APPENDIX C
CULTURAL RESOURCES RECORDS/TECHNICAL DATA
July 30, 2008

Mr. John Gooding
PCR
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Irvine, CA 92618
949.753.7001

RE: Records Search for the Golden Shore Master Plan in the City of Long Beach

Dear Mr. Gooding,

As per your request received on July 15, 2008, 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), and the California State Historic Resources Inventory (HRI) listings were reviewed for the above referenced project. The following is a discussion of the findings.

**Long Beach, CA, USGS 7.5’ Quadrangle**

**ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES:**

No archaeological sites have been identified within a ½-mile radius of the project site. No archaeological sites are located within the project site. No sites are listed on the Archaeological Determination of Eligibility (DOE) list. No isolates have been identified within a ½-mile radius of the project site. No isolates are located within the project site.

**HISTORIC RESOURCES:**

Five additional cultural resources (19-150348, 19-150350, 19-150352, 19-150354, and 19-150356) have been identified within a ½-mile radius of the project site. No cultural resources are located within the project site.

Copies of our historic maps - Downey (1896, 1942, and 1943) 15’ USGS - are enclosed for your review.

The California Point of Historical Interest 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 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 Historic Places lists six properties within a ½-mile radius of the project site (see enclosed HRI list for properties marked with a +). 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 lists two properties within a ½-mile radius of the project site (see below).

19-178702- 1st National Bank of Long Beach 101—125 Pine Ave. Long Beach 19900913 90001432

19-187051- Willmore, The/The Stillwell 315 West Third Street Long Beach 99000579

The California Historic Resources Inventory lists 56 properties that have been evaluated for historical significance within a ½-mile radius of the project site (see enclosed HRI properties list).

PREVIOUS CULTURAL RESOURCES INVESTIGATIONS:

Eleven studies (LA358, LA2233, LA2399, LA2910, LA3102, LA3384, LA4130, LA5403*, LA5886, LA8485, and LA9129*) have been conducted within a ½-mile radius of the project site. Of these, two are located within the project site. There are 14 additional investigations located on the Long Beach 7.5’ USGS Quadrangle that are potentially within a ½-mile radius of the project site. These reports are not mapped due to insufficient locational information.

(\* = Located within the project site)

Please forward a copy of any resulting reports from this project to the office as soon as possible. Due to the sensitive nature of archaeological site location data, we ask that you do not include resource location maps and resource location descriptions in your report if the report is for public distribution. If you have any questions regarding the results presented herein, please contact the office at 714.278.5395 Monday through Thursday 9:00 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

Michelle Galaz
Staff Researcher
Enclosures:

[X] Maps – 7.5’ USGS Quadrangle, 15’ USGS Quadrangle – 8 pages
[X] Bibliography – 4 pages
[X] Bibliography of Unmapped Reports – 6 pages
[X] HRI – 14 pages
[X] National Register Status Codes – 1 page
[X] Confidentiality Form
[X] Invoice #8722.5719
July 3, 2008

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Sent by Fax: 949-753-7002
Number of Pages: 2

Re: Proposed Golden Shore Master Plan in the City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County.

Dear Mr. Gooding:

The Native American Heritage Commission was able to perform a record search of its Sacred Lands File (SLF) for the affected project area. The SLF failed to indicate the presence of Native American cultural resources in the immediate project area. The absence of specific site information in the Sacred Lands File does not guarantee the absence of cultural resources in any 'area of potential effect (APE).'

Early consultation with Native American tribes in your area is the best way to avoid unanticipated discoveries once a project is underway. Enclosed are the nearest tribes that may have knowledge of cultural resources in the project area. A list of Native American contacts are attached to assist you. The Commission makes no recommendation of a single individual or group over another. It is advisable to contact the person listed; if they cannot supply you with specific information about the impact on cultural resources, they may be able to refer you to another tribe or person knowledgeable of the cultural resources in or near the affected project area (APE).

Lack of surface evidence of archaeological resources does not preclude the existence of archeological resources. Lead agencies should consider avoidance, as defined in Section 15370 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) when significant cultural resources could be affected by a project. Also, Public Resources Code Section 5097.98 and Health & Safety Code Section 7050.5 provide for provisions for accidentally discovered archeological resources during construction and mandate the processes to be followed in the event of an accidental discovery of any human remains in a project location other than a dedicated cemetery. Discussion of these should be included in your environmental documents, as appropriate.

If you have any questions about this response to your request, please do not hesitate to contact me at (916) 653-6251.

Sincerely,

Dave Singleton
Program Analyst

Attachment: Native American Contact List
Native American Contacts
Los Angeles County
July 2, 2008

Ti'At Society
Cindi Alvitre
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Long Beach, CA 90803
calvitre@yahoo.com
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Tongva Ancestral Territorial Tribal Nation
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(626) 286-1632
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562-925-7989 - fax

This list is current only as of the date of this document.

Distribution of this list does not relieve any person of statutory responsibility as defined in Section 7050.5 of the Health and Safety Code, Section 5097.94 of the Public Resources Code and Section 5097.98 of the Public Resources Code.

This list is only applicable for contacting local Native Americans with regard to cultural resources for the proposed Golden Shore Master Plan of the City of Long Beach; Los Angeles County, California for which a Sacred Lands File search and Native American Contacts list were requested.
Planning Consultants Research  
One Venture, Suite 150  
Irvine, CA 92618

Attn: John D. Gooding, Senior Archaeologist

re: Paleontological Records Search for the proposed Golden Shore Master Plan, in the City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, project area

Dear John:

I have conducted a thorough search of our Vertebrate Paleontology records for the proposed Golden Shore Master Plan, in the City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, project area as outlined on the section of the Long Beach USGS topographic quadrangle map that you sent to me via e-mail on 1 July 2008. We do not have any fossil vertebrate localities that lie directly within the proposed project area, but we do have localities nearby from the same or similar sedimentary deposits as occur in the proposed project area.

The surficial sediments in the proposed project area consist of younger Quaternary Alluvium, derived as fluvial deposits from the Los Angeles River that flows immediately to the west. These deposits typically do not contain significant vertebrate fossils, at least in the uppermost layers, and we have no vertebrate fossil localities anywhere nearby from such deposits. At depth in this area, however, as well as surficial deposits on the northeastern-most margin of the proposed project area, there are older Quaternary deposits known to be fossiliferous. Our closest vertebrate fossil locality from these latter deposits is LACM 6896, directly east of the northern border of the proposed project area near the intersection of Magnolia Avenue and Ocean Boulevard, that produced a fossil whale, Cetacea, humerus from pile driving activities at a depth of less than 100 feet. North to north-northeast of the proposed project area we have localities LACM 1144 and 3550, near the intersections of Loma Vista Drive with Crystal Court and 12th Street with Pine Avenue respectively, that produced fossil specimens of sea lion, Zalophus, camel, Camelops, and bison, Bison, from deposits found at the proposed project area at a depth of less than 48 feet below the surface. Also from the same deposits, just south of due east of the proposed project area, at Bixby Park along Ocean Boulevard east of Cherry Avenue, our locality LACM 1005 produced fossil specimens of ground sloth,
Nothotheriops, and mammoth, Mammutthus columbi. From somewhat similar Quaternary sediments, vertebrate fossil locality LACM 1163, west-northwest of the proposed project area near the intersection of Anaheim Street and Henry Ford Avenue, produced fossil specimens of bison, Bison, at a depth of only five feet.

Surface grading or shallow excavations in of the proposed project area immediately around the Los Angeles River probably will not uncover any significant vertebrate fossils. Deeper excavations in the proposed project area, however, may well encounter significant vertebrate fossils of Late Pleistocene age, possibly even at shallow depth. Any substantial excavations in the proposed project area, therefore, should be monitored closely to quickly and professionally recover any fossil remains discovered. Any fossils recovered during mitigation should be deposited in an accredited and permanent scientific institution for the benefit of current and future generations.

This records search covers only the vertebrate paleontology records of the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County. It is not intended to be a thorough paleontological survey of the proposed project area covering other institutional records, a literature survey, or any potential on-site survey.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Samuel A. McLeod, Ph.D.
Vertebrate Paleontology

enclosure: draft invoice
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NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY
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4 August 2008

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Attn: John D. Gooding, Senior Archaeologist

Vertebrate Paleontology Records Search for the proposed Golden Shore Master Plan, in the City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, project area

AMOUNT DUE: $180.00

Paleontology Account #164-000 - invoice # VP080808B

PLEASE RETURN THIS STUB WITH YOUR REMITTANCE

This is a draft invoice for your information

The official invoice will be sent separately by the Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County Finance Department