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Re: Record search results for the proposed project at 1095 Rollins Road,
Burlingame, CA.

Dear Mr. Andrew Metzger:

Per your request received by our office on August 12, 2019, a records search was conducted for the above referenced project by reviewing pertinent Northwest Information Center (NWIC) base maps that reference cultural resources records and reports, historic-period maps, and literature for San Mateo County. Please note that use of the term cultural resources includes both archaeological resources and historical buildings and/or structures.

Review of this information indicates that there have been four cultural resource studies that include approximately 100% of the 1095 Rollins Road project area (Busby et al 2002: S-26297, Kaptain 2009: S-38063, Jurich et al 2011: S-48738, and Meloy 2017: S-49125). Of these four reports, the project area was included only within architectural APEs and search radius. These studies did not include field surveys within the project area. This project area contains one recorded archaeological resource, P-41-000038, Nelson Shellmound #373. The State Office of Historic Preservation Historic Property Directory (OHP HPD) (which includes listings of the California Register of Historical Resources, California State Historical Landmarks, California State Points of Historical Interest, and the National Register of Historic Places) lists no recorded buildings or structures within or adjacent to the proposed project area. In addition to these inventories, the NWIC base maps show no recorded buildings or structures within the proposed project area.

At the time of Euroamerican contact the Native Americans that lived in the area were speakers of the Ramaytush language, part of the Costanoan language family (Levy

1978:485). There are Native American resources in or adjacent to the proposed project area referenced in the ethnographic literature [Nelson Shellmound 373 (Nelson 1909)].

Based on an evaluation of the environmental setting and features associated with known sites, Native American resources in this part of San Mateo County have been found along the general margin of the bay and its associated wetlands, near sources of water (including perennial and intermittent springs and streams), and near the interface between low-lying terrain and higher elevation foothills. The 1095 Rollins Road project area is located along the margins of the historic bayshore within an area of artificial fill. Given the similarity of one or more of these environmental factors and the ethnographic sensitivity of the area, there is a high potential for unrecorded Native American resources in the proposed 1095 Rollins Road project area.

Review of historical literature and maps gave no indication of the possibility of historic-period activity within the 1095 Rollins Road project area. With this in mind, there is a low potential for unrecorded historic-period archaeological resources in the proposed 1095 Rollins Road project area.

The 1956 San Mateo USGS 7.5-minute topographic quadrangle fails to depict any buildings or structures within the 1095 Rollins Road project area; therefore, there is a low possibility of identifying any buildings or structures 45 years or older within the project area.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1) There is one recorded archaeological resource located in the proposed project area. It is recommended that a professional archaeologist assess the resource and provide project-specific recommendations. Please refer to the list of consultants who meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>.

2) There is a high potential of identifying Native American archaeological resources and a low potential of identifying historic-period archaeological resources in the 1095 Rollins Road project area. The proposed project area, however, has been highly developed and is presently covered with asphalt, buildings, and fill that obscures the visibility of original surface soils, which negates the feasibility of an adequate surface inspection.

Therefore, prior to demolition or other ground disturbance, we recommend a qualified archaeologist conduct further archival and field study to identify archaeological resources, including a good faith effort to identify archaeological deposits that may show no indications on the surface. Field study may include, but is not limited to, hand auger

sampling, shovel test units, or geoarchaeological analyses as well as other common methods used to identify the presence of buried archaeological resources. Please refer to the list of consultants who meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>.

3) We recommend the lead agency contact the local Native American tribe(s) regarding traditional, cultural, and religious heritage values. For a complete listing of tribes in the vicinity of the project, please contact the Native American Heritage Commission at 916/373-3710.

4) If the proposed project area contains buildings or structures that meet the minimum age requirement, prior to commencement of project activities, it is recommended that this resource be assessed by a professional familiar with the architecture and history of San Mateo County. Please refer to the list of consultants who meet the Secretary of Interior's Standards at <http://www.chrisinfo.org>.

5) Review for possible historic-period buildings or structures has included only those sources listed in the attached bibliography and should not be considered comprehensive.

6) If archaeological resources are encountered **during construction**, work should be temporarily halted in the vicinity of the discovered materials and workers should avoid altering the materials and their context until a qualified professional archaeologist has evaluated the situation and provided appropriate recommendations. Project personnel should not collect cultural resources. Native American resources include chert or obsidian flakes, projectile points, mortars, and pestles; and dark friable soil containing shell and bone dietary debris, heat-affected rock, or human burials. Historic-period resources include stone or adobe foundations or walls; structures and remains with square nails; and refuse deposits or bottle dumps, often located in old wells or privies.

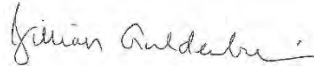
7) It is recommended that any identified cultural resources be recorded on DPR 523 historic resource recordation forms, available online from the Office of Historic Preservation's website: http://ohp.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page_id=1069

Due to processing delays and other factors, not all of the historical resource reports and resource records that have been submitted to the Office of Historic Preservation are available via this records search. Additional information may be available through the federal, state, and local agencies that produced or paid for historical resource management work in the search area. Additionally, Native American tribes have historical resource information not in the California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) Inventory, and you should contact the California Native American Heritage Commission for information on local/regional tribal contacts.

The California Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) contracts with the California Historical Resources Information System's (CHRIS) regional Information Centers (ICs) to maintain information in the CHRIS inventory and make it available to local, state, and federal agencies, cultural resource professionals, Native American tribes, researchers, and the public. Recommendations made by IC coordinators or their staff regarding the interpretation and application of this information are advisory only. Such recommendations do not necessarily represent the evaluation or opinion of the State Historic Preservation Officer in carrying out the OHP's regulatory authority under federal and state law.

Thank you for using our services. Please contact this office if you have any questions, (707) 588-8455.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jillian Guldenbrein".

Jillian Guldenbrein
Researcher

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**Note that the Office of Historic Preservation's *Historic Properties Directory* includes National Register, State Registered Landmarks, California Points of Historical Interest, and the California Register of Historical Resources as well as Certified Local Government surveys that have undergone Section 106 review.

Report List

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S-026297	Caltrans - EA 26420K; OHP PRN - FHWA020807A; Voided - S-26298; Voided - S-26313	2002	Colin I. Busby	Historic Properties Survey Report, Route 101 Auxiliary Lanes Project, Third Avenue to Millbrae Avenue, San Mateo County, California; 04-SM-101, K.P. 21.7/28.8 (P.M. 13.5-17.9) EA 26420K	Basin Research Associates, Inc.
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S-026297b		2002	Knox Mellon	Archaeological Survey Report, Route 101 Auxiliary Lanes Project, Third Avenue to Millbrae Avenue, San Mateo County, California; 04-SM-101 KP 21.7/28.8 (PM 13.5/17.9) EA 26420K	Basin research Associates, Inc.
S-026297c		2002	Knox Mellon and David A. Nicol	FHWA020807A; HAD-CA, File No. US 101 Auxiliary Lane, 04-SM-101 PM13.5/17.9, EA 04-245-26420K [Further Section 106 Consultation on the Proposed Construction of Auxiliary Lanes on State Route 101, San Mateo County]	Office of Historic Preservation; Department of Parks and Recreation
S-038063		2009	Neal Kaptain	Smart Corridors Geoarchaeological Sensitivity Research (letter report)	LSA Associates, Inc.

Report List

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S-048738		2011	Denise Jurich and Amber Grady	California High-Speed Train Project, Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement, Draft: San Francisco to San Jose Section, Archaeological Survey Report, Technical Report	PBS&J

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S-048738a		2011	Amber Grady and Richard Brandi	California High-Speed Train Project Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement, Draft: San Francisco to San Jose Section Historic Architectural Survey Report, Technical Report	PBS&J
S-049125	Caltrans - EA 04-1J560; Caltrans - E-FIS 0413000206; OHP PRN - FHWA_2017_0508_001	2017	Michael Meloy and Kathleen Kubal	Historic Property Survey Report for the US 101 Managed Lanes Project, EA 04-1J560	California Department of Transportation, District 4; AECOM
S-049125a		2017	Michael Meloy	Historic Resources Evaluation Report for the US 101 Managed Lanes Project, EA 04-1J560	California Department of Transportation, District 4
S-049125b		2017	Karin G. Beck, Kathleen Kubal, and Jay Rehor	Archaeological Survey Report and Extended Phase I Study, US 101 High-Occupancy Vehicle/Express (Managed) Lanes Project, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara Counties, California, EA 04-1J5600	AECOM
S-049125c		2017	Julianne Polanco	FHWA_2017_0508_001, Determinations of Eligibility for the Proposed Creation of Approximately 22 Miles of Managed Lanes along United States Highway 101, San Mateo County, CA	Office of Historic Preservation

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