

# ***APPENDIX D***

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Public Meeting Comment Cards

**NORTH FORK RANCHERIA OF MONO INDIANS EIS RESULTS OF SCOPING  
List of Speakers, Comment Cards, and Letters**

<b>COMMENT CARDS</b>		
<b>Comment Number</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>
1	Dorothy Topping Adams	Chaushilla Yokot
2	Kale Cruz Adams	Chaushilla Tribe
3	Kenneth Bart Adams	Chaushilla Tribe
4	Kyle Bart Adams	Chaushilla Tribe
5	Katy Berry Barnes	Resident
6	Teena Tooping Caldeon	Chaushilla Tribe
7	Kenneth Ray Castro Jr.	Chaushilla Tribe
8	Mike Catanesi	Owner, Madera Golf Course
9	Victoria Lynn Grantham	Chaushilla Tribe
10	Christichja McCue	Chaushilla Tribe
11	Carmelita Adams Micallef	Chaushilla Tribe
12	Raymond Micallef	Chaushilla Tribe
13	Rachel Rivera	Chaushilla Tribe
14	Florentine L. Topping	Chaushilla Tribe
15	Paul Cruse Topping	Chaushilla Tribe
16	Roger Venturi	Chaushilla Tribe
17	Dr. Karen V. Wynn	Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians
<b>SPEAKERS</b>		
<b>Speaker Number</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>
1	Michael Anderson	Montel and Peebles Law Firm, on behalf of the Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians
2	Joyce Burel	Chairperson, Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians
3	Jerry Brown	Chairperson, Chochilla Yokuts
4	Shawn Hatfield	North Fork Rancheria
5	Sam Law Hon	Picayune Rancheria
6	Dora Jones	Picayune Rancheria
7	Mary Martinez	Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians
8	John Peebles	Montel and Peebles Law Firm, on behalf of the Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians
9	Herman Perez	Madera County Work Force Investment Board
10	David Prentice	County of Madera Board of Supervisors
11	Sarah Rah	North Fork Citizen
12	Morris Reed	Vice-chair, Picayune Tribe
13	Leanne Walker-Grant	Chairperson, Table Mountain Rancheria
14	Nancy Ayala Wyatt	Picayune Rancheria

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<b>COMMENT LETTERS</b>			
<b>Letter Number</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Affiliation</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b><i>Tribal and Government Agencies</i></b>			
1	Joyce Burel	Chairperson, Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians	11/15/2004
3	Joyce Burel	Chairperson, Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians	12/1/2004
5	Joyce Burel	Chairperson, Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians	12/15/2004
6	Dennis J. O'Bryant	Acting Assistant Director, Department of Conservation, California	12/15/2004
7	Mike Gaston	Community Development Director, City of Chowchilla	4/29/2005
8	Joyce Burel and Dixie Jackson	Chairperson and Secretary, Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians	4/29/2005
17	Charles Stringer	Renewable Resources Group, Inc., on behalf of Madera Irrigation District	5/6/2005
<b><i>Individuals</i></b>			
2	Joanne Rhoads	Masters of Science in Nursing, Community Food and Nutrition Program	11/22/2004
4	Carl Winter	Resident	12/9/2004
9	Donald and Denise Marmolejo	Resident	5/1/2005
10	Donald and Denise Marmolejo	Resident	5/1/2005
11	Jan DeWoody	Resident	5/3/2005
12	Lola Whipple	Resident	5/3/2005
13	Lori Erickson	Resident	5/4/2005
14	Stephen Lee Erickson	Resident	5/4/2005
15	Jason Erickson	Resident	5/4/2005
16	Jim Erickson	Resident	5/4/2005

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(Please write legibly)

Name: MIKE CATANESE Organization: MADERA GOLF COURSE

Address: 23200 AVE 17 MADERA CA 93637

Comment: I am a business owner as well as a citizen of Madera. I am excited about the opportunities available to both my children and their children ~~and~~ due to this casino opening in our town. As a recreation destination, an economical boost, or as added entertainment for our fine city, THIS IS A WINNING IDEA!!

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Name: Dr. Karen V. Wynn Organization: Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians

Address: 46575 Road 417 Coarsegold CA 93614

Comment: will mail written comment within specified time.

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Name: Roger Venturi Organization: Chaushilha tribeAddress: 1731 N. Orangewood, Clovis, CA 93611Comment: I strongly object to the encroachment of another tribe on our aboriginal territory which my forefathers fought to defend from the white man. The mono Indians have their own lands that their forefathers soamed on & fought for. Therefore, they should not be allowed to encroach on ours.

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Name: Kenneth Ray Castro Jr Organization: Chaus Hilha tribe

Address: 3811 W Coppola Visalia Ca. 93277

Comment: I would like to take a stand in  
defense of my aboriginal land. Our  
ancestral territory is being threatened  
by the encroachment of the Mono  
Indians who already have their  
own land.

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Name: Katy Berry Barnes Organization: Concerned Citizen

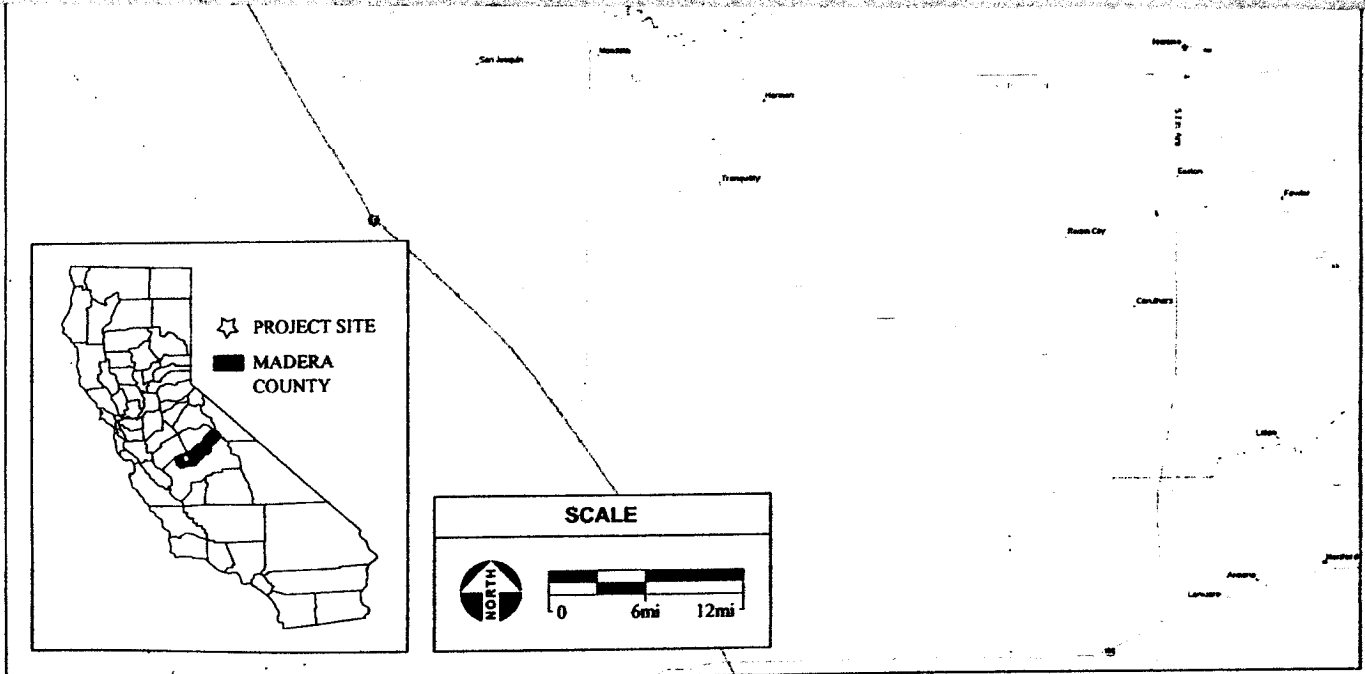
Address: PO Box 613 Copperopolis, Ca. 95228

Comment: They should open casino/hotel in North Fork to aid in the revitalization of the North Fork Bass Lake Communities. They should stay in their own territorial lands.

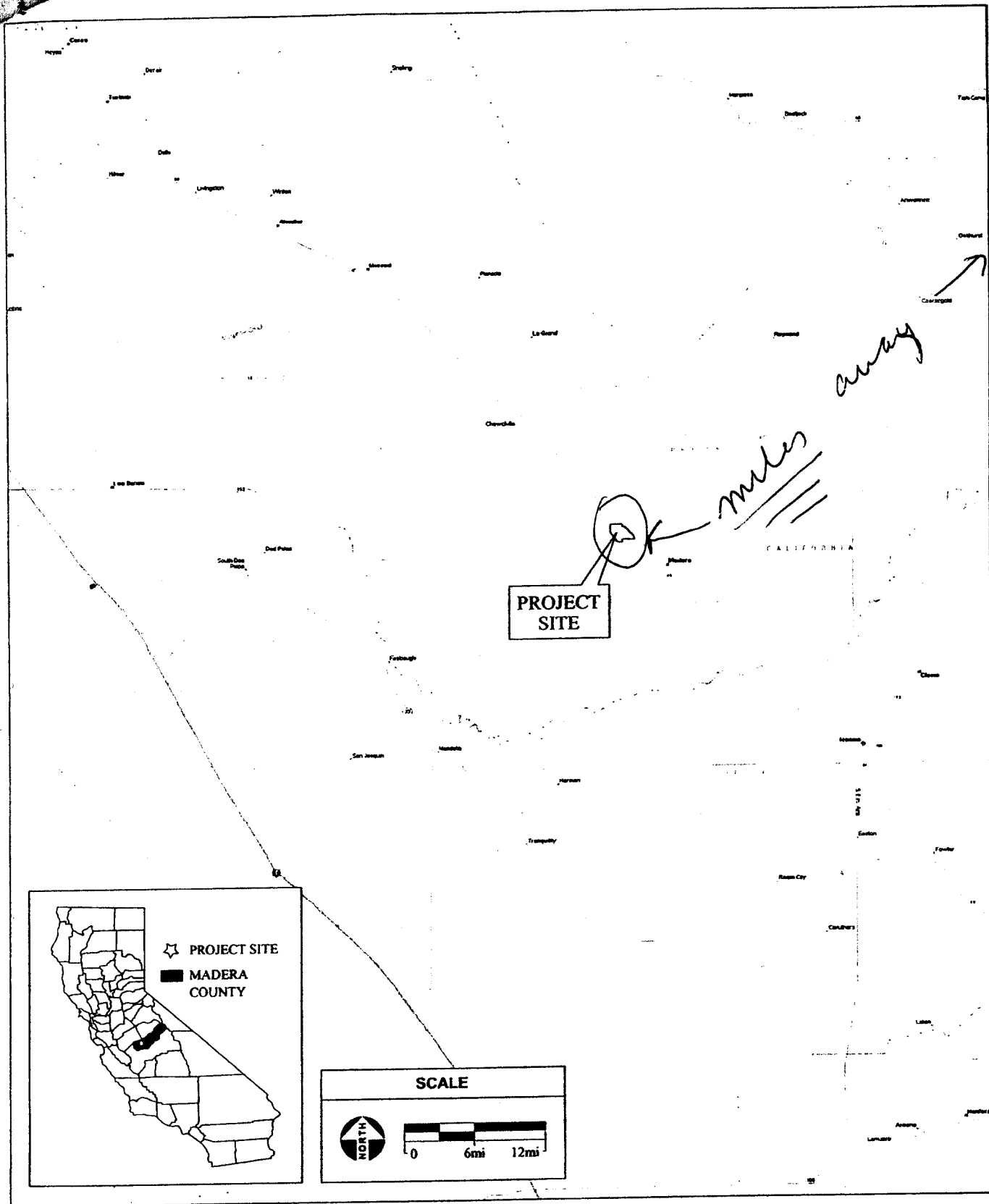
2) Poor Air Traffic Congestion on Highway 99.

3) Destruction of agricultural land at proposed site

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SOURCE: Microsoft Streets & Trips, 2004 ; AES, 2004

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**Figure 1**  
Regional Location Map

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Name: Victoria Lynn Grantham Organization: Chaushilka Tribe

Address: 237 LARISH ST - LEMOORE, CA 93245

Comment: We Feel that the North Fork MONOS already have land in trust in the North Fork area that could be used for this project.

It is historically proven that the land the Mono tribe is trying to put into trust is vacant land.

I am in objection to this Request by the North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians

Victoria Lynn Grantham

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Name: DEBORAH TAPPING ADAMS Organization: CHAUSKILHA - YOKUT

Address: P.O. Box 215, NORTH FORK, CALIFORNIA 93643

Comment: we as the Chauskilla, are in objection to the request that the North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians are making.

we have historical proof that the land area the Northfork Rancheria of Mono Indians are trying to put into trust is in fact on land that was ancestral land of the Chauskilla Yokuts. We feel the North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians already have land in trust in the North Fork area and should use that land area for their Casino/Hotel project.

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Name: CARMELITA Adams MICALLEF Organization: ChaushilHA tribe

Address: P.O. Box 523 NORTH FORK, CALIF. 93643

Comment: WE, AS THE CHAUSHILHA, ARE IN OBJECTION TO THE REQUEST THAT THE NORTH FORK RANCHERIA OF MONO INDIANS ARE MAKING. WE HAVE HISTORICAL PROOF THAT THE LAND AREA THE NORTH FORK RANCHERIA OF MONO INDIANS ARE TRYING TO PUT INTO TRUST IS IN FACT ON LAND THAT WAS ANCESTRAL LAND OF THE CHAUSHILHA YOKUTS. WE FEEL THE NORTH FORK RANCHERIA OF MONO INDIANS ALREADY HAVE LAND IN TRUST IN THE NORTH FORK AREA AND SHOULD USE THAT LAND AREA FOR THEIR CASINO/HOTEL PROJECT.

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Name: Florentine L Topping Organization: Chaushilha Yokut Tribe

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Comment: I don't believe the North Fork Mono Indians have a right to move in to the Chaushilha Yokut Territory. They are fifty miles out of their area. They have land of their own in North Fork, Ca. The Chaushilha Yokut is recognized as a tribe by the County of Madera and the State of California

Florentine L. Topping  
P.O. Box 271, North Fork, Ca. 95643

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Name: Raymond micallet Organization: CHAUCHILLA YOKUTS

Address: 32166 MILLETT ST. RAYMOND CA. 93653

Comment: I OPPOSE OF THE REQUEST OF NORTH FORK RANCHERIA OF MONO INDIANS ARE MAKING. WE HAVE HISTORICAL PROOF OF THE LAND AREA THAT NORTH FORK INDIANS ARE TRYING TO PUT IN TO TRUST IS IN FACT ON LAND THAT WAS ANCESTORIAL LAND OF THE CHAUCHILLA YOKUTS. WE FEEL THE NORTH FORK RANCHERIA OF MONO INDIANS ALREADY HAVE LAND IN TRUST IN THE NORTH FORK AREA AND SHOULD USE THAT LAND AREA FOR THEIR CASINO AND HOTEL PROJECT.

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Name: PAUL CRUZE Topping Organization: Chausilha Tribe

Address: 8864 BARTON AVE. 93720 FRESNO, CA

Comment: We feel that the North Fork Mono's already have land in trust in the North Fork area that could be used for this project.

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I AM in objection of this request by the North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians

Paul Cruze Topping

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Name: Kyle Bart Adams Organization: Chowchilla (Yokut)

Address: P.O. Box 648 North Fork Ca 93643

Comment: We as the Chowchilla, are in objection to the request that the North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians are making.

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Name: Rachel Rivera Organization: Chouchillian Yokut

Address: 30183 Yosemite Springs Parkway, Coarsegold CA 93614

Comment: I Oppose of the Request ~~to~~ that the north fork Rancheria of mono Indians are making.

We have historical proof that the land the north fork mono Indians are trying to put into trust. IS in fact the Ancestral land of the Chouchillian Yokut's. Therefore we feel that the north fork Rancheria of mono Indians already have land intrusted to them in the north fork area. In conclusion it is our belief that they should use that land area for there Casino and Hotel project.

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Name: Christcha McCue Organization: Chouchillian Yokut

Address: 31457 Crow Rd. Coarsegold CA 93614

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Name: Teena Topping Calderon Organization: Chaushilla Yokut

Address: 1455 n Howard st. Fresno, CA 93703

Comment: I'm a Chaushilla Yokut and I do NOT think the mono Indians of north fork should be allowed to build a casino on our land. It is 50 miles away from their running territory. They have to stay in their own area, they can't just pick any spot they want.

Thank you,  
Teena Calderon  
Topping

Please give to attendant, drop in Written Comment Box, or mail to: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Attention: John Rydzik, Regional Environmental Specialist, 2800 Cottage Way Room 2820, Sacramento, California 95825. Please include your name, return address, and the caption: "DEIS Scoping Comments, North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians Trust Acquisition and Casino/Hotel Project".