Appendix I

Cultural Resources Report
November 21, 2007
Ms. Wendy Lockwood
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RE: Record Search Results for New Leaf Master Plan located in City of Los Angeles, California

Dear Ms. Lockwood,

As per your request received on October 20, 2007, a records search was conducted for the above referenced project. The search includes a review of all recorded archaeological sites within a ½-mile radius of the project site as well as a review of cultural resource reports on file. In addition, the California Points of Historical Interest (PHI), the California Historical Landmarks (CHL), the California Register of Historical Resources (CR), the National Register of Historic Places (NR), the California State Historic Resources Inventory (HRI), and the City of Los Angeles Historic-Cultural Monuments listings were reviewed for the above referenced project site. The following is a discussion of the findings.

Due to the sensitive nature of cultural resources, archaeological site locations are not released.

**Beverly Hills, Burbank, and Hollywood, CA. USGS 7.5’ Quadrangles**

**ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES:**

No archaeological sites have been identified within a ½-mile radius of the project site. No sites are located within the project site. This does not preclude the potential for archaeological sites to be identified during project activities. No isolates have been identified within a ½-mile radius of the project site. No isolates are located within the project site.
HISTORIC RESOURCES:

A review of the historic maps – Santa Monica (1902 and 1921) 15’ USGS - indicated that in 1902 there were two improved roads, one structure, and one intermittent stream. In 1921 there were two improved roads, ten structures and one intermittent stream.

The California Point of Historical Interest (2007) of the Office of Historic Preservation, Department of Parks and Recreation, lists no properties within a ½-mile radius of the project site.

The California Historical Landmarks (2007) of the Office of Historic Preservation, Department of Parks and Recreation, lists no properties within a ½-mile radius of the project site.

The California Register of Historical Places (2007) lists no properties within a ½-mile radius of the project site. These are properties determined to have a National Register of Historic Places Status of 1 or 2, a California Historical Landmark numbering 770 and higher, or a Point of Historical Interest listed after 1/1/1998.

The National Register of Historic Places (2007) lists no properties within a ½-mile radius of the project site.

The City of Los Angeles Historic-Cultural Monuments lists one property within a ½-mile radius of the project site (see below).

Hollywood, CA. 7.5’ USGS Quadrangle

No. 325 Shulman House
Was built in 1950 by the prominent local architect Raphael Soriano. This is the only Soriano house in existence in Los Angeles in its original condition. It uses Twentieth Century technology to produce a steel-framed house that is open and comfortable. Located at 7975 Woodrow Drive.
Declared: 8/26/87

The California Historic Resources Inventory (2007) lists no properties that have been evaluated for historical significance within a ½-mile radius of the project site.

PREVIOUS CULTURAL RESOURCES INVESTIGATIONS:

Four studies (LA1907, LA1908, LA1956, and LA4531) have been conducted within a ½-mile radius of the project site. Of these, none are located within the project site. There are sixty-nine additional investigations located on the Beverly Hills, Burbank, and Hollywood 7.5’ USGS Quadrangles that are potentially within a ½-mile radius of the project site. The reports are not mapped due to insufficient locational information.

RECOMMENDATIONS

According to our records, the project site has not been subjected to any previous studies and archaeological sensitivity is unknown. Although the project occurs in an urban area where the surface and subsurface may have been previously disturbed, there is still potential for buried prehistoric and / or historic resources within the project.
boundaries. Therefore, a halt-work condition is recommended for the project. In the event that cultural resources are encountered, all work within the vicinity of the find should stop. A professional archaeologist should be retained to assess such finds and make recommendations. Additionally, it is recommended that historic properties in the area of potential effect be identified, recorded, and evaluated for local, state, or national significance prior to the approval of project plans. Finally, it is also recommended that the Native American Heritage Commission should be consulted to identify if any additional traditional cultural properties or other sacred sites are known to be in the area.

The professional consultant you retain may request the records search map, archaeological site records, and bibliography from the Information Center referencing the SCCIC number listed above for a fee (per the fee schedule). Any resulting reports by the qualified consultant should be submitted to the South Central Coastal Information Center as soon as possible.

If you have any questions regarding the results presented herein, please contact the office at 714.278.5395 Monday through Thursday 8:00 am to 3:30 pm.

Should you require any additional information for the above referenced project, reference the SCCIC number listed above when making inquiries. Requests made after initial invoicing will result in the preparation of a separate invoice.

Sincerely,

SCCIC

Thomas David Shackford
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Enclosures:

(X) Invoice # 8053.5149