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**San Francisco Bay
Regional Dredged Material Management Plan:
Overview and Summary of Coordination and
Consultation for NHPA, AB-52, and NEPA**

August 2025

1.0 Tribal Coordination and Consultation for NHPA, AB-52, and NEPA

In December 2023, the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), San Francisco District, in collaboration with the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Water Board), initiated Tribal consultation regarding the development of the Regional Dredged Material Management Plan (RDMMP) to engage with Tribal communities in our Area of Responsibility (AOR) and ensure their perspectives and concerns are integrated into the environmental and cultural review process.

On February 6, 2024, a consultation meeting was held with representatives from the Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria. The primary focus of this meeting was to identify and address potential inadvertent impacts on Tribal Cultural Resources associated with the RDMMP. In response to the feedback received during this meeting, the USACE has since developed a suite of mitigation measures aimed at minimizing impacts to cultural and tribal resources.

On January 23, 2025, a tribal consultation meeting was held with representatives from the Tamien Nation. The Tamien Nation expressed specific interest in the dredging activities at Redwood Creek Harbor. Their primary concern is the potential impact of sediment placement on cultural resources. While the report states that sediment placement would not affect these resources, Chairwoman Geary noted that this would depend on the conditions—particularly whether compaction occurs, which could potentially cause harm. The Tribe also requested follow-up on the Redwood City dredging project and any associated monitoring efforts. Additionally, they expressed interest in understanding where the dredged sediment is being deposited and having tribal monitors on site.

On February 12, 2025, a consultation meeting was held with the Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation. During the meeting, important feedback was provided regarding potential impacts on traditional salmon-related ceremonies. It was agreed that the USACE would share the dredging schedule with the Tribe and coordinate closely with the Lisjan Nation to ensure that dredging activities do not interfere with ceremonial practices.

All feedback received from Tribes has been incorporated into the RDMMP and specifically in the cultural resource mitigation measures.

Included with this summary are the letter that formally initiated the Tribal consultation and a comprehensive list of the Tribes that have been consulted in relation to the RDMMP.

2.0 The Sacred Lands File (SLF) Results

A Sacred Lands File (SLF) search was conducted in March 2024 with the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC). The results of this search were positive, indicating the presence of potential cultural resources that necessitate additional consultation. As a result, over 60 California Tribes were contacted to identify any concerns to sacred sites and tribal resources.

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2.1 Native American Heritage Commission Sacred Lands File Search Results Letter



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NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION

March 1, 2024

Ruzel Benedicto Ednalino
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Via Email to: ruzel.b.ednalino@usace.army.mil

Re: USACE Regional Dredge Material Management Plan (RDMMP) Project, Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Solano, and Sonoma Counties

To Whom It May Concern:

A record search of the Native American Heritage Commission (NAHC) Sacred Lands File (SLF) was completed for the information submitted for the above referenced project. The results were positive. Please contact the tribes on the attached list for information. Please note that tribes do not always record their sacred sites in the SLF, nor are they required to do so. A SLF search is not a substitute for consultation with tribes that are traditionally and culturally affiliated with a project's geographic area. Other sources of cultural resources should also be contacted for information regarding known and recorded sites, such as the appropriate regional California Historical Research Information System (CHRIS) archaeological Information Center for the presence of recorded archaeological sites.

Attached is a list of Native American tribes who may also have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. This list should provide a starting place in locating areas of potential adverse impact within the proposed project area. Please contact all of those listed; if they cannot supply information, they may recommend others with specific knowledge. By contacting all those listed, your organization will be better able to respond to claims of failure to consult with the appropriate tribe. If a response has not been received within two weeks of notification, the Commission requests that you follow-up with a telephone call or email to ensure that the project information has been received.

If you receive notification of change of addresses and phone numbers from tribes, please notify the NAHC. With your assistance, we can assure that our lists contain current information.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at my email address: Cody.Campagne@nahc.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Cody Campagne

Cody Campagne
Cultural Resources Analyst

Attachment

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2.2 Representative USACE Consultation Letter Sent to California Tribes



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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December 12, 2023

SUBJECT: Initiating Tribal Consultation for the San Francisco Bay Regional Dredged Material Management Plan 2025-2034 Federal Operations & Maintenance Dredging Program

Chairperson Katherine Perez
North Valley Yokuts Tribe
P.O. Box 717
Linden, CA 952367

Honorable Chairperson Perez:

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers San Francisco District (USACE) and San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (Water Board) are reaching out to Tribes that may have interests in the project area associated with the USACE's San Francisco Bay Regional Dredged Material Management Plan (RDMMP), a long-range (20-year) plan for the placement of dredged material from the 11 federal navigation projects around the Bay (Figure 1). Implementation of dredge material placement under the RDMMP is anticipated starting in 2025. The RDMMP permitting process will include a joint National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) document to analyze environmental effects. The USACE will be the NEPA lead agency and the Regional Water Quality Control Board will be the CEQA lead agency. A Clean Water Act Section 401 water quality certification and waste discharge requirements (WQC/WDR) will also be required pursuant to the state Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act. We are initiating consultation to invite you to be a part of the planning process out of respect for your unique experience and knowledge, and to collaborate regarding any Tribal interests that may be affected by the Project.

USACE is mandated by Congress to maintain the navigability of federal transportation channels to authorized depths. Accumulation of sediment that settles in these channels can obstruct navigability and result in navigation safety hazards. Maintenance dredging removes excess sediment and restores channels to their approved depths in order to provide safe, reliable, and efficient navigation within channels, harbors, port turning basins and access areas for movement of commerce, recreation, and national security. The purpose of the USACE's project is to continue ongoing maintenance dredging of the federal navigation channels in San Francisco Bay consistent with the RDMMP and in light of the goals of the San Francisco Bay Long

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Term Management Strategy for the Placement of Dredged Materials, while protecting the environment and listed species. The Water Board's overall project objective is to ensure USACE's consistency with the water quality objectives and beneficial uses adopted in the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay Basin, as addressed through the Section 401 WQC/WDR process.

The USACE and the Water Board are analyzing regional needs for beneficially using sediment from federal dredging projects to support nature-based solutions to adapt to climate change, particularly wetland restoration projects. At the same time our agencies are also analyzing potential areas to place dredged material in shallow water along the Bay's shoreline and utilize natural transportation processes to move that dredged material to mudflats and marshes with the intent of increasing their resiliency to sea level change. Currently, we are seeking your input on identifying potential impacts or benefits to cultural or natural resources that may be in the project area. Your Tribe's involvement will ensure that recommendations and concerns are addressed in our environmental reviews.

The Project study area extends from approximately 50 nautical miles offshore at the San Francisco Deep Ocean Disposal Site (SF-DODS), through the Golden Gate, covering the entire San Francisco Bay, to the border of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta (Delta); the Delta border being defined as the upstream limit of the Suisun Bay Channel Deep-Draft Federal Navigation Projects. The USACE would welcome your engagement on the RDMMP. Similarly, the Water Board would appreciate your involvement in advance of preparing a document to satisfy CEQA. The Water Board requested from the Native American Heritage Commission a list of Tribes in or associated with the project area. This Tribal consultation is sought in accordance with the Water Boards' Tribal Consultation Policy³⁵, Executive Order B-10-11³⁶, and AB2108^{3,4}. The Water Board values Tribal input and aspires to educate both staff and Tribes, thus enhancing our activities, policies, and decision-making process and understand the unique Tribal interests that may be affected by the proposed project.

By expressing your interest in the project, you will be actively informed of the steps we are taking to identify and preserve important places in the San Francisco Bay Region. Your views and comments will ensure that our undertaking incorporates historic preservation when necessary and fulfills the spirit of public stewardship advocated through the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations at 36 C.F.R. § 800.4(a)(3).

³⁵https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/about_us/public_participation/tribal_affairs/docs/california_water_board_tribal_consultation_policy.pdf

³⁶<https://www.ca.gov/archive/gov39/2011/09/19/news17223/index.html>

³https://leginfo.ca.gov/faces/codes_displaySection.xhtml?sectionNum=189.7.&lawCode=WAT

⁴https://leginfo.ca.gov/faces/codes_displaySection.xhtml?sectionNum=13149.2.&lawCode=WAT

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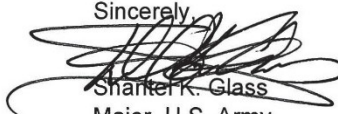
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The USACE and Water Board are available to consult with you on this project, either individually or jointly, at your convenience (e.g., one-on-one meeting or virtual workshops). If you have any comments or questions, please contact USACE's Lead Archaeologist, Stephanie Bergman Sahinoglu, at (415) 503-6844 (Stephanie.M.Bergman@usace.army.mil) or the Water Board's Engineering Geologist Jazzy Graham-Davis at (510) 622-2509 (Jazzy.Graham-Davis@waterboards.ca.gov). Thank you for your time and consideration; we look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



Shante K. Glass
Major, U.S. Army
Acting Commander

and



Eileen M. White
Executive Officer
Water Board

Enclosures

Figure 1: Project area, existing conditions

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Samantha Harper, San Francisco Bay Water Board Tribal Coordinator,
Samantha.Harper@waterboards.ca.gov/ 510-622-2415

Adriana Renteria, Office of Public Participation State Water Resources Control Board,
Tribal-Liaison@Waterboards.ca.gov/ 916-341-5229

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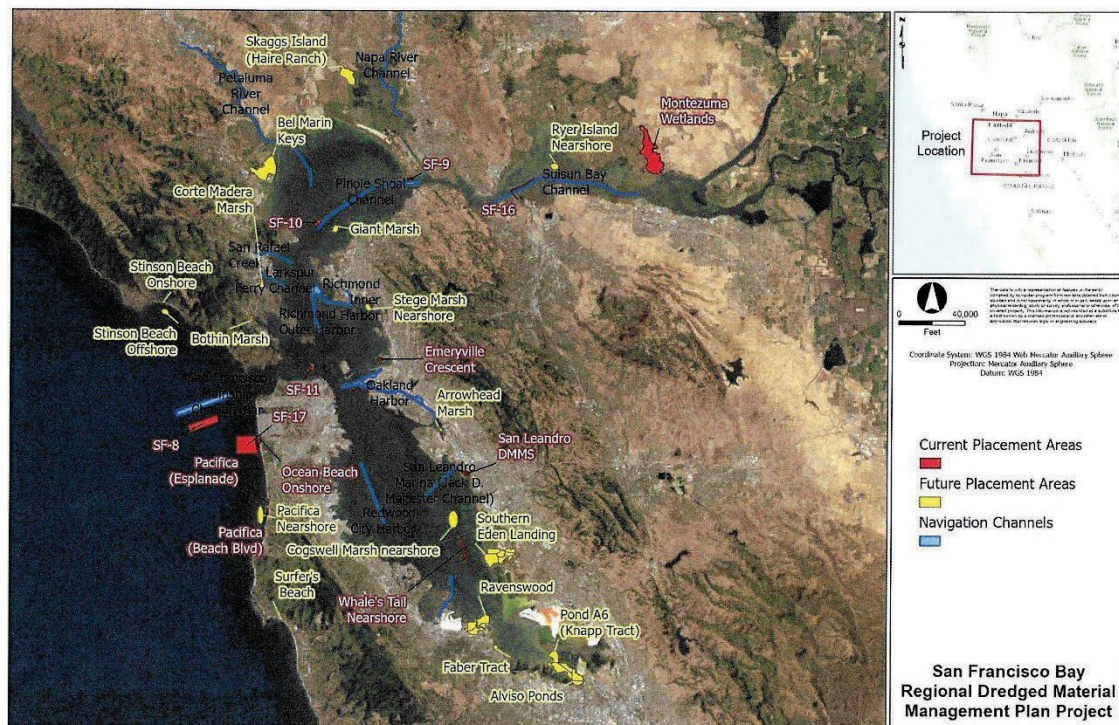


Figure 1. Project area showing existing conditions, including federal navigation channels (red), existing placement sites (purple) and where new placement sites are being considered along the Bay's shoreline (brown).

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2.3 Representative Regional Water Board AB52 Letter sent to California Tribes

	 
San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board	
November 8, 2023	
Via Certified Mail and Electronic Mail	
Greg Sarris, Chairman Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria 6400 Redwood Drive, Ste 300 Rohnert Park, CA 94928 gbuvelot@gratonrancheria.com	
Subject: Tribal Cultural Resources under the California Environmental Quality Act, AB52. Formal Notification of a San Francisco Regional Water Quality Control Board Project and Consultation Opportunity pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1	
Honorable Chairman Sarris,	
The United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) proposes to continue maintenance dredging of the federal navigation channels in San Francisco Bay to maintain the navigability of the channels for 10 years starting in 2025. The San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board (Water Board) proposes to issue two subsequent 5-year permits¹ for USACE's continued maintenance dredging operations in San Francisco Bay. The Water Board and USACE will jointly produce an Initial Study under the California Environmental Quality Act and an Environmental Assessment under the National Environmental Policy Act, with each as the lead agency, respectively. Below please find a description of the proposed project, applicability (project location), and the name of our project point of contact, pursuant to PRC § 21080.3.1 (d). Project Description USACE, as mandated by Congress, is responsible for maintaining navigability of federal navigation channels to authorized depth or lesser regulatory depth. Accumulation of sediment that settles in these channels can impede navigability. Maintenance dredging removes this sediment and returns the channels to regulatory depths to provide safe, reliable, and efficient waterborne transportation systems (channels, harbors, and waterways) for the movement of commerce, national security needs, and recreation. Therefore, USACE's purpose of the project is to continue maintenance dredging of the federal navigation channels in San Francisco Bay consistent with the USACE's 20-year Regional Dredged Material Management Plan, and the	
¹ Each permit will consist of a water quality certification pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act and waste discharge requirements pursuant to the state Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act. JAYNE BATTEY, CHAIR EILEEN M. WHITE, EXECUTIVE OFFICER	
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goals and adopted plans of the San Francisco Bay Long Term Management Strategy for the Placement of Dredged Materials, while adequately protecting the environment, including listed species. The Water Board's overall project objective is to ensure USACE's consistency with the water quality objectives and beneficial uses adopted in the Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Bay Basin, as will be addressed through the permitting process.

USACE and the Water Board recognize the regional need to beneficially use sediment from federal dredging projects to support nature-based solutions to adapt to climate change, particularly wetland restoration projects. This Project will also analyze potential areas to place dredged material in shallow water along the Bay's shoreline and utilize natural transport processes to move dredged material to mudflats and marshes. Currently, we are seeking your input on identifying potential impacts to any cultural or natural resources that may be in the project area. Your Tribe's involvement will ensure that recommendations and concerns are addressed in our environmental reviews.

Applicability (Project Location)

The federal navigation channels and associated placement sites are in the San Francisco Bay Area, which spans 11 counties along the Bay adjacent marshes, and some rivers. However, the geographic scope of potential impacts of the proposed project are limited to 11 federally authorized navigation channels and associated placement sites in the San Francisco Bay (Figure 1). Note that Suisun Slough Channel, marked "11" in Figure 1, will be included in the Project.

Lead Agency Point of Contact

Jazzy Graham-Davis
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Jazzy.Graham-Davis@waterboards.ca.gov

Pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21080.3.1, subdivision (b), you have 30 days from the receipt of this letter to request consultation, in writing, with the Water Board. Please address any requests for consultation or questions to Jazzy Graham-Davis. Additional comment opportunities will be available as part of the public review process, which will be announced later. We look forward to working together.

Sincerely,



Eileen M. White
Executive Officer

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2.4 List of Tribes Contacted by USACE and the Regional Water Board for Consultation

Tribe Name	Fed (F) Non-Fed (N)	Contact Person
Alameda County		
Amah Mutsun Tribal Band of Mission San Juan Bautista	N	Irene Zwierlein, Chairperson
Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation	N	Cheyenne Gould, Tribal Cultural Resource Manager
Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation	N	Corrina Gould, Chairperson
Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation	N	Deja Gould, Language Program Manager
Costanoan Rumsen Carmel Tribe	N	Carla Munoz, Tribal Council
Costanoan Rumsen Carmel Tribe	N	Desiree Munoz, Tribal Liaison
Guidiville Rancheria of California	F	Michael Derry, Historian
Guidiville Rancheria of California	F	Bunny Tarin, Tribal Administrator
Indian Canyon Mutsun Band of Costanoan	N	Kanyon Sayers-Roods, MLD Contact
Indian Canyon Mutsun Band of Costanoan	N	Ann Marie Sayers, Chairperson
Muwekma Ohlone Indian Tribe of the SF Bay Area	N	Monica Arellano, Vice Chairwoman
Northern Valley Yokut / Ohlone Tribe	N	Timothy Perez, Tribal Compliance Officer
Tamien Nation	N	Quirina Luna Geary, Chairperson
Tamien Nation	N	Johnathan Wasaka Costillas, THPO
Tamien Nation	N	Lillian Camarena, Secretary
The Ohlone Indian Tribe	N	Vincent Medina, Cultural Leader
The Ohlone Indian Tribe	N	Andrew Galvan, Chairperson
The Ohlone Indian Tribe	N	Desiree Vigil, THPO
Tule River Indian Tribe	F	Joey Garfield, Tribal Archaeologist
Tule River Indian Tribe	F	Neil Peyron, Chairperson
Tule River Indian Tribe	F	Kerri Vera, Environmental Department
Wilton Rancheria	F	Herbert Griffin, Executive Director of Cultural Preservation
Wilton Rancheria	F	Dahlton Brown, Executive Director of Administration
Wilton Rancheria	F	Cultural Preservation Department,
Wuksachi Indian Tribe/Eshom Valley Band	N	Kenneth Woodrow, Chairperson
Contra Costa County		

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Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians	F	Bailey Hunter, Environmental & Natural Resource Manager
Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians	F	Lloyd Mathiesen, Chairperson
Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians	F	Monica Fox, Tribal Administrator
Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians	F	James Smith, Vice Chairman
Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation	N	Cheyenne Gould, Tribal Cultural Resource Manager
Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation	N	Corrina Gould, Chairperson
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Muwekma Ohlone Indian Tribe of the SF Bay Area	N	Monica Arellano, Vice Chairwoman
Nashville Enterprise Miwok-Maidu-Nishinam Tribe	N	Leland Valdez, Cultural Resources
Nashville Enterprise Miwok-Maidu-Nishinam Tribe	N	Cosme Valdez, Chairperson
Northern Valley Yokut / Ohlone Tribe	N	Timothy Perez, Tribal Compliance Officer
The Ohlone Indian Tribe	N	Desiree Vigil, THPO
The Ohlone Indian Tribe	N	Vincent Medina, Cultural Leader
The Ohlone Indian Tribe	N	Andrew Galvan, Chairperson
Tule River Indian Tribe	F	Neil Peyron, Chairperson
Tule River Indian Tribe	F	Kerri Vera, Environmental Department
Tule River Indian Tribe	F	Joey Garfield, Tribal Archaeologist
Wilton Rancheria	F	Cultural Preservation Department,
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Wuksachi Indian Tribe/Eshom Valley Band	N	Kenneth Woodrow, Chairperson
Marin County		
Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	F	Greg Sarris, Chairperson
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Napa County		
Cachil Dehe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community	F	Wayne Mitchum Jr., Chairman
Cachil Dehe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community	F	Jennie Mitchum, Cultural Preservation Director
Cortina Rancheria - Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians	F	Charlie Wright, Chairperson
Guidiville Rancheria of California	F	Michael Derry, Historian
Guidiville Rancheria of California	F	Bunny Tarin, Tribal Administrator
Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California	F	Tribal Historic Preservation Department,
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Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California	F	Jose Simon III, Tribal Chairman
Mishewal-Wappo Tribe of Alexander Valley	N	Scott Gabaldon, Chairperson
Mishewal-Wappo Tribe of Alexander Valley	N	Christi Gabaldon, Tribal Monitor
Muwekma Ohlone Indian Tribe of the SF Bay Area	N	Monica Arellano, Vice Chairwoman
Pinoleville Pomo Nation	F	Erica Carson, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Pinoleville Pomo Nation	F	Leona Williams, Chairperson
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	Yvonne Perkins, THPO, Cultural Resources Chairman
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	Leland Kinter, Tribal Treasurer
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	Anthony Roberts, Chairperson
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	James Kinter, Tribal Secretary
San Francisco County		
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Amah Mutsun Tribal Band	N	Valentin Lopez, Chairperson
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Wilton Rancheria	F	Dahlton Brown, Executive Director of Administration
Wilton Rancheria	F	Herbert Griffin, Executive Director of Cultural Preservation
Wilton Rancheria	F	Cultural Preservation Department,
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	James Kinter, Tribal Secretary
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	Leland Kinter, Tribal Treasurer
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	Yvonne Perkins, THPO, Cultural Resources Chairman
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation	F	Anthony Roberts, Chairperson
Sonoma County		
Cloverdale Rancheria of Pomo Indians	F	Patricia Hermosillo, Chairperson
Dry Creek Rancheria of Pomo Indians	F	Sherrie Smith-Ferri, THPO
Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	F	Greg Sarris, Chairperson
Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria	F	Gene Buvelot,
Guidiville Rancheria of California	F	Bunny Tarin, Tribal Administrator
Guidiville Rancheria of California	F	Michael Derry, Historian

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Appendix E – Cultural Resources and Tribal Consultations

Tribe Name	Fed (F) Non-Fed (N)	Contact Person
Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria	F	Dino Franklin, Chairperson
Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria	F	Loren Smith, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Lytton Rancheria	F	Marjorie Mejia, Chairperson
Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California	F	Michael Rivera, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California	F	Tribal Historic Preservation Department,
Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California	F	Jose Simon III, Tribal Chairman
Mishewal-Wappo Tribe of Alexander Valley	N	Christi Gabaldon, Tribal Monitor
Mishewal-Wappo Tribe of Alexander Valley	N	Scott Gabaldon, Chairperson
Muwekma Ohlone Indian Tribe of the SF Bay Area	N	Monica Arellano, Vice Chairwoman
Pinoleville Pomo Nation	F	Leona Williams, Chairperson
Pinoleville Pomo Nation	F	Erica Carson, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Robinson Rancheria of Pomo Indians	F	Beniakem Cromwell, Chairperson

2.5 Section 106 Finding of No Potential to Cause Effects

Pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers determined that the recommended plan has no potential to cause effects to historic properties as a result of the avoidance measures included in the San Francisco Bay Federal Channels Operation and Maintenance Dredging and Sediment Placement Activities, Dredging Years 2025-2034 Environmental Assessment.