

October 24, 2011

I. REPRESENTATIVES, LOCATIONS AND DATES

LINK 1: Jacumba Valley, McCain Valley, Boulevard, Plaster City, and Ocotillo Desert Region

- Mr. Richard Alvarez, Cocopah, served as monitor for October 18 through 21.
- Mr. Frank Brown, Viejas, served as monitor for October 17. His report has yet to be received.
- Mr. Ed Mercado, La Posta, served as monitor for October 17 through 21.
- Ms. Andrea Najera of Campo served as monitor on October 17 and 18.
- Ms. Mistie Okwusogu of Campo served as monitor on October 17 and 19.
- Mr. Daniel Padilla, Cocopah, served as monitor for October 17 through 20.
- Mr. Phillip Paipa of Campo served as monitor on October 20 and 21.
- Mr. Frank Salazar, Campo, served as monitor on October 17 through 20.
- Mr. Santiago Santos, Manzanita, served as monitor from October 17 through 21.
- Ms. Veronica Santos, Manzanita, served as monitor on October 18 through 20, and 22.
- Mr. David Thompson of Manzanita served as monitor on October 22.

LINK 2: Bartlett-Hauser Yard, Kreutzkamp Yard, Thing Valley Yard

- Mr. Josh Craddock, Viejas, served as monitor for October 17.
- Ms. Vera Tucker, Viejas, served as monitor October 20.

LINK 3: Suncrest Substation

- No monitors required at this location for this week.

LINK 4: Alpine Underground

- Mr. Clarence Brown, Viejas, served as monitor from October 17 through 21.

LINK 5: Various Locations

- Ms. Vera Tucker of Viejas served a monitor for October 18 and 19.

II. CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

LINK 1: Jacumba Valley, McCain Valley, Boulevard, Plaster City, and Ocotillo Desert Region

Activities along this Link this week consisted of brush clearing, ground testing, installation of rods, BMP installation, and drilling. Some survey and site recording also occurred.

LINK 2: Bartlett-Hauser Yard, Kreutzkamp Yard, Thing Valley Yard

Activities along this Link this week consisted of drilling and brush clearing.

LINK 3: Suncrest Substation

No monitors required at this location for this week.

LINK 4: Alpine Underground

Activities along this Link for this week included boring.

LINK 5: Various Locations

Activities along this Link this week consist of road grading.

III. OBSERVATIONS

LINK 1: Jacumba Valley, McCain Valley, Boulevard, Plaster City, and Ocotillo Desert Region

On October 17th, Mr. Salazar noted “lithics, ceramics, groundstone and milling” and on the 18th he observed “moderate lithics. Moderate ceramics. Moderate groundstone. Light milling. Some Exotics. Possible ceremonial and tool fragment etched ceramic.” On the 19th he reported “moderate lithics. Some ceramic. Moderate groundstone. Light milling. Some exotic materials.”

LINK 2: Bartlett-Hauser Yard, Kreutzkamp Yard, Thing Valley Yard

On October 15th, Mr. Sutton noted “shatter flakes and a tool fragment.”

LINK 3: Suncrest Substation

No monitors required at this location for this week.

LINK 4: Alpine Underground

No cultural material observed this week.

LINK 5: Various Locations

On October 18th, Vera Tucker notes that some bedrock milling and a mano were noted along an access road. Testing of the inadvertent discovery was conducted on October 19th with no additional artifacts being identified.

IV. CONCERNS EXPRESSED

LINK 1: Jacumba Valley, McCain Valley, Boulevard, Plaster City, and Ocotillo Desert Region

Mr. Santiago Santos expressed concern that ESAs be maintained.

LINK 2: Bartlett-Hauser Yard, Kreutzkamp Yard, Thing Valley Yard

On October 15th, Mr. Sutton noted a pottery fragment and flakes along a footpath which was rerouted.

LINK 3: Suncrest Substation

No concerns expressed this week.

LINK 4: Alpine Underground

No concerns expressed this week.

LINK 5: Various Locations

No concerns expressed this week.

V. SUMMARY

Very few artifacts were identified along the Powerlink this week. One inadvertent discovery was made and testing was conducted to determine its significance. Only one concern was expressed to ensure that the ESAs are maintained.

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