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Subject: RE: Missing Cultural Resources arch. survey (Data Request No. 35) results

Mike,

The cultural resources field surveys for the Mission Rock Energy Center that were initially conducted in October 2015 included complete coverage of the project areas of potential effect except for some areas along the generator tie-line/water supply pipeline (and now natural gas pipeline) alignment that were in dense crop cover at the time of survey. Survey of these areas was postponed because dense crops prevented ground visibility and/or walking through the crops to conduct the survey would have damaged valuable crops. These surveys were completed during additional field efforts in February and October 2016. Cultural Resources Discipline Lead Natalie Lawson provided the following summary of these efforts to me on March 10, 2017:

"A cultural resources survey of the proposed MREC APE was conducted on October 6 and 7, 2015, by Natalie Lawson, M.A., RPA, and Gioriella Cardenas, M.A., RPA, who meet the qualifications for CEC designated Cultural Resources Specialist (CRS) and Principal Investigator stated in the Secretary of the Interior's standards and guidelines for archaeology and historic preservation (NPS, 1983). This field survey included the plant site, temporary laydown area, and associated linears. Due to access issues, additional survey was conducted in February 2016 and on October 1, 2016.

Early in 2017, the gas line was rerouted. The additional gas line survey was completed on January 26, 2017 by CH2M archaeologists Gioriella Cardenas, M.A., RPA and Natalie Lawson, M.A., RPA. No archaeological resources were discovered during the pedestrian survey."

To date, all areas requiring pedestrian archaeological survey have been surveyed except for one parcel that is outside of the direct project impact area but within 200 feet of the project site. This property (the Tinch property, 1202 Mission Rock Road, APN 090019014, adjacent to and southeast of the MREC site) was not surveyed because access permission was denied by the landowner.

Please let me know if you have additional questions.

Regards,

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Hey Doug,

After re-reading the paragraph from the March 20, 2017 filing was for the surveys of the 650 ft. of additional natural gas pipeline route, I don't see any reference to the missing survey info for the recycled water pipeline route that row crops had precluded completion of last summer. Perhaps Natalie could be contacted and help clarify for my guys?

Thanks,
Mike