

## **APPENDIX P2**

# **Responses Received from Tribes**



GABRIELENO BAND OF MISSION INDIANS - KIZH NATION  
Historically known as The Gabrielino Tribal Council - San Gabriel Band of Mission Indians  
recognized by the State of California as the aboriginal tribe of the Los Angeles basin

September 8, 2021

Project Name: 9160-9176 Sunset Boulevard Development Project, City of West Hollywood

Dear Dereck Purificacion,

Thank you for your letter dated September 1, 2021 regarding AB52 consultation. The above proposed project location is within our Ancestral Tribal Territory; therefore, our Tribal Government requests to schedule a consultation with you as the lead agency, to discuss the project and the surrounding location in further detail.

Please contact us at your earliest convenience. ***Please Note: AB 52, "consultation" shall have the same meaning as provided in SB 18 (Govt. Code Section 65352.4).***

Thank you for your time,

Andrew Salas, Chairman  
Gabrieleno Band of Mission Indians – Kizh Nation  
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Andrew Salas, Chairman

Albert Perez, treasurer I

Nadine Salas, Vice-Chairman

Martha Gonzalez Lemos, treasurer II

Dr. Christina Swindall Martinez, secretary

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Hello Dereck Purificacion,

Thank you for your letter dated September 1,2021. Please see the attachment below.

Thank you

Sincerely,

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*The region where Gabrieleño culture thrived for more than eight centuries encompassed most of Los Angeles County, more than half of Orange County and portions of Riverside and San Bernardino counties. It was the labor of the Gabrieleño who built the missions, ranchos and the pueblos of Los Angeles. They were trained in the trades, and they did the construction and maintenance, as well as the farming and managing of herds of livestock. “The Gabrieleño are the ones who did all this work, and they really are the foundation of the early economy of the Los Angeles area “. “That’s a contribution that Los Angeles has not recognized--the fact that in its early decades, without the Gabrieleño, the community simply would not have survived.”*