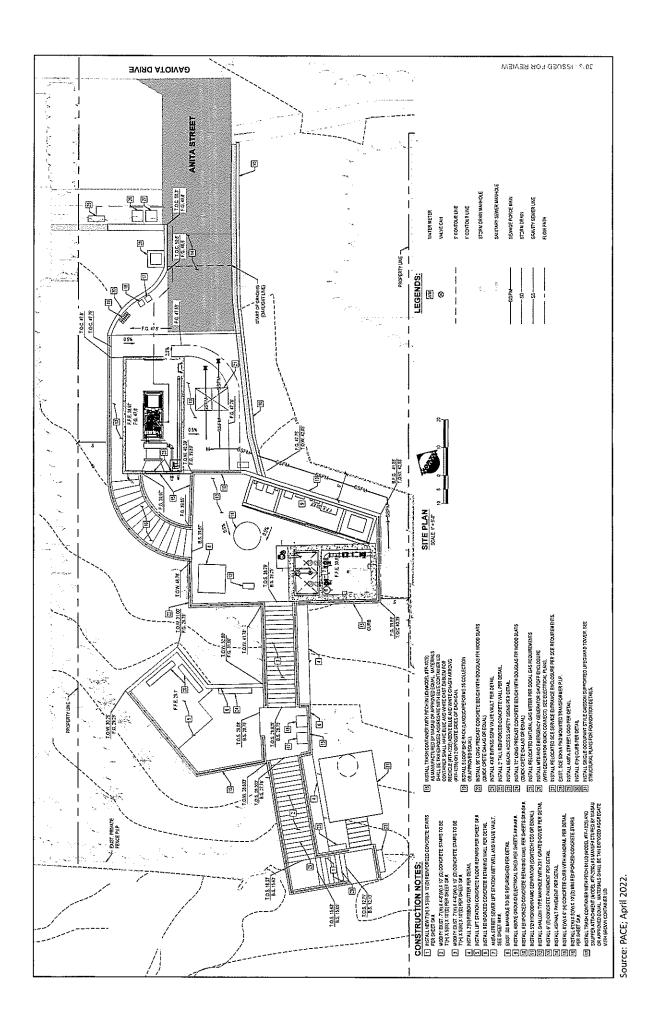
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